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What do we do?

Solutions

Policy & Advocacy

- ★ Policy Development and Implementation
- ★ Policy Analysis and Barriers
- ★Legal and Regulatory
- ★ Advocacy and Coalition Building
- **★**Community Mobilization
- ★Workplace Policy Development
- **★**Stigma and Discrimination
- **★**Gender Equity Promotion

Research and Strategic Information

- ★ Demographic Research
- **★**Qualitative Research
- **★Quantitative Research**
- **★**Operations Research
- **★**Surveys
- **★** Data Demand and Information Use (DDIU)
- ★Program Monitoring
- ★Program Evaluation
- **★**Surveillance

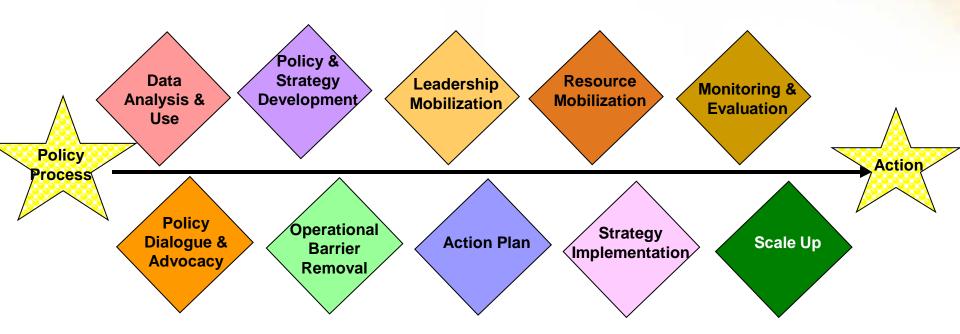
Health Markets & Private Sector Engagement

- **★** Public-Private Partnerships
- ★Innovative Financing
- ★Contraceptive Security / Commodities
- ★ Health Promotion and Behavior Change Communication
- ★ Market Analysis, Segmentation, and Growth
- ★ Product Marketing and Distribution
- **★**Supply Chain Management

Country Presence



POLICY to ACTION



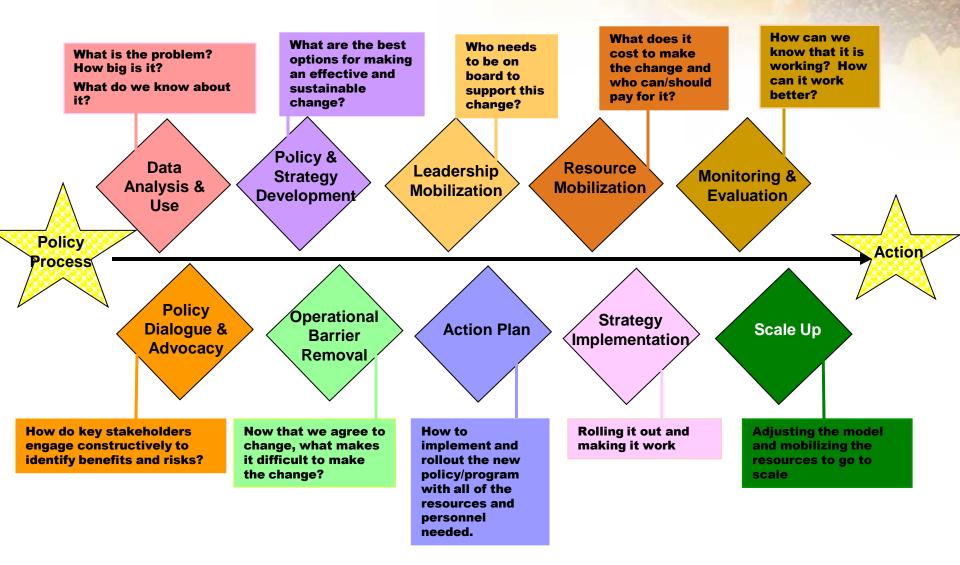
The many faces of non-state actors





- Champions: Advocating and organizing on behalf of the most vulnerable and specific communities—the people who deserve service
- Service Providers: Reaching communities and providing services where the public system cannot
- Advisors in governance: Supporting effective and equitable resource allocation
- Networks: Building mutual support in communities, and applying political pressure at policy level
- Private sector partners: Investing in health in the workplace, as business coalitions, donors and investors
- Faith based partners: Harnessing voluntary care and support
- Researchers and Educators: Providing the evidence and the capacity

POLICY to ACTION (for dummies)



A long little story about engagement: Dominican Republic 1988 to present

- 1984: 1st AIDS case diagnosed
- 1988: PROCETS adds HIV/AIDS to its mission
 - 5 NGOs present to work on CSW-MSM-youth prevention
 - Blood banking and Laboratory focus
- 1992: 13 NGOs active, form national Coalition on HIV/AIDS
- 1996: First HIV+ support groups form, one MD provider
- 1997: First national CSW Congress held in capital, MODEMU formed
- 1997: First public hospital has quarantined HIV/AIDS room
- 2000: Private Pharma begins production of generic ARTs
- 2001: National HIV/AIDS Law established, mandates access/treatment/rights
- 2002: PEPFAR and GF take 5 yr. funding from \$13M to \$130M overnight
- 2003-present: Glutted funding, factions and dissent, but systems working
 - 85 public sites for care and treatment and 10,000 on ARV
 - 100+ NGOs providing comprehensive continuum of services
 - Projections go from up to 15 % seroprevalence to holding at 2% general population

Thank you!