



The Partnership for Nuclear Safety

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Background

- ▶ Major Programme 3 promotes the worldwide achievement and maintenance of high levels of nuclear safety and security to protect people, society and the environment
- ▶ IAEA work reinforces the linkages between the Convention on Nuclear Safety (CNS), IAEA safety standards and the Code of Conduct on the Safety and Security of Radioactive Sources
- ▶ The IAEA Action Plan on Nuclear Safety
- ▶ IAEA's Medium Term Strategies 2006-2011 and 2012-2017: Multi-stakeholder partnerships as a key means of implementation
- ▶ The strategic approach on GNSSN and governance plan on GNSSN
- ▶ The 2030 Development Agenda: SDG 16 and SDG 17

Challenges of technical support programmes

- ▶ Limited country leadership and capacity to plan and implement programs
→ **Donors develop own plans and programs**
- ▶ Too little coordination among donors → **Dispersed effort, suboptimal use of resources**
- ▶ Too many projects with different procedures → **Countries cannot handle these demands.**

Why a Partnership for Nuclear Safety?



There is a need to **catalyze** and **mobilize** more action in order to:

- ▶ ensure superior coordination at the highest levels;
- ▶ foster strategic multi-stakeholder actions;
- ▶ increase the number of effective Sustainable Integrated Capacity Building Programmes;
- ▶ enhance global, regional and national capacity building resource mapping; and
- ▶ ensure Monitoring & Evaluation are inherent to the process

Mission of the Partnership



- ▶ The Partnership for Nuclear Safety is a **global high-level multi-stakeholder partnership** intended to act as a forum for catalyzing, mobilizing and mainstreaming action on Nuclear Safety around the world.
It provides a framework for **bringing together industry, governmental and business leaders to secure concrete commitments and mobilize action** in support of the Nuclear Safety.

Objectives of the Partnership

- ▶ Raise awareness on nuclear safety as a global shared responsibility;
- ▶ Identify gaps and reduce duplication efforts and suboptimal use of limited resources;
- ▶ Mobilize actions to strengthen global nuclear safety by facilitating capacity building solutions

How does the Partnership work?



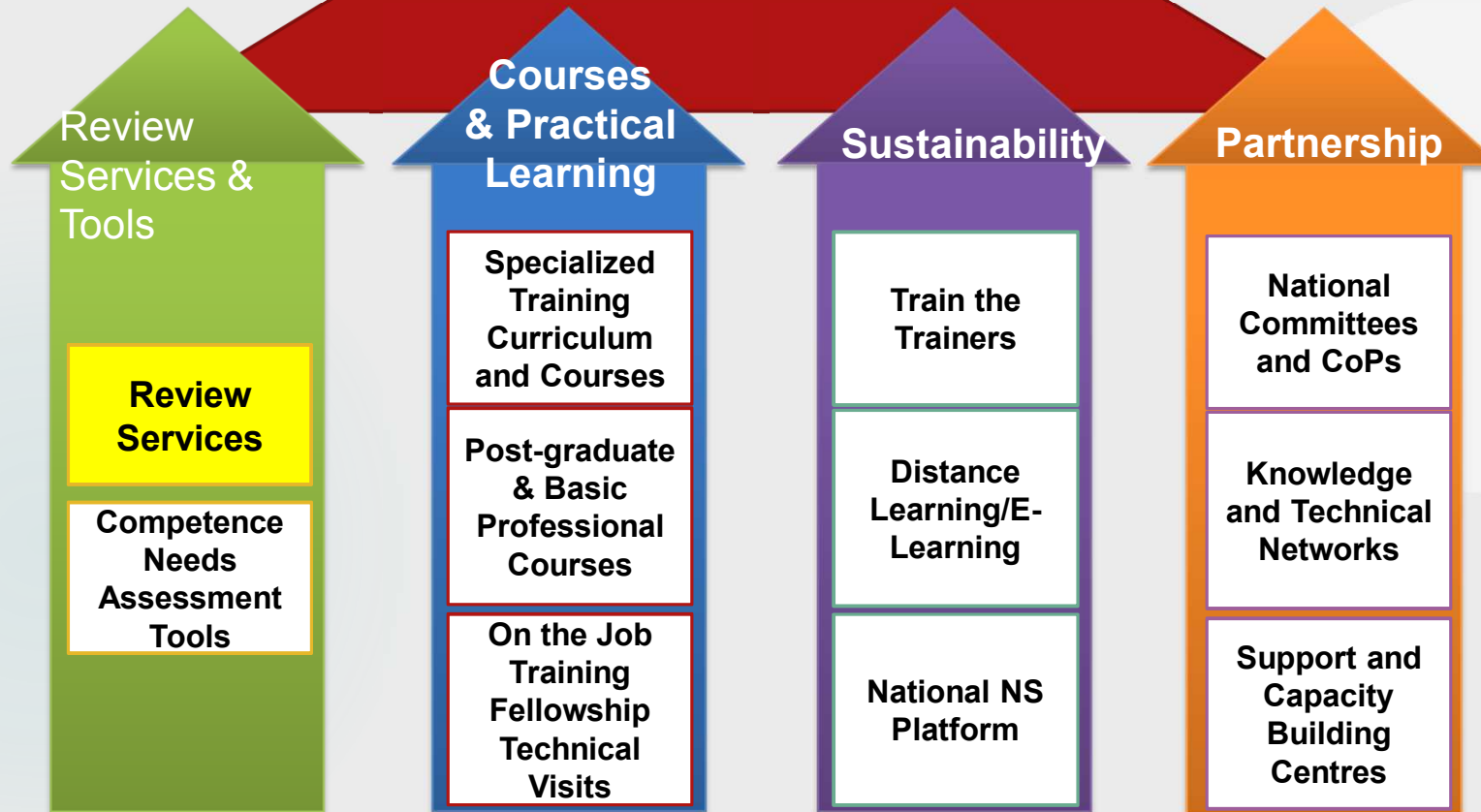
- ▶ Has a multi-stakeholder governance and membership model to promote diverse, innovative and effective approaches (hosted by the IAEA, and chaired by the Agency and a Member State yet to be identified)
- ▶ Works with all stakeholders to develop government-led work plans to build national capacity in Nuclear Safety.
- ▶ Builds upon existing programmes in target countries by improving coordination and leveraging collective strengths and each partner's capacities.

