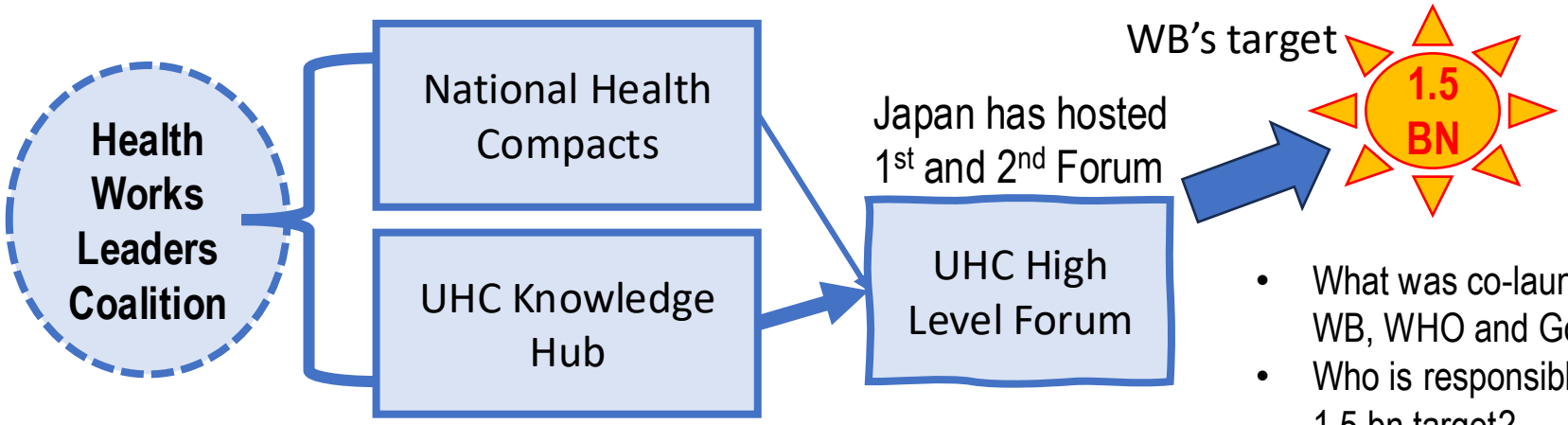
Health Works:
What we know and what we want

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What is “Health Works”?
When we stop and think about it, it's all a mystery

The Purpose of the Presentation
- Summarize “What ‘Health Works Initiative’ is” and Japan’s “Leadership” on it from Japanese civil society
- Provide suggestions from the civil society working in Japan to find a “door” of Health Works for civil society to enter and work as an equal partner

Significant numbers of “Mysteries” around “Health Works” and the role of Japan



- What was co-launched by WB, WHO and GoJ?
- Who is responsible for the 1.5 bn target?
- What is the role of WHO on Health Works?
- Are there any governance mechanisms?

Co-Established by:
The World Bank Group
The Government of Japan
World Health Organization

Multi-stakeholder partners
- Country Governments
- Companies, Philanthropy, civil society

1 Year Progress of "Health Works" and related Initiatives: National Health Compacts and UHC Knowledge Hub

"Health Works"

One of the products of "narrative change" tactics to mitigate the impact of Trumpism

- Attracting the US by saying "Creating more jobs and achieving economic growth" to continue efforts to achieve SDGs
- Similar products in various areas;
  - Water Forward
  - AgriConnect
  - Mission 300
  - We-Fi (Women entrepreneurs finance initiative)

National Health Compacts

World Bank Group

As of now, 14 countries published their compacts

- Initiative of the World Bank Group
- Different from "national health strategy": plan for health sector reform
- Connecting with loan aid of WB Group and boosted by IFC's support for connected private sector

"Progress" on Health Financing for the Compacts

- Philippines: BUHC (Build UHC Program) co-financing program of ADB, JICA and AIIB, based on UHC Act (2019) and NHC (2025): USD 940 million
- It takes time to develop sector-wide large scale concessional loan aid programs, but the program development process has been going on in many countries.

UHC Knowledge Hub

Gov't of Japan
World Bank Group
WHO

Strong ownership of the Government of Japan

- Capacity building of the officials of the MOH and MOF on health financing and collaboration
- Annual "learning journey" for health financing
- Promoting collaboration between MoF and MoH and raise priority on health financing
- 1st Cohort Countries: 8, 2nd Cohort Countries: 7
- Expanding the role of the Hub beyond training?

Health Works will shape global health beyond 2030 civil society must engage systematically

Mechanisms to Convene and Catalyze Stakeholders, Money and Policy Trends (not functioning as a governance and decision-making bodies?)

Launched by WB, WHO and GoJ (Co-chairs)
- With 15 members (9 countries), 2 CSOs, 2 Philanthropies, 2 int'l orgs)

Health Works Leaders Coalition

Catalytic roles for resource mobilization and political commitments

UHC High Level Forum

Mobilizing political commitments, connecting with key health policy trends

GoJ has hosted 1st and 2nd UHC-HLF
Approx. 400 participants worldwide from diverse sectors (multi-stakeholder)

Health Works: leadership differs across its components

1.5 billion people by 2030	World Bank target
National Health Compacts	World Bank-led; JICA among lenders
UHC Knowledge Hub	Japan-led; finance–health collaboration and capacity building
Private finance, ageing, vaccines and medicines	each partner advances its own priorities

Health Works will shape global health architecture and financing beyond 2030. Civil society needs to understand it and engage systematically.