

Diabetes: a case study on strengthening health care for people with chronic diseases Lessons learnt from National Diabetes Plans



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...aims to inspire those readers, who see that the situation in healthcare could be improved and who are willing to take a part in the change...It could also be used for example as a background material for leading workshops at critical moments when strengthening of the implementation or the sustainability of existing plans is needed, or when new plans are under development and the major challenge is seen in how a written plan should result in actual implementation.



Topics and processes that should be adressed

Examples:

The NDP includes approaches to identify high-risk individuals/groups and interventions aimed at reducing and minimising risk among these. There are strategies to identify high-risk individuals, to prevent/delay diabetes among high-risk individuals, to identify high-risk community groups, to prevent/delay diabetes in high-risk community groups, to identify high-risk individuals/groups at workplaces and to prevent/delay diabetes at workplaces.

The NDP has a strategy for early diagnosis of type 2 diabetes.

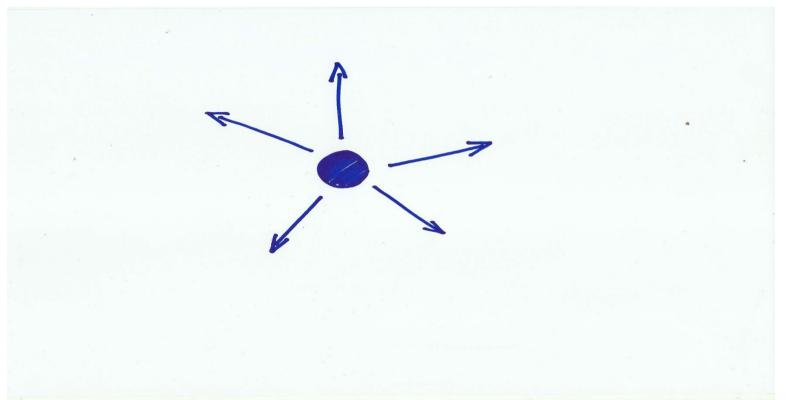


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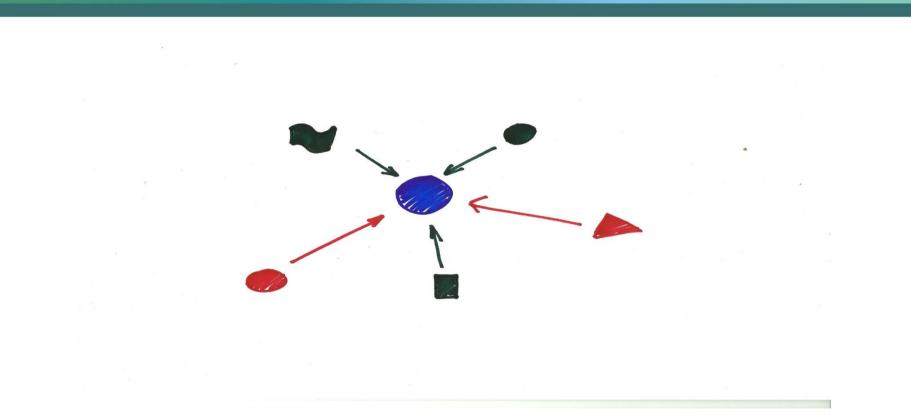
accepting the responsibility to create conditions that enable others to achieve shared purpose

in the face of uncertainty. (Ganz, 2008)

