# Victim Assistance
# National Stakeholders Dialogue

## Embedding Victim Assistance into Broader Development and Reconstruction Policies and Programmes

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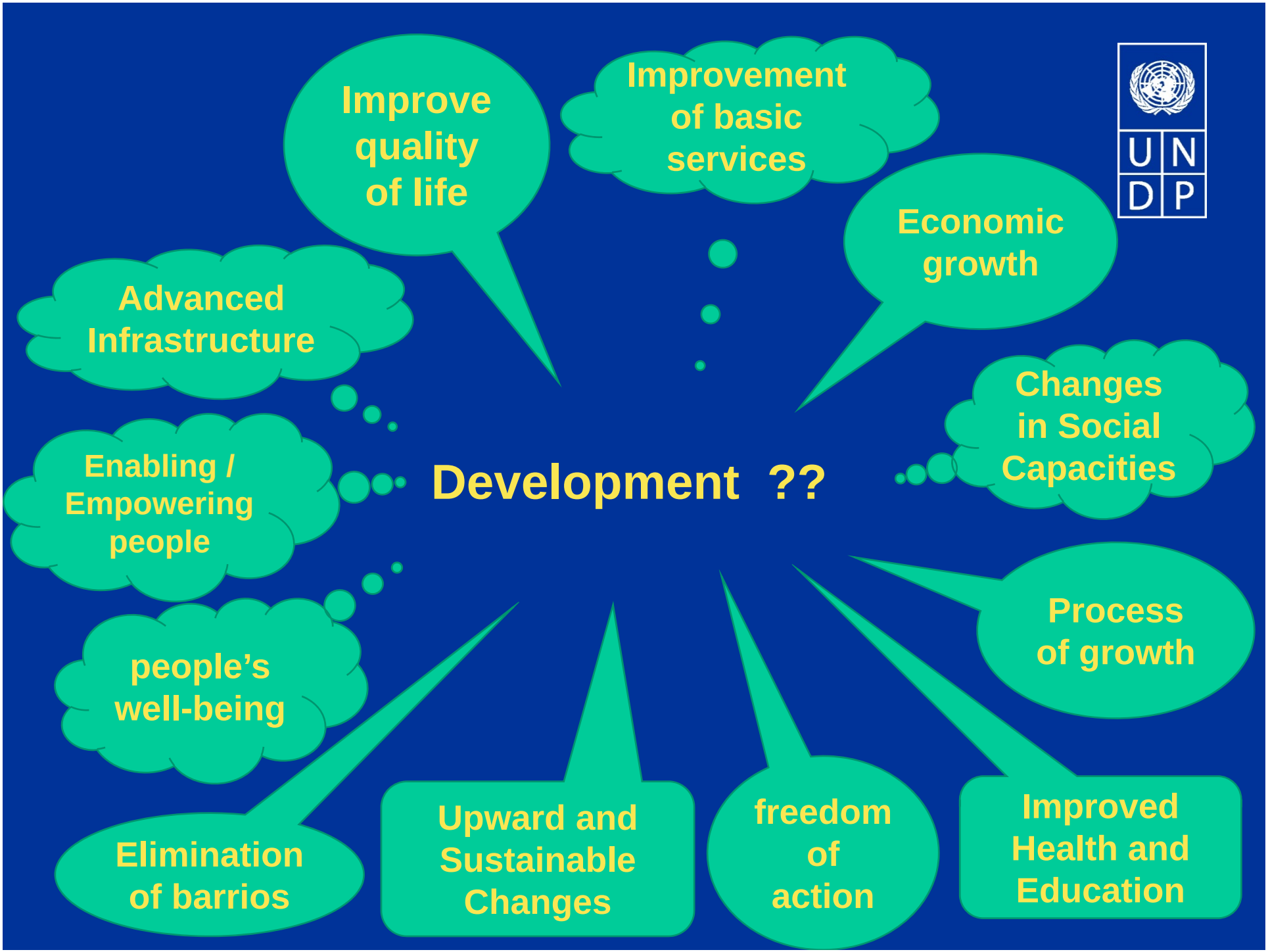
Improve quality of life
Improvement of basic services
Economic growth
Advanced Infrastructure
Changes in Social Capacities
Enabling / Empowering people
Development ??
Process of growth
people's well-being
Elimination of barrios
Upward and Sustainable Changes
freedom of action
Improved Health and Education
UNDP

# National and Regional Legal Frameworks Relevant to VA/PwDs:

- Social Security Law (1980).
- Iraqi Constitution,  Law # 38 on the Care of Persons with Disabilities and Special Needs (2005).
- Law to Compensate Victims of Military Operations and Terrorist Attacks from 2003 Onwards (2009).
- Constitution of the Kurdistan Region and Law # 22 on the Rights and Privileges of Persons with Disabilities and Those with Special Needs (2009).
- Iraq singed CRPD (Law # 32 of Iraqi Constitution – 2012)
- Social Protection Law (2014).

# Opportunities for Mainstreaming VA/PwD into Broader Development

- Iraq National Development Plan 2018 – 2022 *( under human and social development )*
- Iraq Reconstruction and Development Framework *(MoP & World Bank – 2018)*
- E-Governance (New Cabin)
- National Strategic and Executive Plan for Mine Action 2017-2021 *(UNMAS).*
- CRPD - stresses provision of means for persons with disabilities to live a decent life and promote their reintegration into society.
- Sustainable Development Goals *(i.e. Poverty reduction)*

# Opportunities for Mainstreaming VA/PwD into Broader Development (intra-UNDP)

- Stabilization Programme (ICRRP)
- Energy and Environment Programme
- Government and Reconciliation Programme
- Economic Diversification Programme

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- KRI Comprehensive VA/PwD services (1998-2013)
- Support to IDPs  (ISIS War - 2014) – Referral System
- Local Area Development Programme (SEAP, PDS).

# A Victim's Journey Through the Victim Assistance System

## FAP

Life saving measures
Referral
Out-patient follow-up
Training

## Emergency Hospital

Surgical treatment
Burn treatment
Eye treatment
Spinal treatment
Reconstructive surgery

## PLC/Rehab

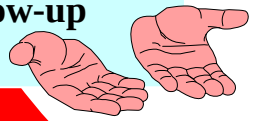
Orthopedic devices
Professional re-training
Education/illiteracy
Physical rehabilitation
Home adaptation
Psycho-social supports
Psychological rehab

## Community Integration

Income Generation
Psychosocial Support

## Satellite PLC

Referral
Out-patient follow-up



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**Thank you very much for listening**

**Any Question ?**