

From HSC to HSRC:

Reinforcing our Support to Countries and
Alignment with the Broader Response

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ACT now, ACT together to accelerate the end of the COVID-19 crisis

Dalberg Strategic Review Recommendations on Health Systems and Country Support

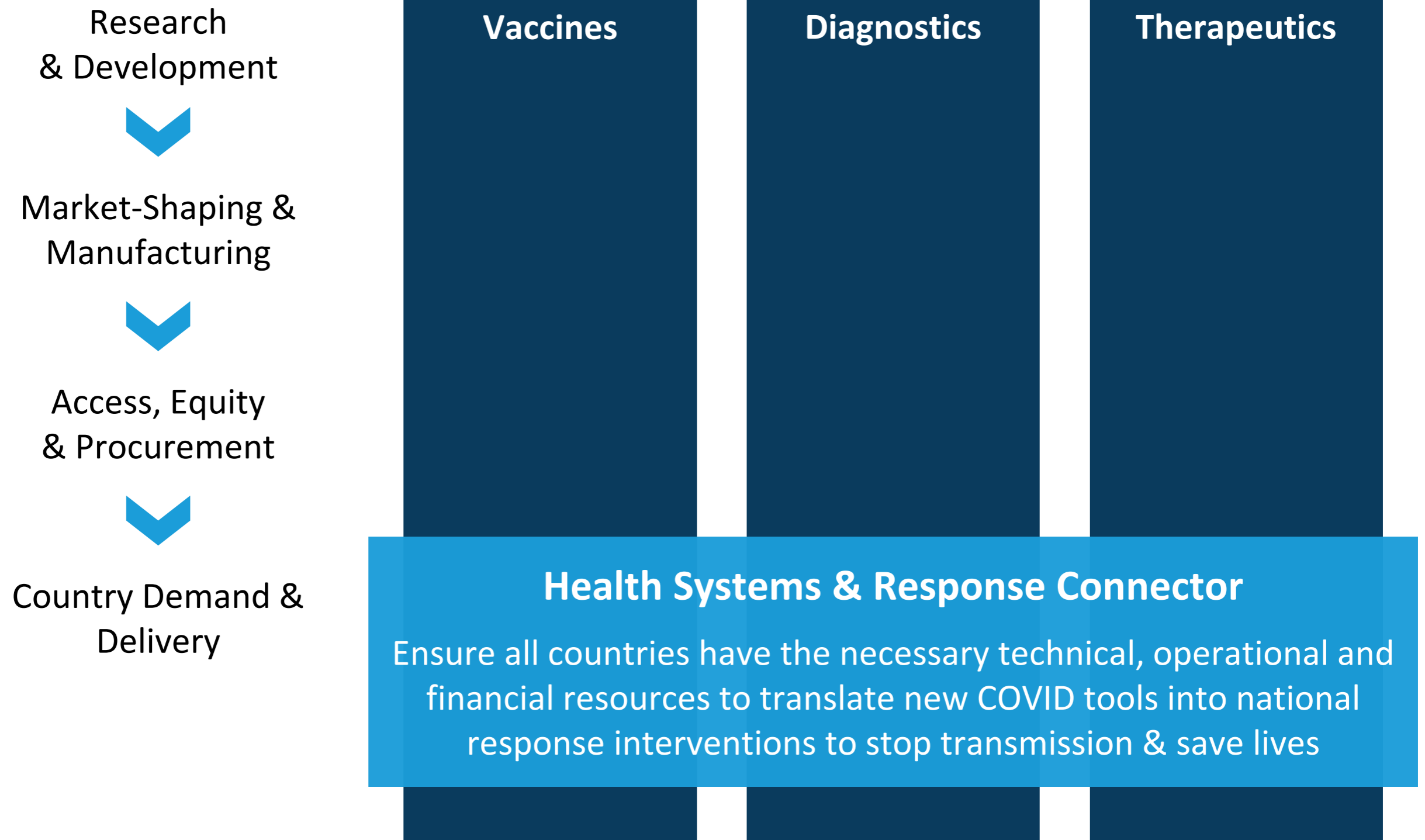
Category	Recommendations
Health systems and country support	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li data-bbox="675 649 2480 825">• In addition to maintaining the urgency and focus on R&D and regulatory efforts, increase strategic emphasis on downstream work; support in-country product uptake and work to close the equity gap for currently available tools <li data-bbox="675 907 2554 1017">• Focus HSC mandate to be more clearly on response and supporting gaps in country readiness and tool uptake not currently covered by the Pillars <li data-bbox="675 1099 2582 1336">• Further link ACT-A to national COVID-19 responses by working with WHE IMSTs at all levels to better connect dynamic country needs with pillar-level strategic planning across the value chain, enabling ACT-A to take a more proactive, country-centred, and demand-driven approach <li data-bbox="675 1418 2464 1528">• Support greater use of concessional finance and other resourcing channels as a complement to grant funding