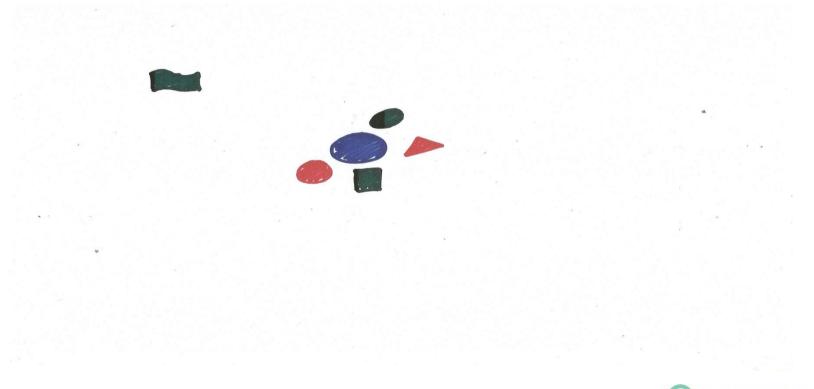




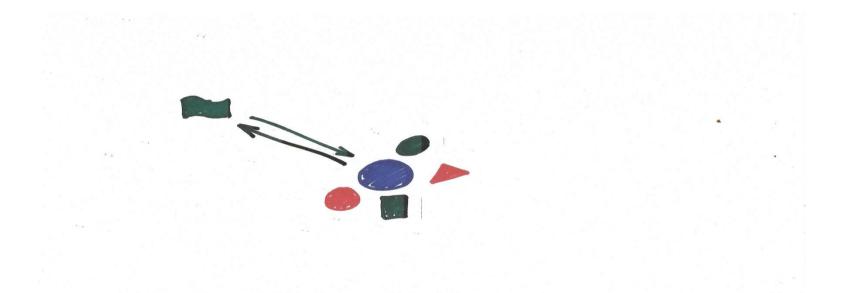




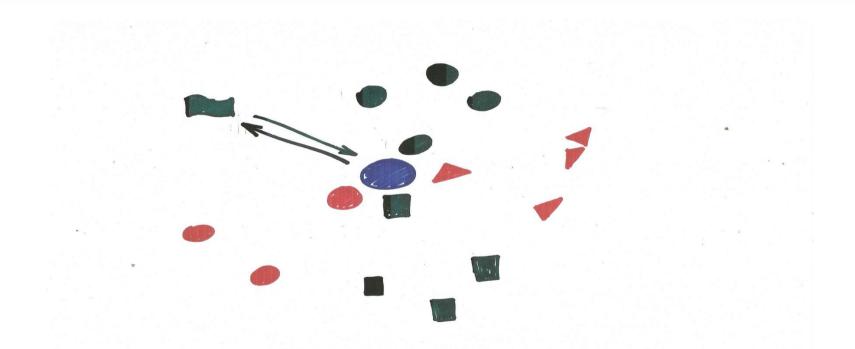




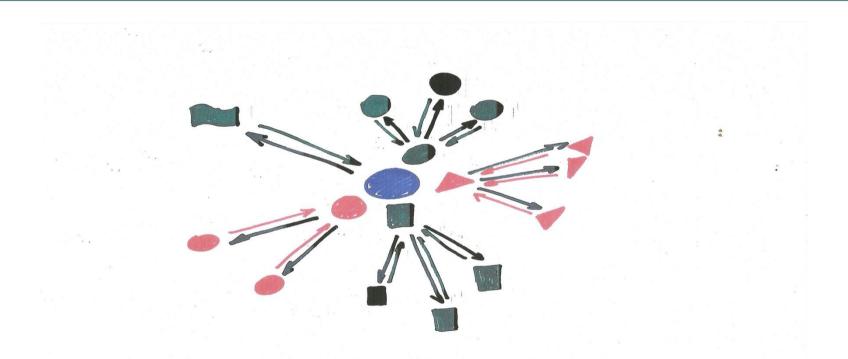




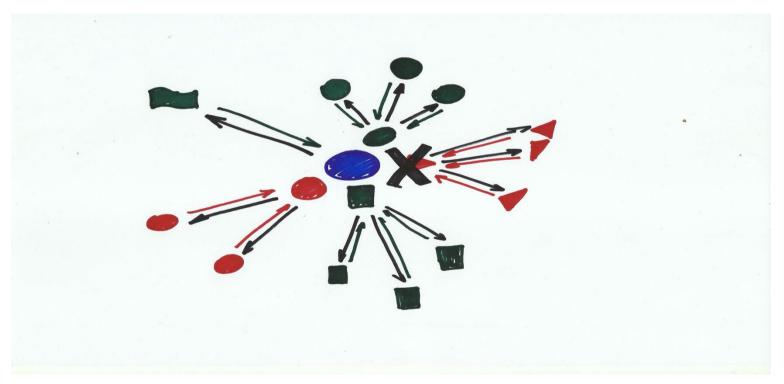




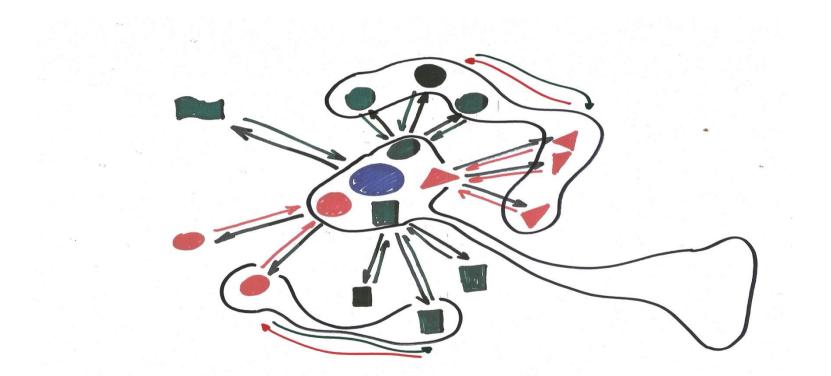




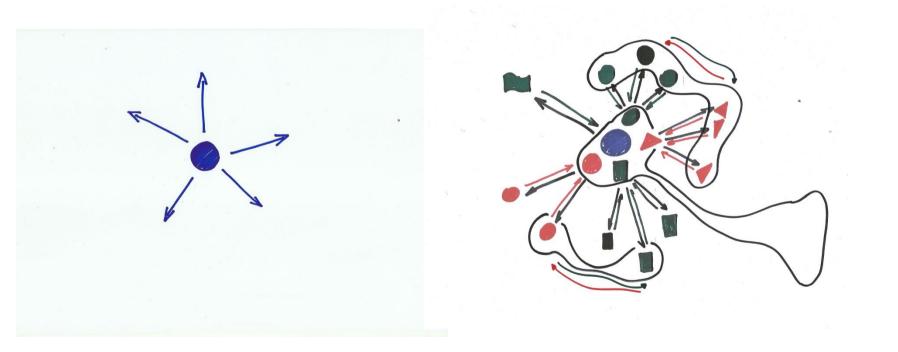






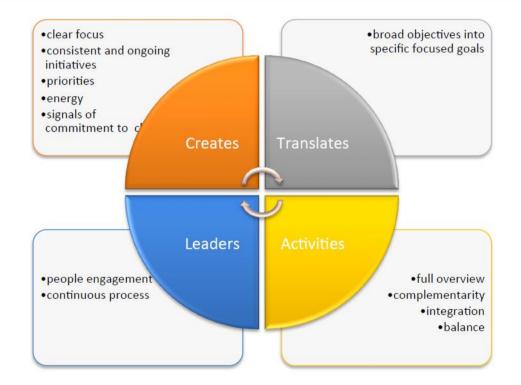








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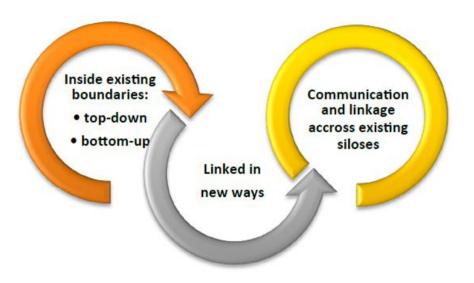


Bottom-up





Leadership for linkage





Plan organisational design and structure

Examples:

An appropriately constituted steering committee or task group (i.e. involving partners like government authorities, patients' representatives, specialists and primary care healthcare professionals and other relevant national health organisations) prepares and oversees the implementation of the Plan. Voices of vulnerable groups are represented. The responsibilities of the partners are defined.

There is an evaluation strategy of the Plan, with processes for continuous improvement in place. Successes are defined and celebrated; failures are taken as signs to learn to find another way. Failures are not punished. If gaps are identified in the process, the www.chelog.



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