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Addressing multiple SDGs to achieve co- benefits for health

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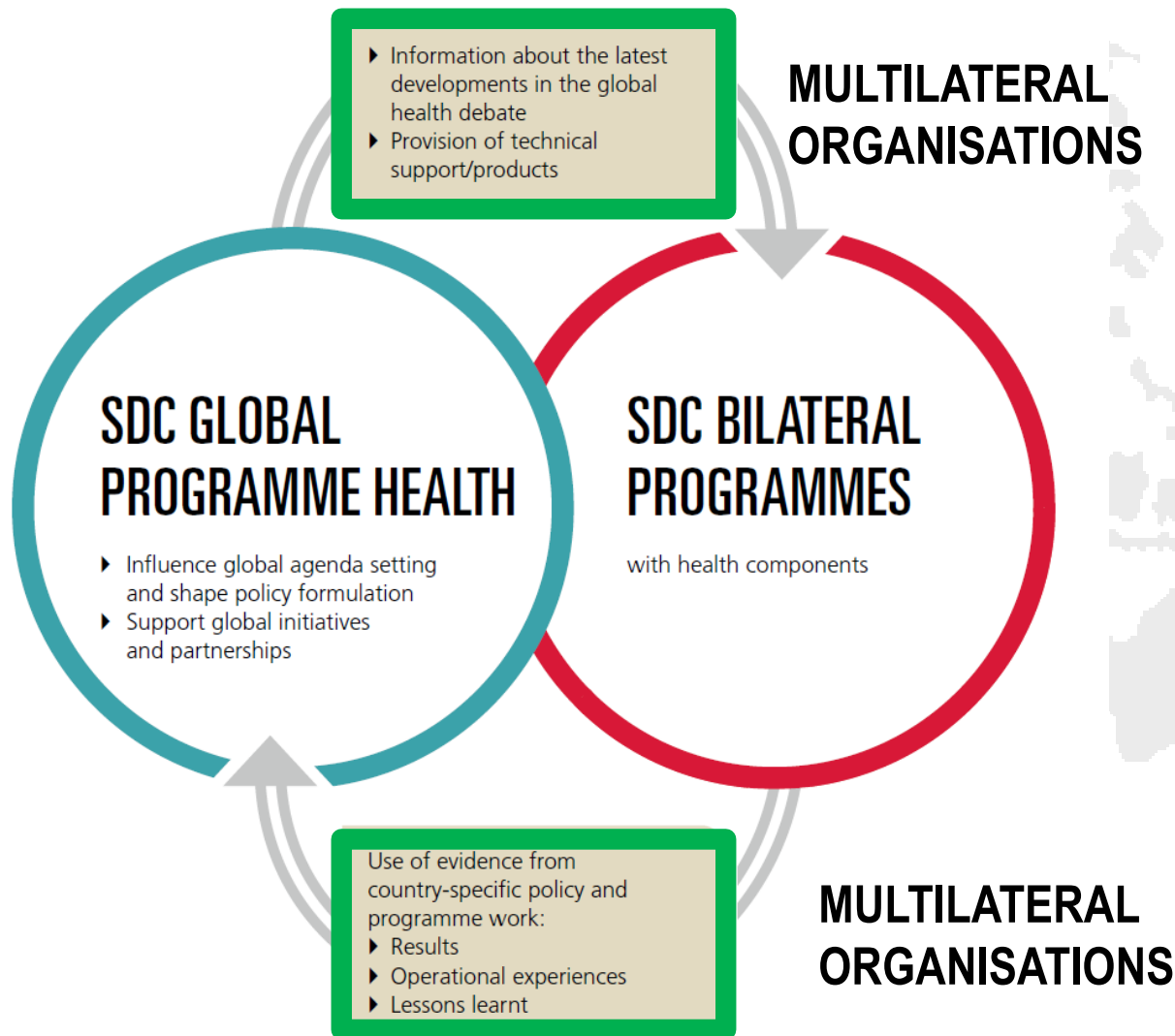
Swiss priorities during the negotiation process of the agenda 2030

- Balanced integration of **social, economic and environmental dimension** of sustainable development
- **Health as a comprehensive goal beyond Universal Health Coverage (UHC)**





