In pursuit of enhancing social cohesion: innovations in implementation

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Social cohesion through community-based development project

❖ The Project Objective is to identify, pilot, and build capacity for social cohesion mechanisms in CDD approaches

❖ Project Implementation period – 2014-2017

❖ Target areas : Osh and Naryn oblasts

✓ 7 mono-ethnic sub-districts
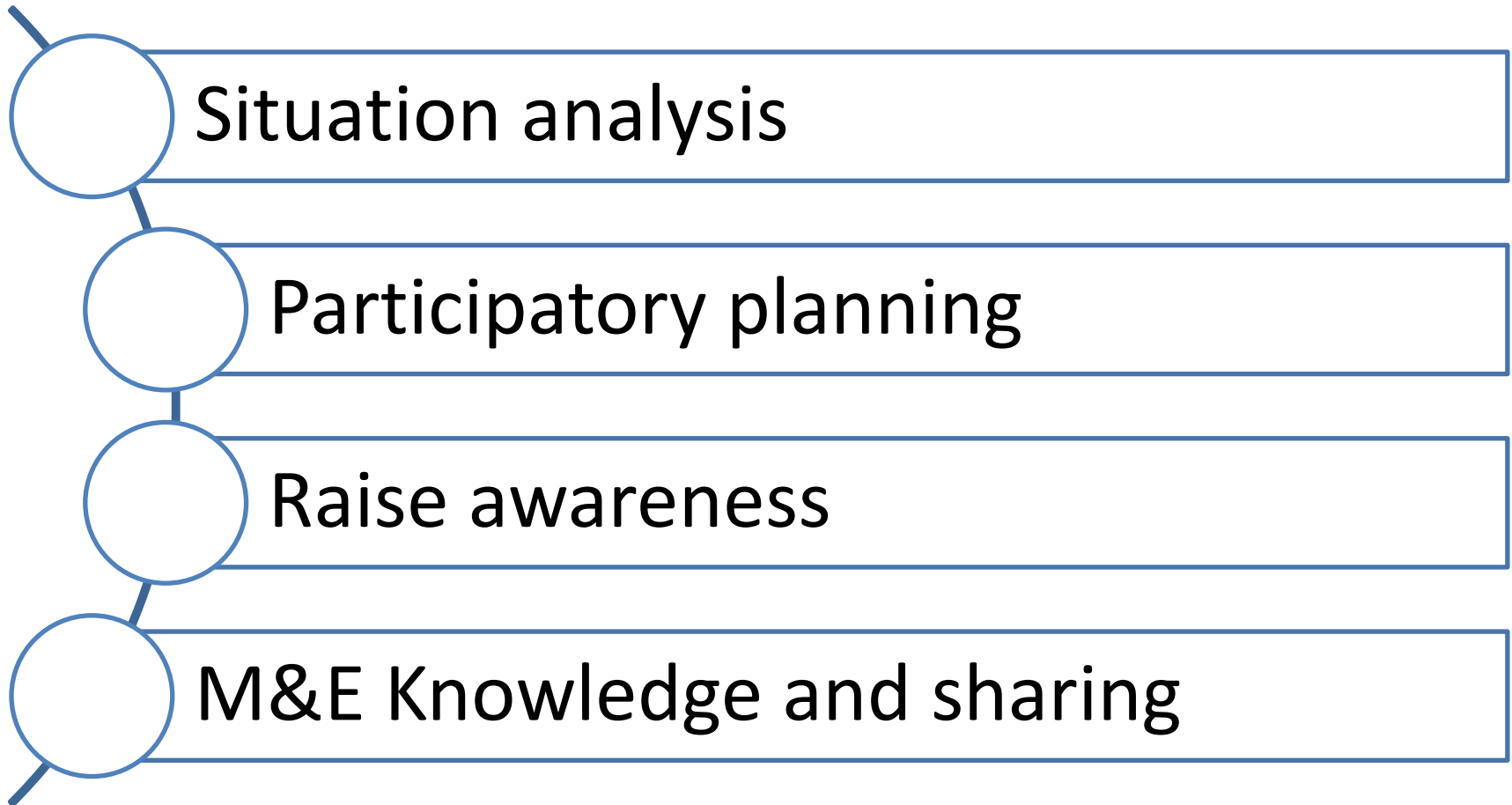
✓ 8 multi-ethnic sub-disricts

CDD and CDD+

- **Community-Driven Development (CDD)** is approach of empowering local decision-making and putting resources under the direct control of community groups.

