



Migration, Mobility and Health Aspects in the Sendai Framework: Ensuring Capacity Building and Service Delivery in migration-affected communities

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Migration Mega-trend: 1 in 7 on the move

7 billion Population

1 billion Migrants



247 million **international**

>740 million **internal**

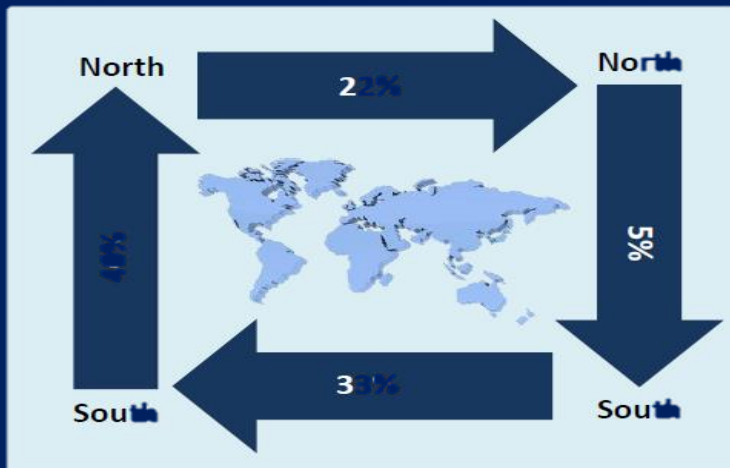
Urbanization: 50% +

Feminization: ca. 50%

Irregular : 15-20%

Six Drivers of migration

1. Demography
2. Demand
3. Distance
4. Digital Revolution
5. Disparity
6. Disasters



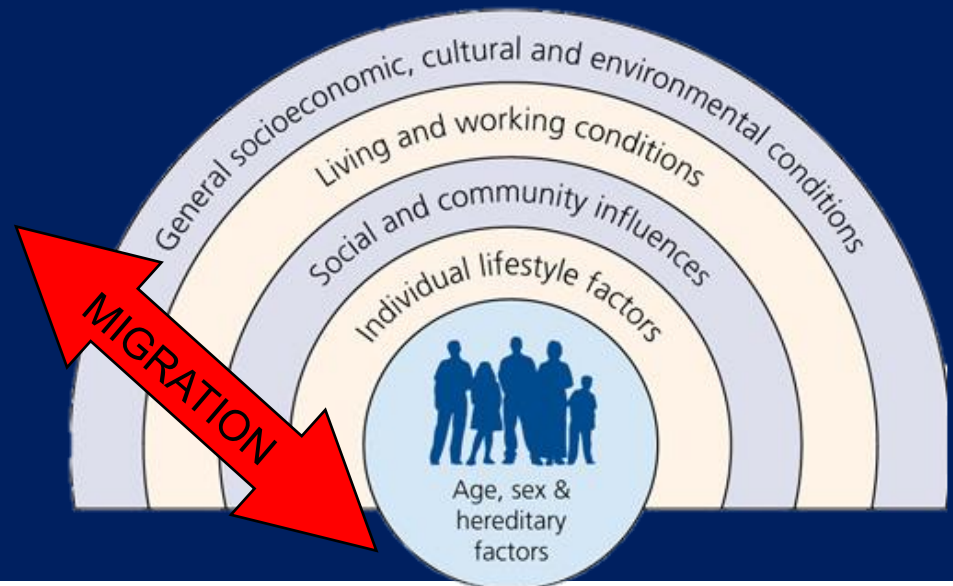
Migration-DRR-Health Nexus

Disasters often result in **population displacement**

Migration is an **adaptation and a coping strategy** in disaster situations

Migration **increases vulnerability to ill-health**

Migrants and mobile populations are **hard to reach or 'hidden'** and **not able to access services**



