

BUILDING INSTITUTIONAL FITNESS

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CREATE THE ENVIRONMENT TO ENABLE CHANGE

Review the business process: simplify, clarify, and build common understanding

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COMMIT TO INVEST IN INSTITUTIONAL CAPACITY

New sets of skills, incentives and staff management are required

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REVISIT POLICY COHERENCE TO USE THE FULL RANGE OF TOOLS AND INFLUENCE

Set and communicate common objectives and principles, improve information sharing and communication

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BECOME 'SYSTEM PLAYERS'

Each donor has a role to play: know and explicitly work towards your comparative advantage and the contribution it makes towards the collective response

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INVEST IN CONTEXT AND PROBLEM-LED PROGRAMMING

Bring context and problem analysis into the core of donor behaviour

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RE-CALIBRATE ORGANISATIONAL APPROACHES TO MANAGING RISK

Invest in the capacity to understand, better anticipate, detect, and respond to risks

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DEVISE INCREMENTAL AND PRAGMATIC APPROACHES TO SUPPORTING LOCALLY-LED CHANGE

Broaden the concept of 'local systems' beyond government institutions to include support to inter-dependent elements at the sub-national and local level

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LEARN, ADAPT, ADJUST

Regularly review programmes against updated context analysis to ensure they remain flexible enough to respond appropriately to changing circumstances

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RETHINK HOW OUTCOMES ARE VALUED

Incentivise more adaptive problem-solving programming by utilising metrics that measure progress and success along these lines

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INVEST IN RESPONSIVE INSTRUMENTS AND PARTNERSHIPS

Adapt partnerships and funding to ensure flexible response to crisis situations and shifting priorities

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BUILD IN SYSTEM-CHECKS AND BE PREPARED TO ADVOCATE FOR INCLUSION OF THOSE MOST LIKELY TO BE LEFT BEHIND

Create incentives to support neglected crises and marginalised groups

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DEVELOP GLOBAL APPROACHES TO GLOBAL CHALLENGES

Reinforce country-level programming with investment in public goods at the regional and global level

ASPIRING TO DELIVER CHANGE

LEAVING NO ONE BEHIND