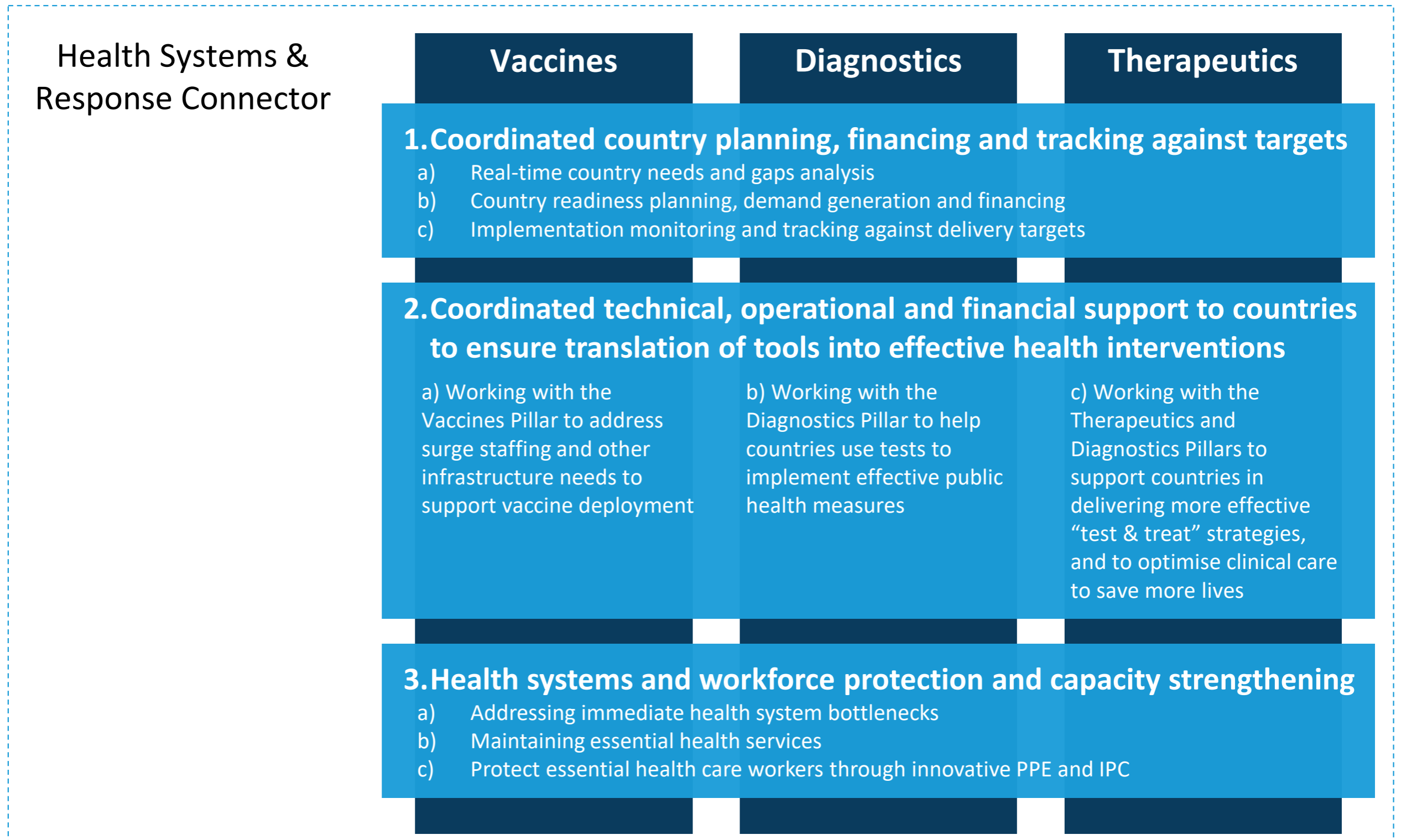
From Health Systems Connector to the Health Systems & Response Connector (HSRC)