2008 WHA61.17 Resolution on Health of Migrants



Operational Framework on Migrants' Health

**Monitoring
Migrant Health**

**Policy and Legal
Frameworks**

**Migrant-Sensitive
Health Systems**

**Partnerships,
Networks and
Multi country
Frameworks**



**HEALTH OF MIGRANTS
– THE WAY FORWARD**

Report of a global consultation

Madrid, Spain, 3–5 March 2010



International frameworks

WHA Health of Migrants

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Sendai Framework

**Engage with all
stakeholders
including migrants
(preamble)**

**Migrants to be
incorporated in
DRM at the local
level (para 27h)**

**Migrants contribute
to community
resilience (para 36a)**

IOM Migration Health Programmatic Areas

Migration Health Assessment & Travel Health Assistance



Health Promotion & Assistance for Migrants



Migration Health Assistance for Crisis Affected Populations



for various categories of migrants, including resettling **refugees, immigrants, temporary migrants, labour migrants and displaced persons**, either before departure or upon arrival

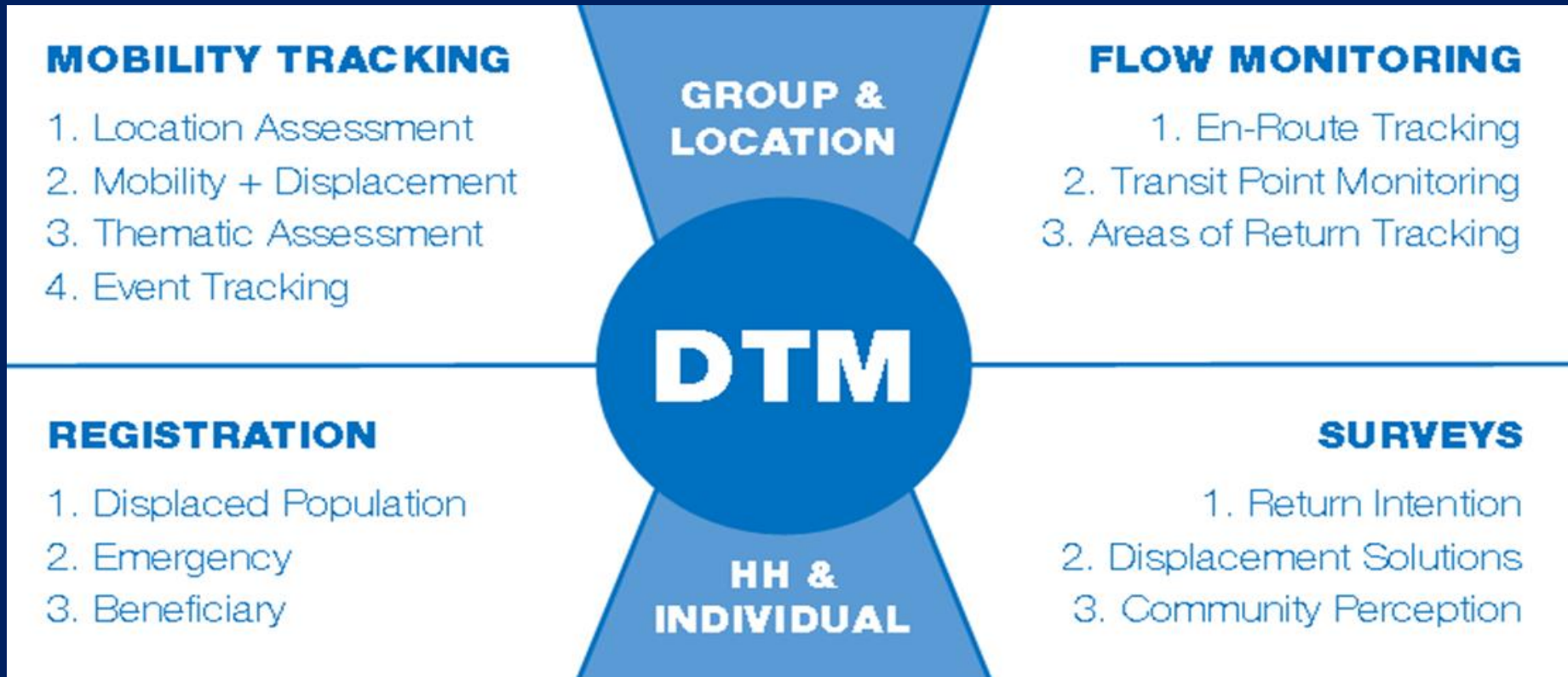
promoting migrant sensitive health systems (focus especially on **labour and irregular migrants** and host communities) by advocating for migrant-inclusive health policies, delivering technical assistance and enhancing capacities

especially in natural disasters, IOM assists **crisis-affected populations**, governments and host communities to strengthen and re-establish primary health care systems