- **CDD PLUS (+) –** Creating micro community engagement processes within the CDD framework

Project target areas

#	CDD		CDD+	
	District	**Aiyl Aimak**	**District**	**Aiyl Aimak**
1	At-Bashi	Kara-Suu	Ak-Talaa	Kok-Jar
2	Naryn	Ak-Kuduk	Ak-Talaa	Ak-Chiy
3	Aravan	Anarov	Ak-Talaa	Jerge-Tal
4	Aravan	Yusupova	Aravan	Tepe-Korgon
5	Kara-Kulja	Kenesh	Nookat	Kara-Tash
6	Uzgen	Zerger	Kara-Suu	Mady
7	Uzgen	Don-Bulak	Kara-Suu	Otuz-Adyr
8	Uzgen	Karool		

Structure of CDD approach

- Situation analysis
- Participatory planning
- Raise awareness
- M&E Knowledge and sharing

Differences between CDD and CDD +

1. Situation analysis		
	CDD	**CDD+**
1	Consulting stakeholders regarding project priorities and preferred strategies	Point 1, 2 of CDD and also **Forming village Volunteer Groups**
2	Identifying existing social networks comprising of formal leaders to promote enhanced social cohesion and collective action	

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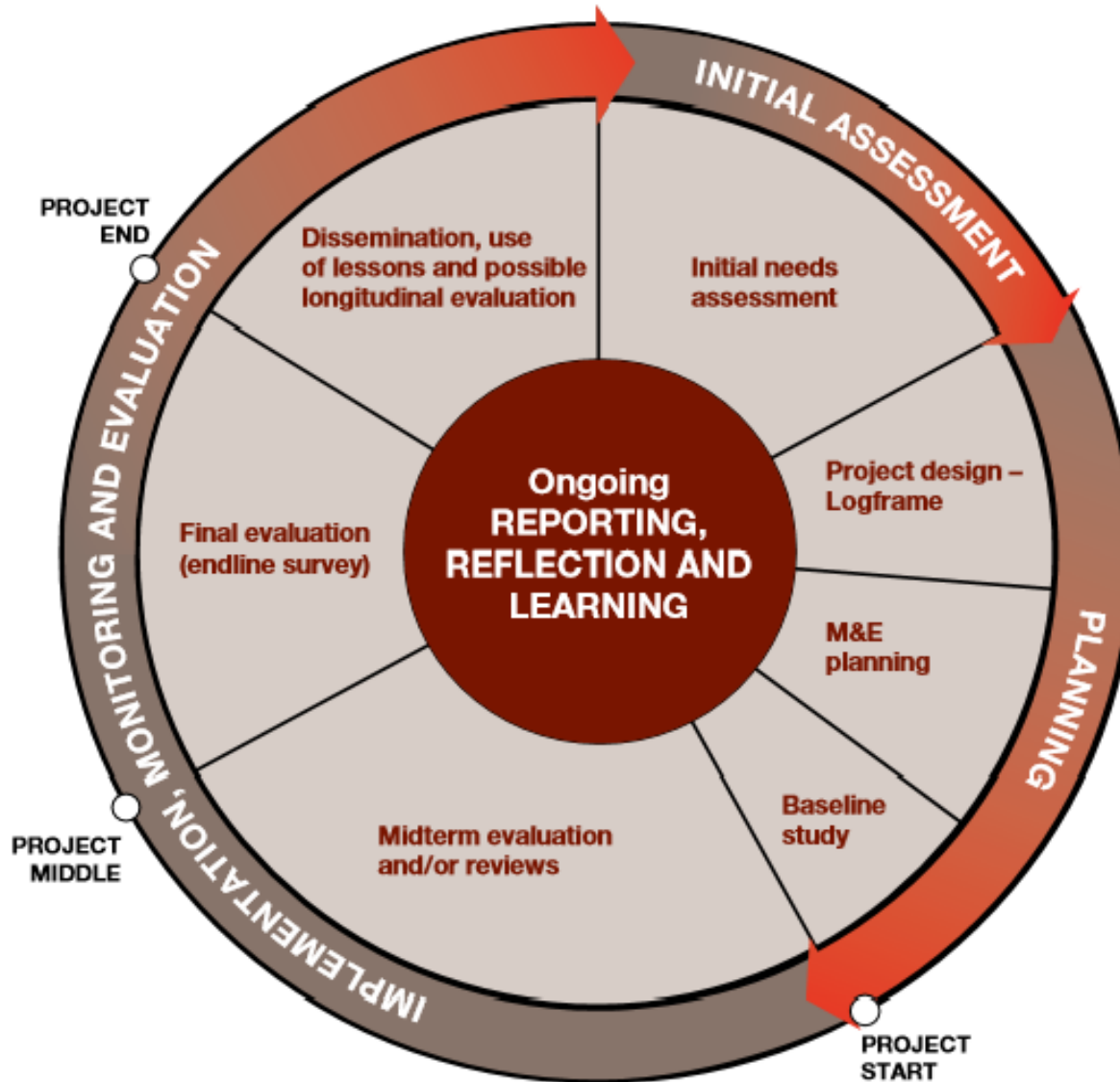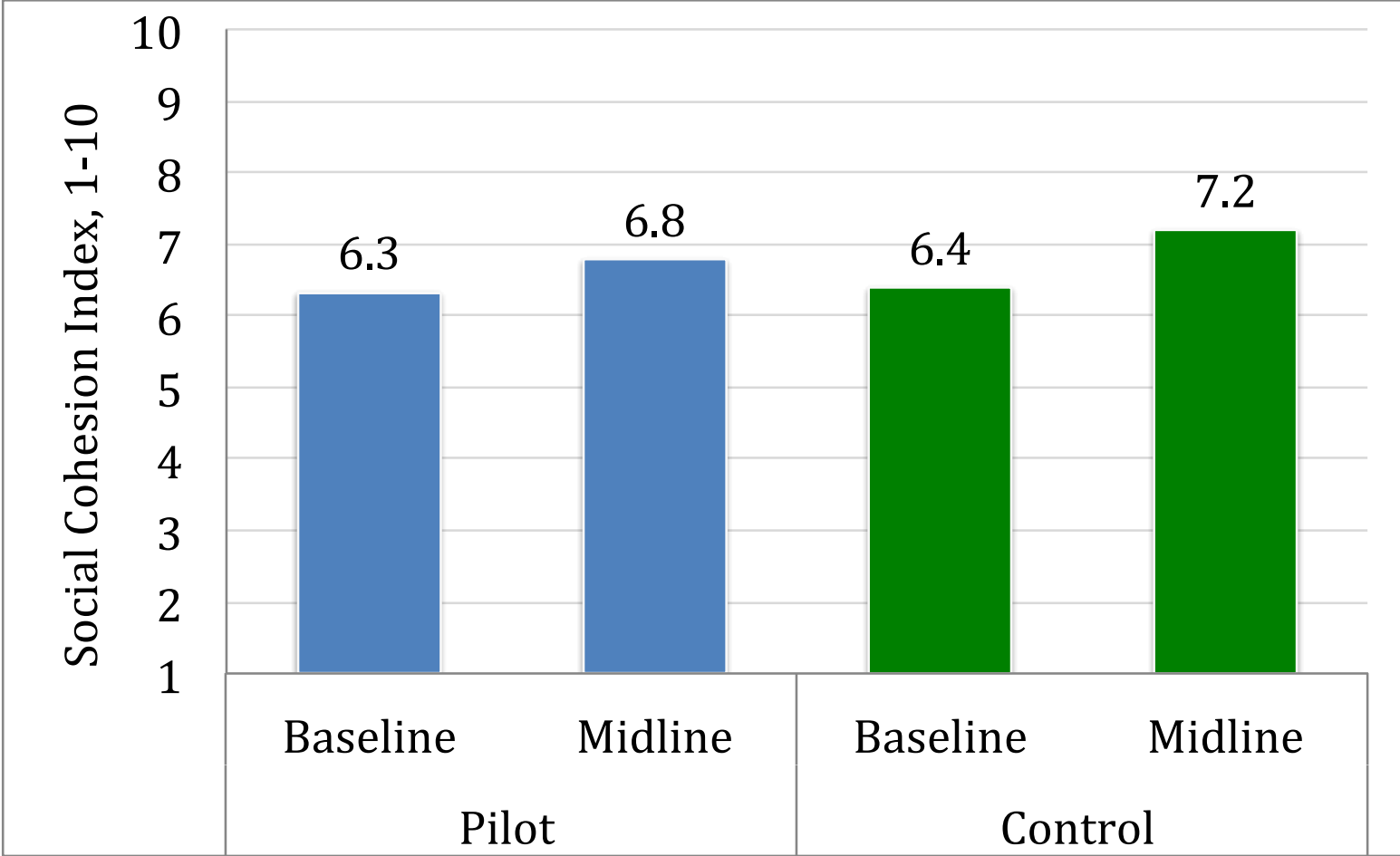| 2. Participatory planning	
CDD	**CDD+**
1 Forming Working groups	Point 1, 2, 3 of CDD and Promoting prioritization of works identified by and for marginalized and minority population in LDS
2 Capacity building of Working Groups members on development of LDS	
3 Facilitating participatory planning activities	