SDC's policy instruments to health





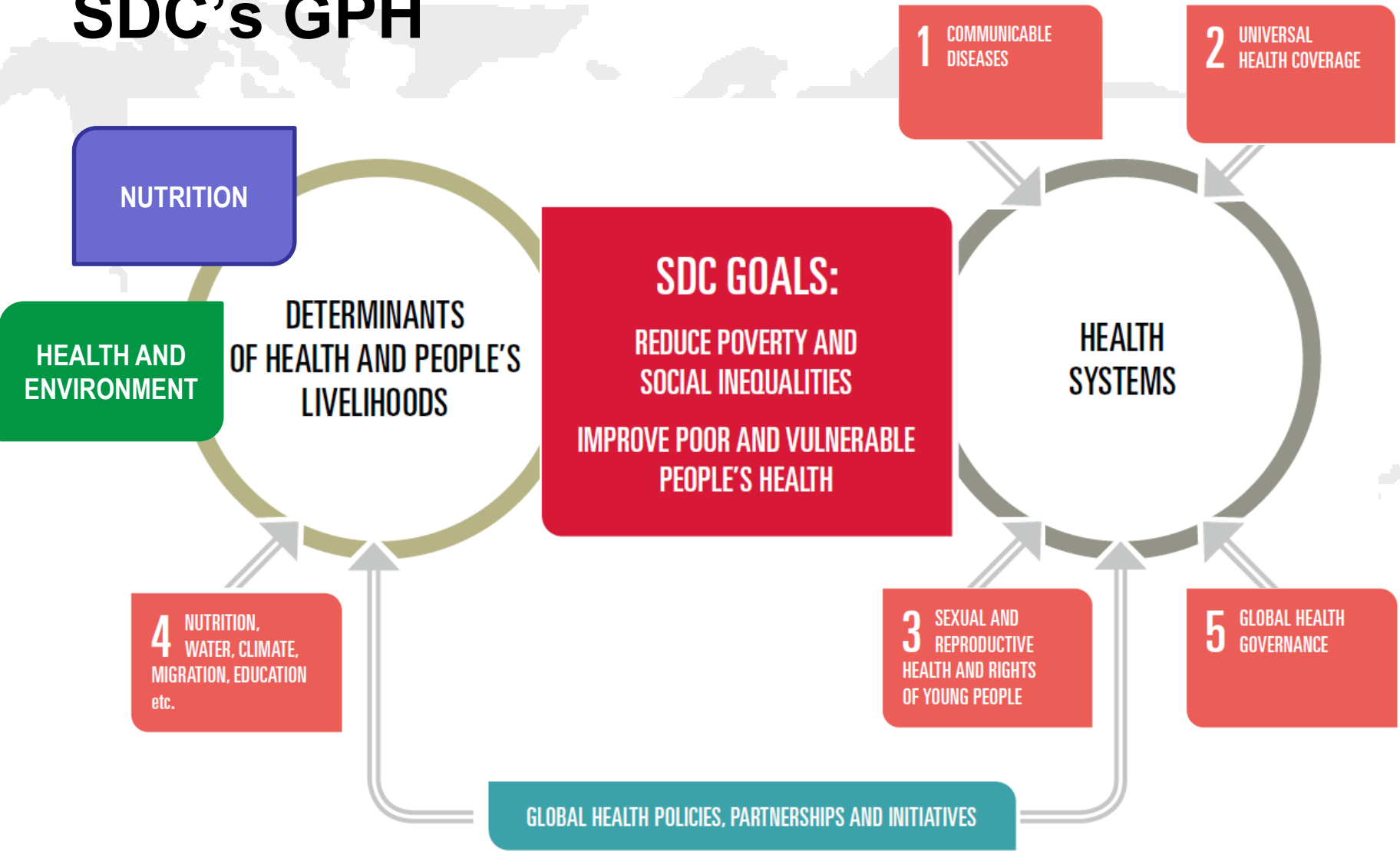
SDC's bilateral programmes

- Integrated approaches to address social, environmental, cultural and systems related determinants of health
- For example in the field of
 - Health promotion and disease prevention
 - Sexual and reproductive health and rights
 - Water, Sanitation and Hygiene
 - Non-Communicable Diseases





SDC's GPH





New SDC project at the nexus of air pollution, climate change and health

Overall goal: Contribution to *a reduction of Green House Gases and co-emissions while contributing to improve people's health based on high-quality climate/air pollution data & services.*

Objectives:

1. Technical assistance on high-quality GHG/co-emission observation systems
2. Technical assistance to generate scientific evidence on the health effects of air pollution as a basis for advocacy for political action



CATCOS GHG and O₃ measurements, Vietnam



Promoting multisectoral approaches

- Promotion of multisectoral collaboration among our partners within and outside the UN system
- Lugano Summer School Course on Multisectoral approaches for health
- Promote inter- and transdisciplinary research through the SDC research programs (i.e. R4D)





Conclusions

- Projects addressing the multifaceted needs of (vulnerable) groups such as health promotion and community based initiatives are very likely to address multiple SDGs
- First collaborations between SDC's Global Programs addressing multiple SDGs
- Promotion of multisectoral approaches at different levels

BUT:

- SDC's programmatic planning and funding is still strongly determined by "siloes" structures and mechanisms



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