Sendai Framework Priority 1: Understanding disaster risk

Data on Disaster and loss (para 25a)

IOM response

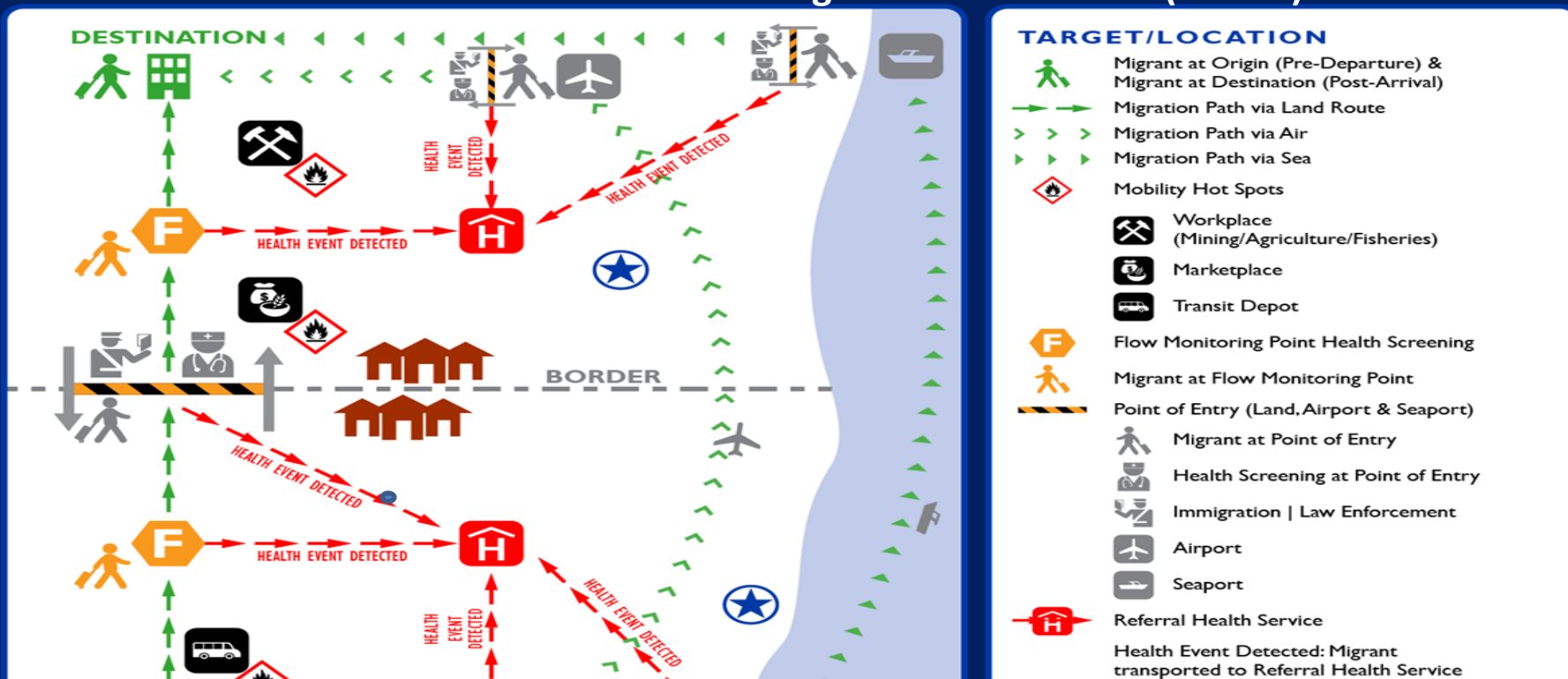


Priority 2: Strengthening disaster risk governance to manage disaster risk

Coherence of instruments and tools (para 28b)

IOM response

IOM Health and Humanitarian Border Management Framework (HHBM)