Opportunities for the Partnership



- ▶ First known multi-stakeholder partnership for Nuclear Safety
- ▶ New partnership providing resources (financial and other) to Nuclear Safety targeting SDGs 16 & 17
- ▶ Answer to SG's call for private sector partners in the report "Towards Global Partnerships"
- ▶ Good visibility for UN coordinated efforts

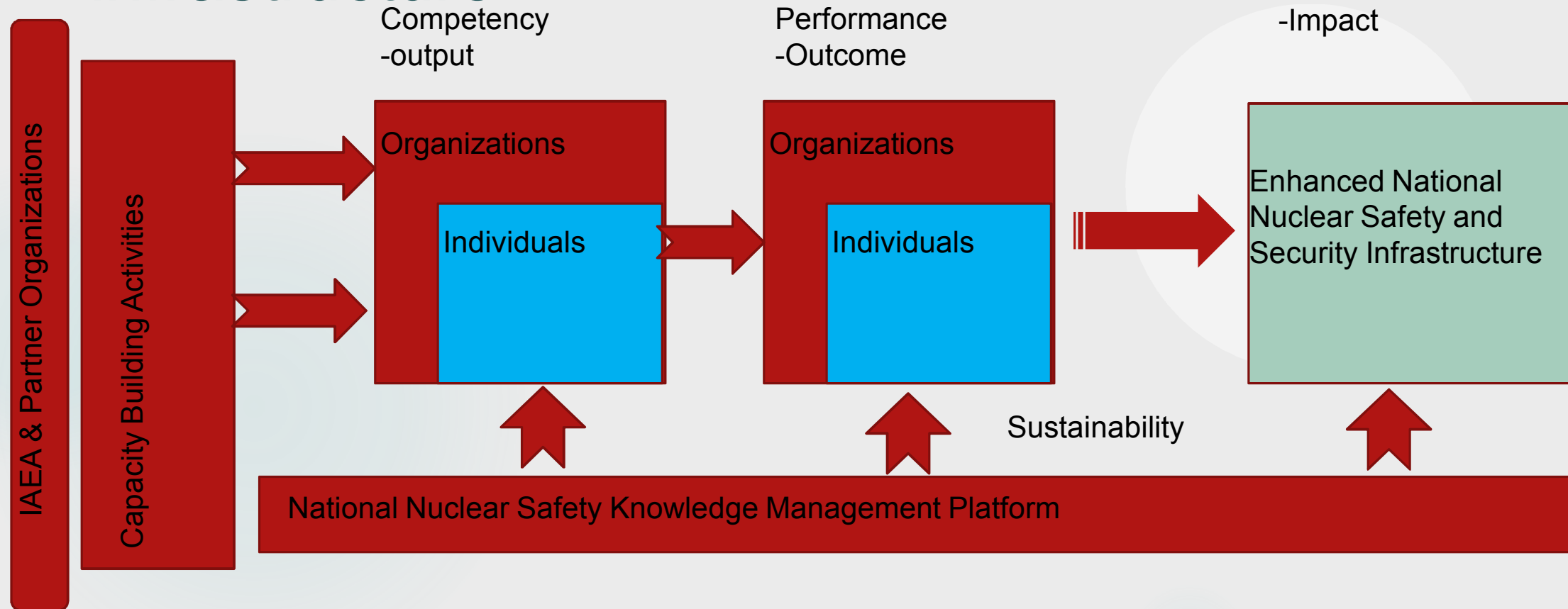
National Capacity Building Framework



IAEA, International Organizations, Partner Organizations

Capacity building supporting MS safety infrastructure

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Further Steps

- ▶ One Member State to express interest in co-chairing the Partnership with the Agency
- ▶ Set up the Advisory Board, to be chaired by the IAEA and to comprise around ten top senior representatives drawn from relevant partners around the world
- ▶ Thematic priorities, work programme and budget to be decided by the advisory Board
- ▶ Develop a results-measurement framework together with Score-cards
- ▶ **DEVELOP AND IMPLEMENT PARTNERSHIPS FOR NUCLEAR SAFETY!**



Thank you