- ❖ More responsive to country needs and access gaps
- ❖ Fully incorporate WHE into the Connector to ensure full alignment with SPRP
- ❖ Put greater focus on near-term response imperatives and on coordinating and strengthening support to countries
- ❖ Collaborate with Vx/Tx/Dx Pillars on supporting countries in translating tools into effective interventions
- ❖ Enhance inclusivity including with implementers and civil society organizations
- ❖ Drive activities around response outcomes

Relationship with ACT-A value chain & product pillars



HSRC work-streams





Next steps

- ✓ Finalise submissions to ACT-A Strategy & Budget
- ✓ Flesh out details of workstream leadership, composition and deliverables
- Engage with all stakeholders to map existing activities and develop joint workplan
 - Core partners
 - WHO IMST & health systems
 - Global Fund
 - World Bank/GFF
 - UNICEF
 - Vx/Dx/Tx Pillars
 - Other initiatives/organizations supporting country delivery
 - Civil society
 - Multilateral taskforce
- Launch COVID Health Systems Readiness & Response Tracking app to monitor country needs, gaps and delivery against targets
- Conduct joint engagement (WHO/WB/TGF/UNICEF) with national response authorities to update/consolidate country needs, gaps and resource requirements

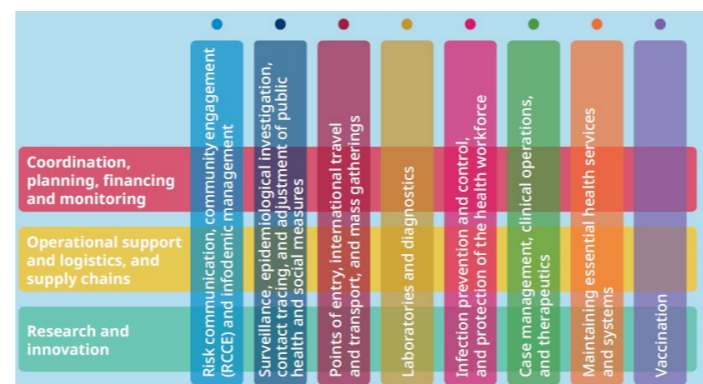
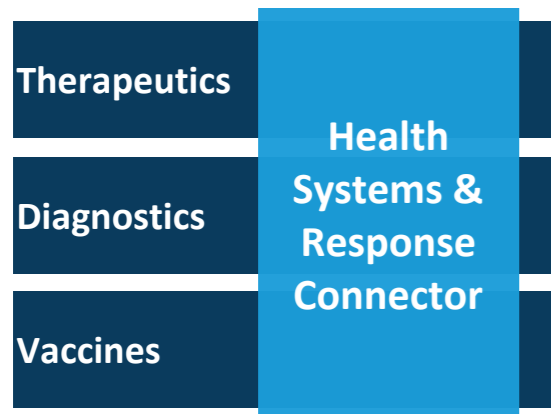
✓ Done ● On-going ● Planned

HSRC Work-Stream 1: Coordinated country planning, financing and tracking against targets

Accelerated access to new tools



National health systems readiness & response



SAVE LIVES & STOP TRANSMISSION

Supply

- Research & Development
- Market-Shaping & Manufacturing
- Access, Equity & Procurement

Demand

- Surge of health workforce & capacity building
- Access to essential supplies & scale-up of operational support
- Alignment of domestic, concessional and grant financing to address funding gaps
- Adaption of national policy to address evolving epidemiology and new innovations

Delivery

- 70% vaccination coverage
- 100 tests per 100K pop/day
- 120 Mn cases treated
- 2.7 Mn Health Workers protected