Mobility continuum and revision of the IHR concept of Point of Entry

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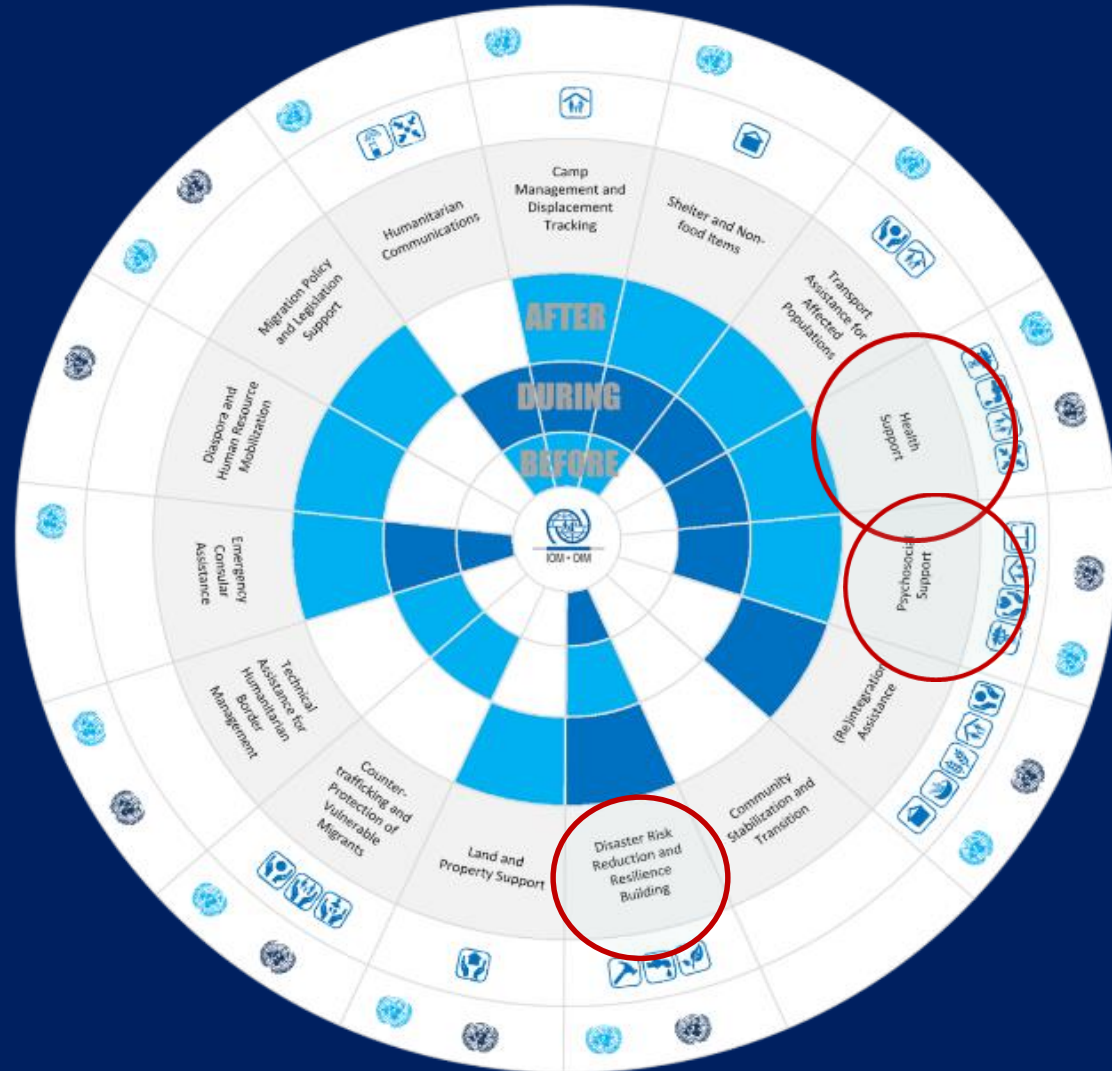
Mainstream disaster risk reduction in health (para 27a)

IOM response: Migration
Crisis Operational
Framework (MCOF)

15 integrated sectors of
assistance

Health and Psychosocial
support

DRR and Resilience
Building



Priority 3: Investing in DRR for resilience

Health system resilience and disaster risk management for health (para 30i)