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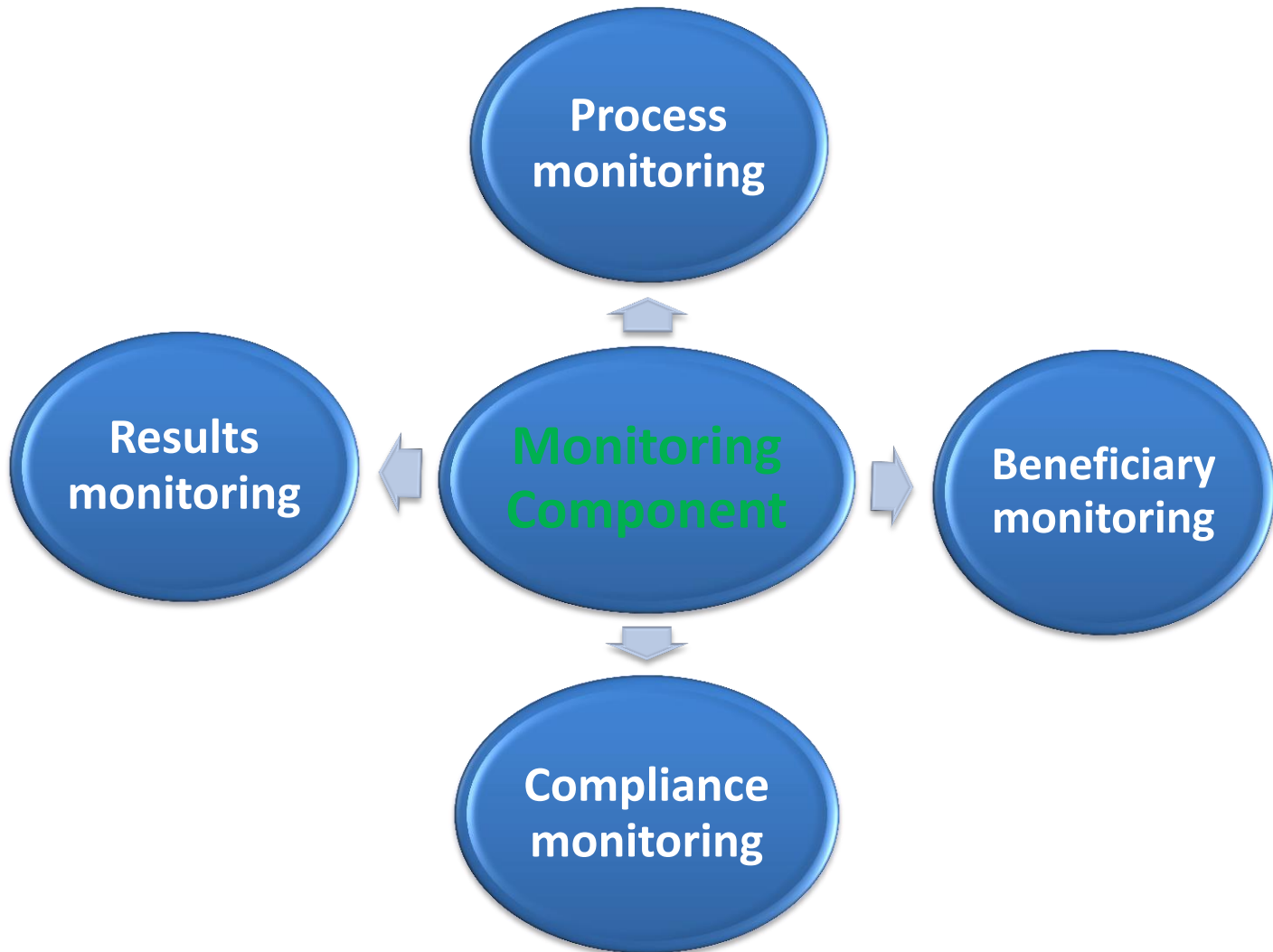|	3. Raise awareness on government's social services projects	
	CDD	**CDD+**
1	Conducting awareness raising programs at: ➢ sub-district level ➢ among stakeholders ➢ among target groups	Point 1of CDD and: Capacity building on conducting social audits of LSG/government schemes
2		Advocacy initiatives

Monitoring and Evaluation of the project

Index at baseline and midline

Type of Monitoring

Outputs of the project within CDD+ component

- 140 volunteers trained on conflict mapping
- 44 youth trained on Forum Theatre methods
- 1 Traffic lights established by community members on the results of Forum Theatre
- 394 people trained on Social Audits
- 8 social audits conducted in CDD+ sub-districts
- 8 Monitoring and Evaluation Groups established in CDD+ sub-districts
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Conclusion

Activities employed within CDD+ has become a powerful tools which contributed greatly to social cohesion among various population groups and improving the relations between various groups

❖Increased involvement of young people in the live of the local community;

❖Reduced number of conflicts between community members and LG;

❖Increased social interaction and integration of vulnerable children and their parents into the community.