



MIHR approach to health system resilience

The use of the Resilience for Social System (R4S) in South Sudan

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This project enhances coordination between development and humanitarian organizations and strengthens the health resilience of individuals, families, and communities.



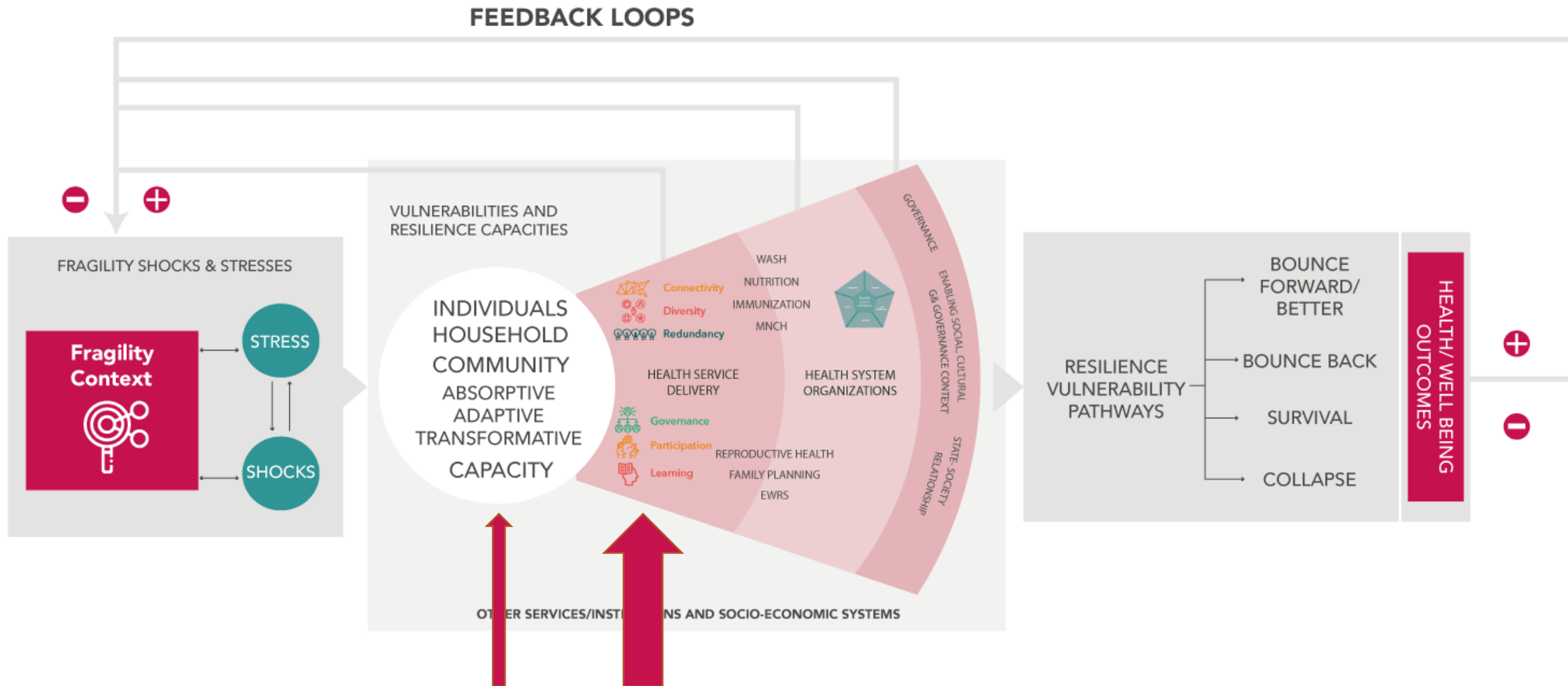
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Health resilience

Health resilience is the ability of people, households, communities, health systems to prepare for, mitigate, adapt to, and recover from acute, recurring, and ongoing shocks & stresses in a manner that reduces disruptions to access and use of quality health care, and facilitates equitable health and wellness outcomes (USAID 2021).