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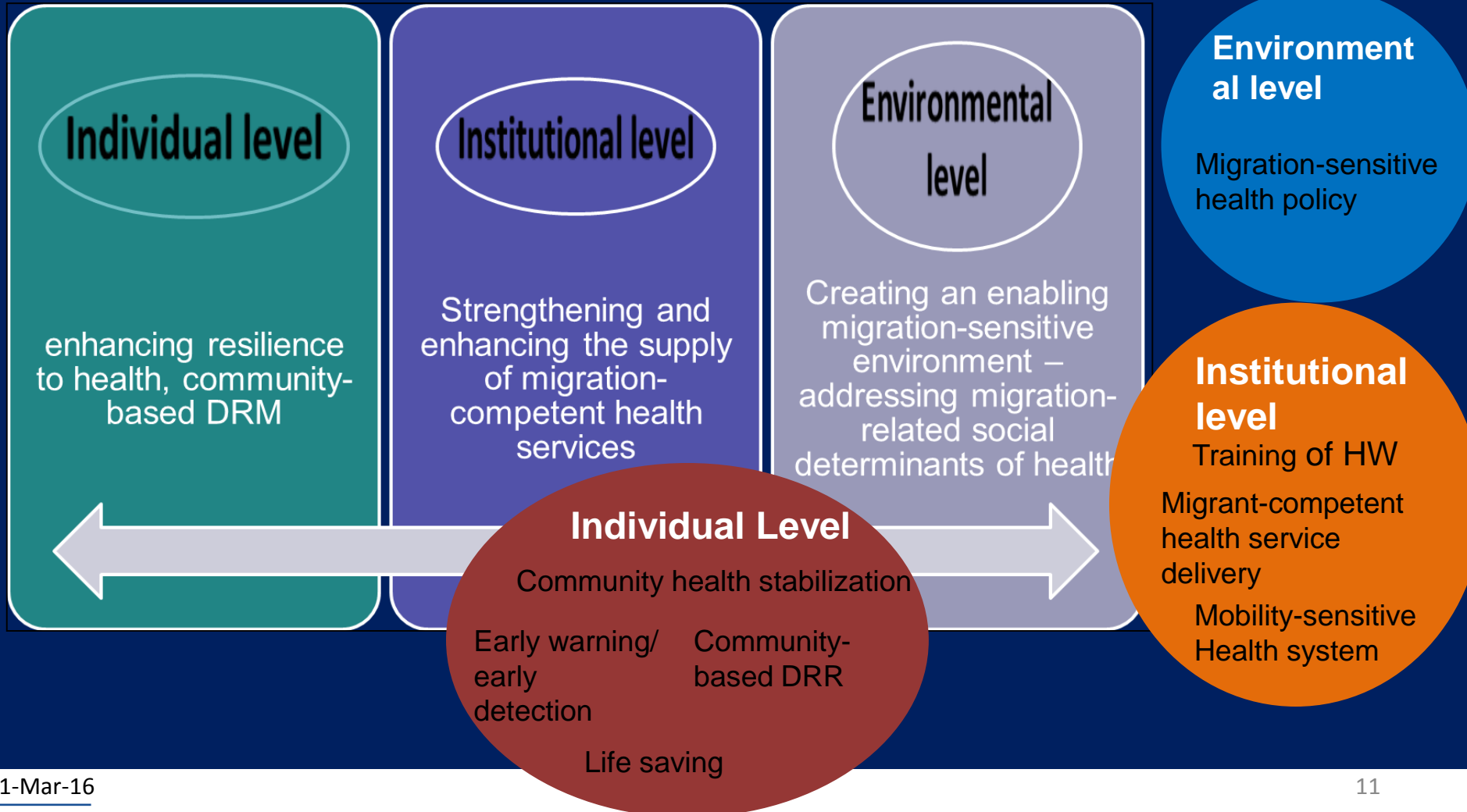
- Mobile - Fixed - Temporary or Transitional clinics
- Repair or rehabilitation of health facilities
- Rapid response team & Emergency preparedness
- Immunisation and nutrition
- Prevention, care and treatment,
- Counselling, health education enhancing resilience
- Health assessments for remote communities or crisis-affected populations

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Access to basic health care services (para 30j)

