

“MBDS Regional Risk Assessment Workshop for Cross Border Coordinators”

“Scope, Objectives and Expected Output”

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Role of Risk Assessment in IHR and JEE

- **International Health Regulations (2005)**

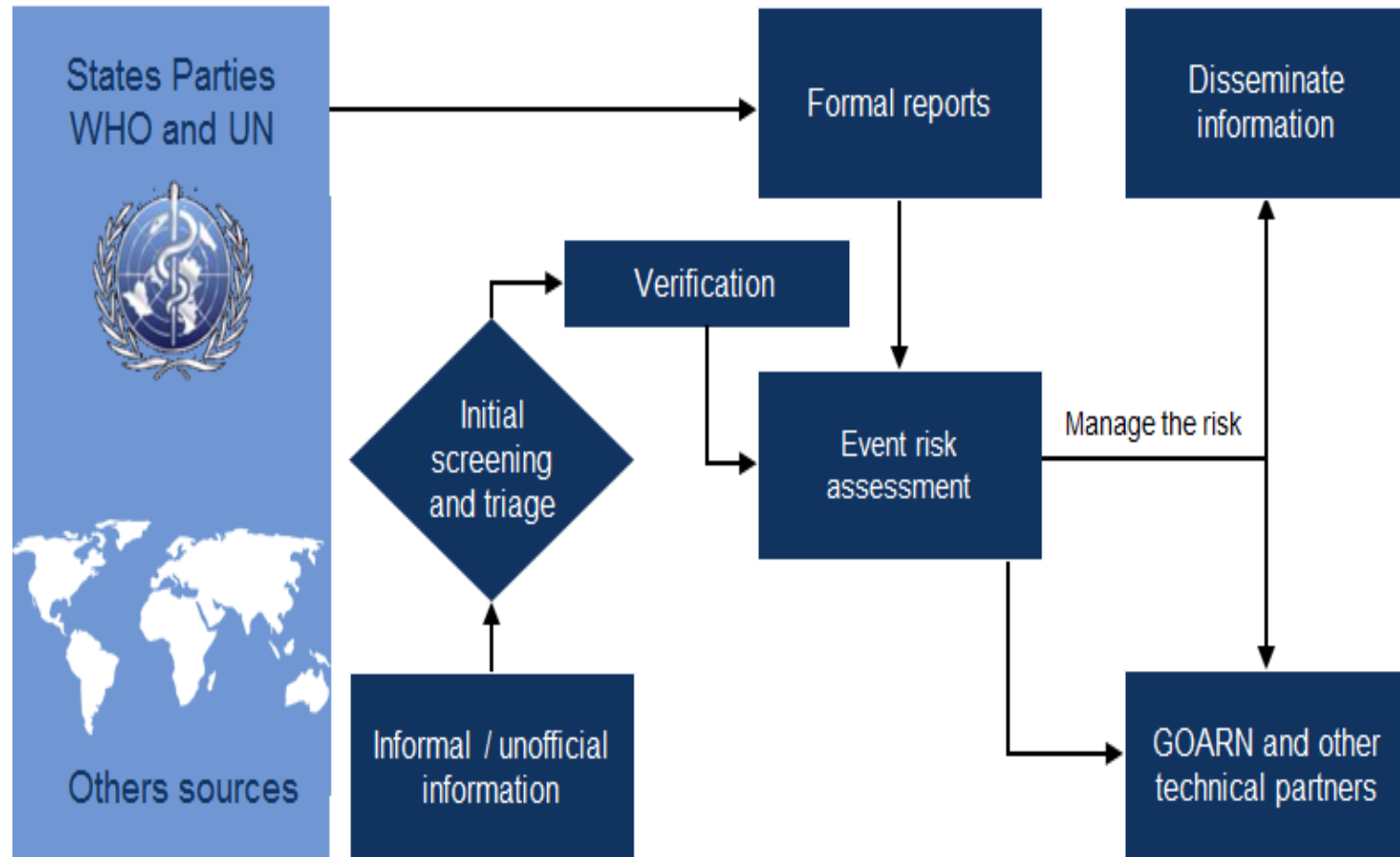
- ✓ Each State Party shall notify WHO, by the most efficient means of communication available, by way of the National IHR Focal Point, and within 24 hours of assessment of public health information, of all events which may constitute a public health emergency of international concern within its territory in accordance with the decision instrument, as well as any health measure implemented in response to those events. (Article 6)