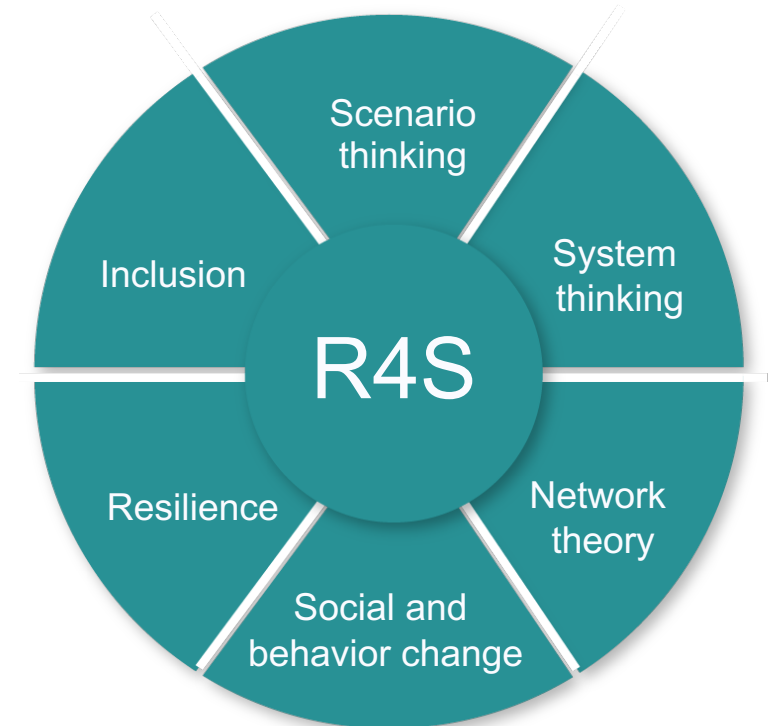
MIHR Health Resilience Framework



The R4S approach and why we use it on health service delivery system



Significant negative impact on health systems and health outcomes



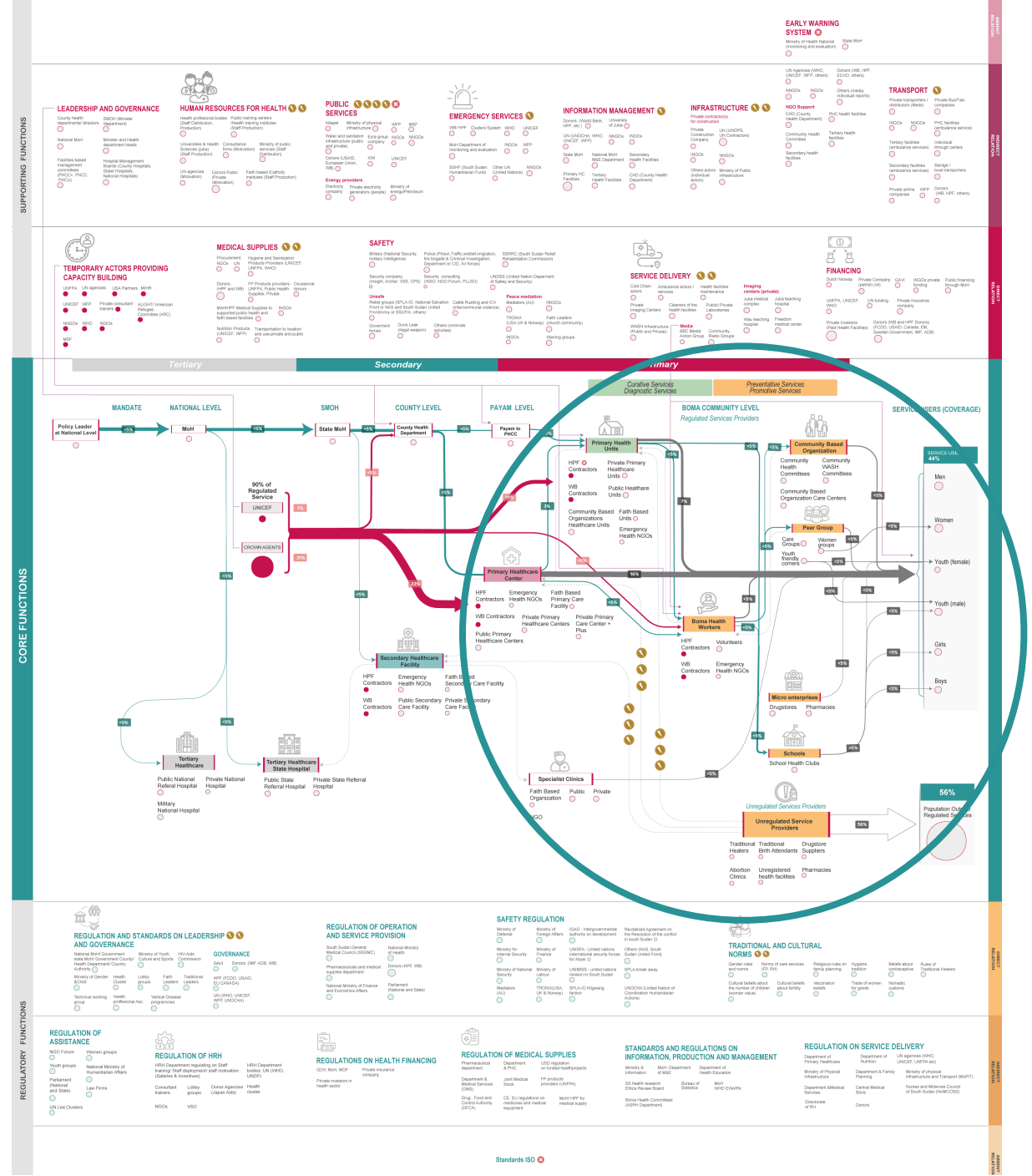
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Map of the current FP/RH/MNCH service delivery system in South Sudan