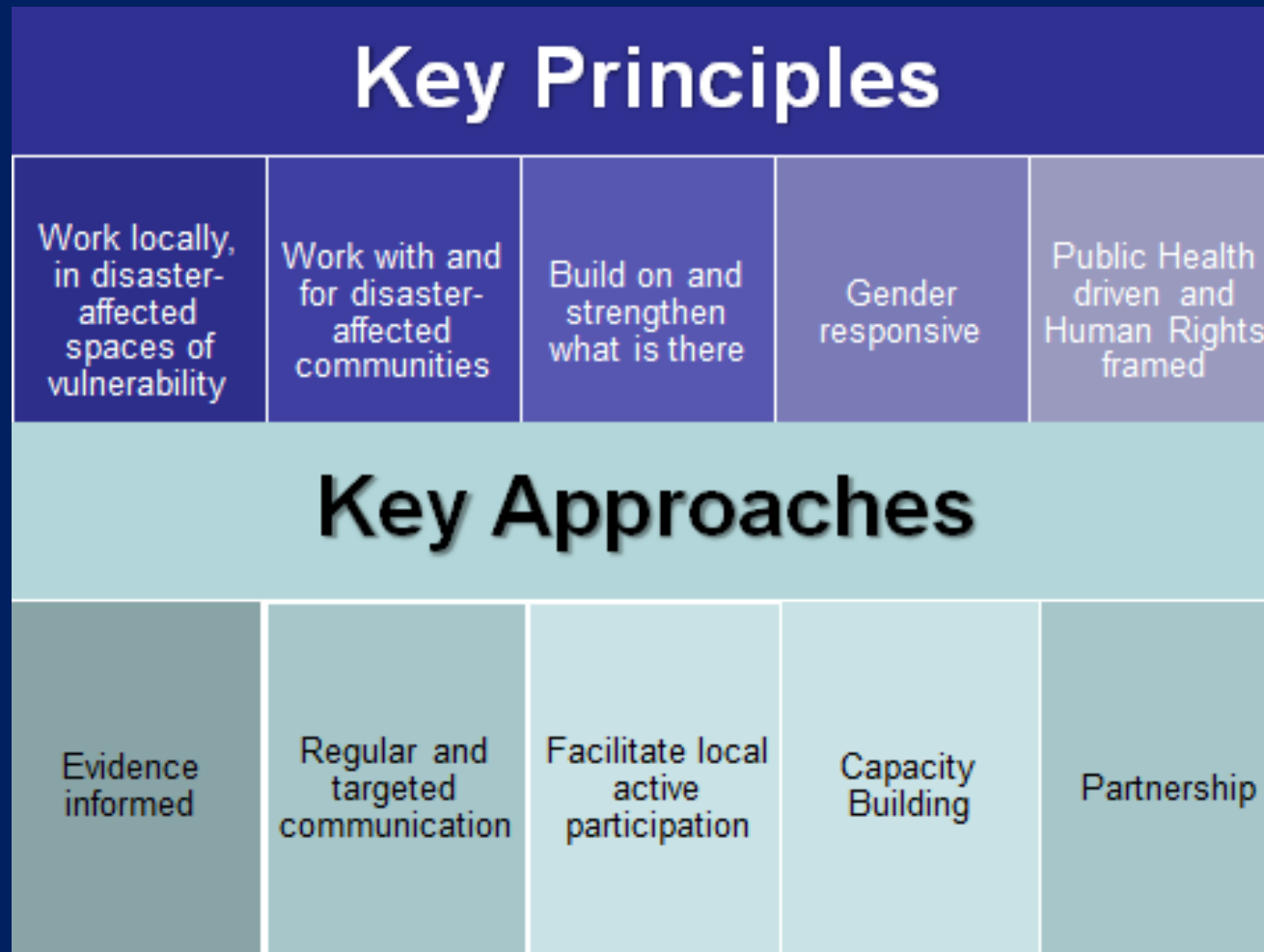
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Service Delivery and Capacity Building- SDCB



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Key Messages



- Critical nexus of migration, health risks and DRR
- Reaching out to migrants and mobile populations who are often hard to reach and including them in national health and DRR strategies
- Capacity strengthening of migrant-inclusive health and DRR systems
- Disaggregated data to support evidence based policies and strategies

Sustainable mechanisms in ‘leaving no one behind’ -we would like to see healthy, resilient and integrated migrants, mobile and displaced populations in healthy communities before, during and after disasters



Thank you! Questions?

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IOM's DRR page
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