- **Joint External Evaluation**

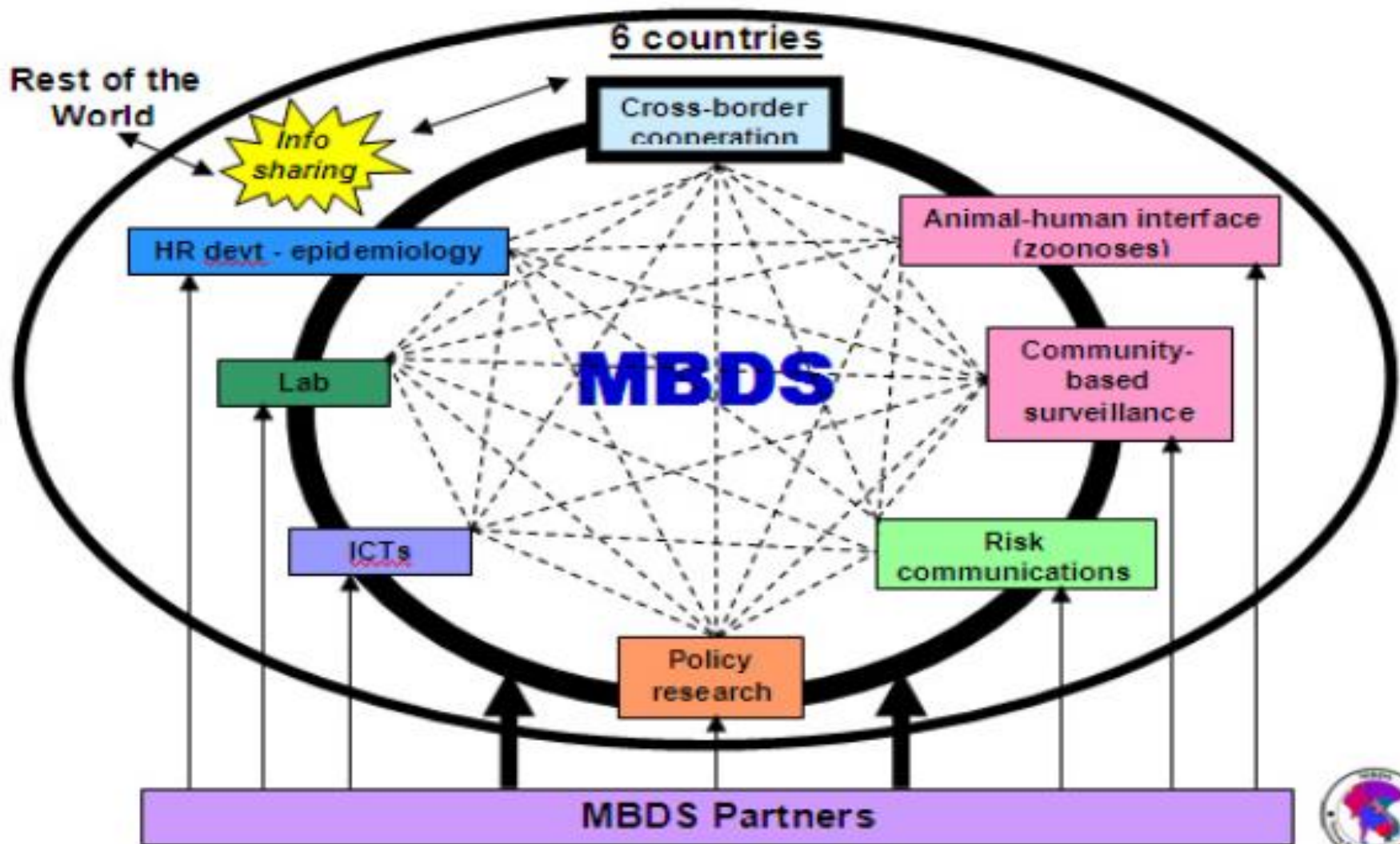
- ✓ R.1.1 Strategic emergency risk assessments conducted and emergency resources identified and mapped



Event management steps



Seven MBDS Core Strategies



Objectives

- To share the best practices and challenges for risk assessment process in MBDS countries to improve the preparedness and response to all kinds of hazards
- To Finalize Risk Assessment Process (SOP) for Cross Border Coordinator based on prioritized Threats / Hazards of Concern in MBDS countries

Day-1

- Risk Assessment Theory and Principles
- Risk Assessment experience from MBDS member countries
- Group Work on understand risk and prioritized Threats / Hazards of Concern in MBDS Cross-border (Objectives, Scope, Information source, Risk characterization, Prioritized hazard, Risk flow chart assessment, Context assessment)
- Group Work on Risk Assessment Process (SOP) (Step for risk assessment, Event detection, Event verification, Risk assessment planning , Risk questions, Risk statement, Risk assessment flow / diagram)
- Dinner hosted by MOHS Myanmar

Day-2

- Continued Group Work
- Finalize Risk Assessment Process (SOP) for Cross Border Coordinator
- Presentation and discussion for finalization Risk Assessment Process (SOP)
- Recommendations & Way Forward
- Closing Remarks

Facilitators

- **Host country**

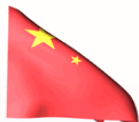
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- Dr. Nyan Win Myint, Deputy Director (Port Health/PHE), Department of Public Health, Myanmar

- **International countries**

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- Dr. Chanthalay SAYAVONG, Head of Administration Office, Department of Public Health Vientiane Capital, Lao P.D.R
- Dr. Teerasak Chuxnum, Veterinarian , Bureau of Epidemiology, MOPH, Thailand
- Assoc. Prof. Nguyen Dang Vung, Vice Director, Institute for Preventive Medicine and Public Health, Vietnam

Expected Output

- Risk Assessment SOP for cross border areas of MBDS countries is published will strengthen in public health preparedness and response



Thank you very much!



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