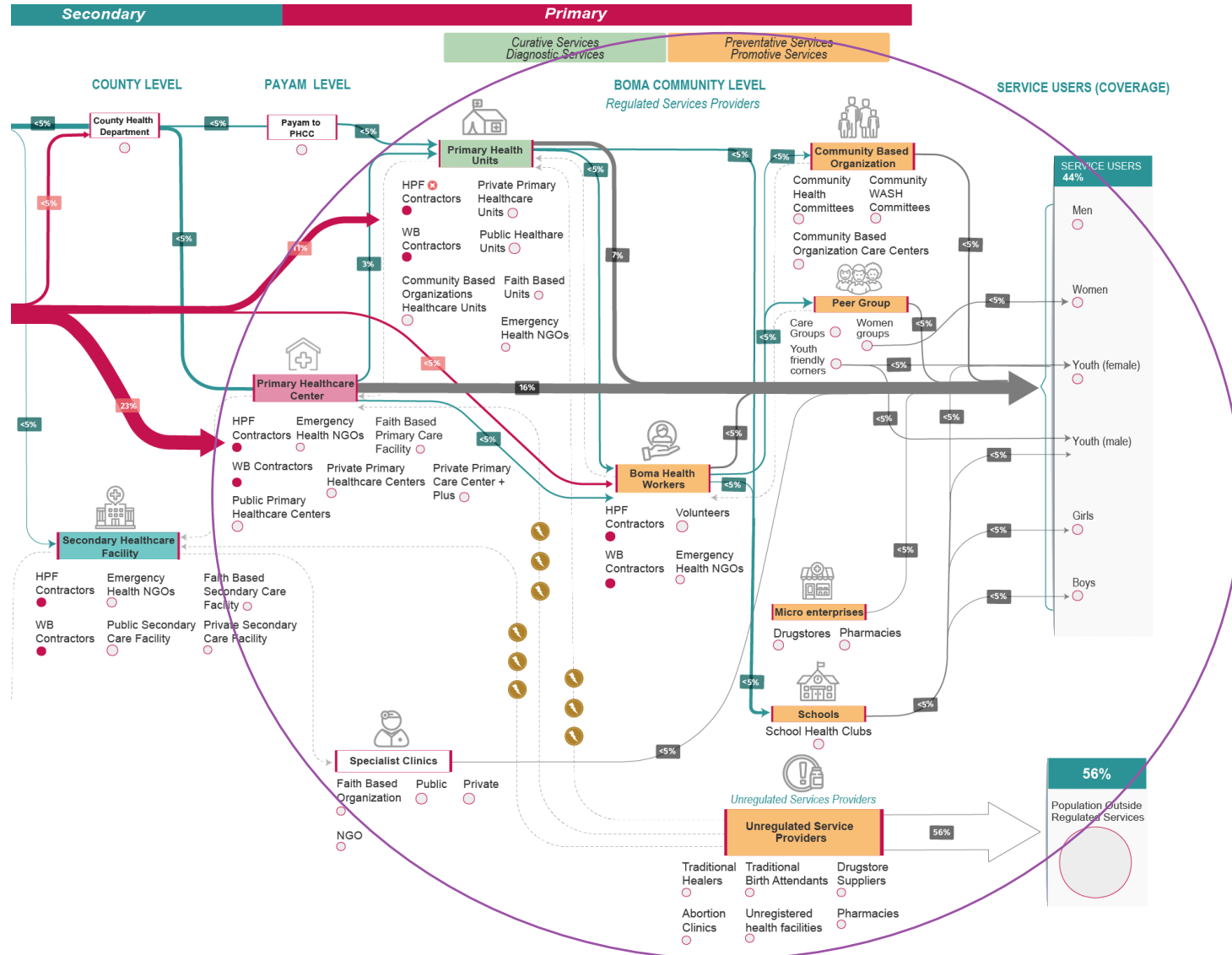
Supporting functions: inform, support, and shape the quality of the transaction chain and its ability to develop, learn, and grow.

CORE / Transaction Chain: Input-Output process (or Demand – Supply) of the selected socio-economic system.

Regulatory functions: formal and informal controls that strongly define incentives and behaviours of market players.



How R4S supports localization for health system resilience



Key takeaways from preliminary analysis

- ✓ Weak national / governmental actors – high dependence on external actors and financing
- ✓ No systemic approach for programming – short term actions
- ✓ Up to 56% of services through unregulated local providers
- ✓ Wide range of temporary actors "disturbing" the system

Next steps

- ✓ Risk assessment and qualitative "modelization" of the system under different risk scenarios
- ✓ Resilience analysis (6 Determinant factors of Resilience)
- ✓ Development of systemic change map and strategy (beyond MIHR timeframe)
- ✓ Within MIHR: Promotion of local leadership development programme, Risk-informed decision making and Early Warning and Response systems (with a strong focus on community-centered EWRS)