



Shelter Cluster Somalia
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Coordinating Humanitarian Shelter



Clusters

Purpose and Structure

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This Presentation

Will:

Explain why the Global Cluster system exists

Explain what Clusters & Coordinators should do

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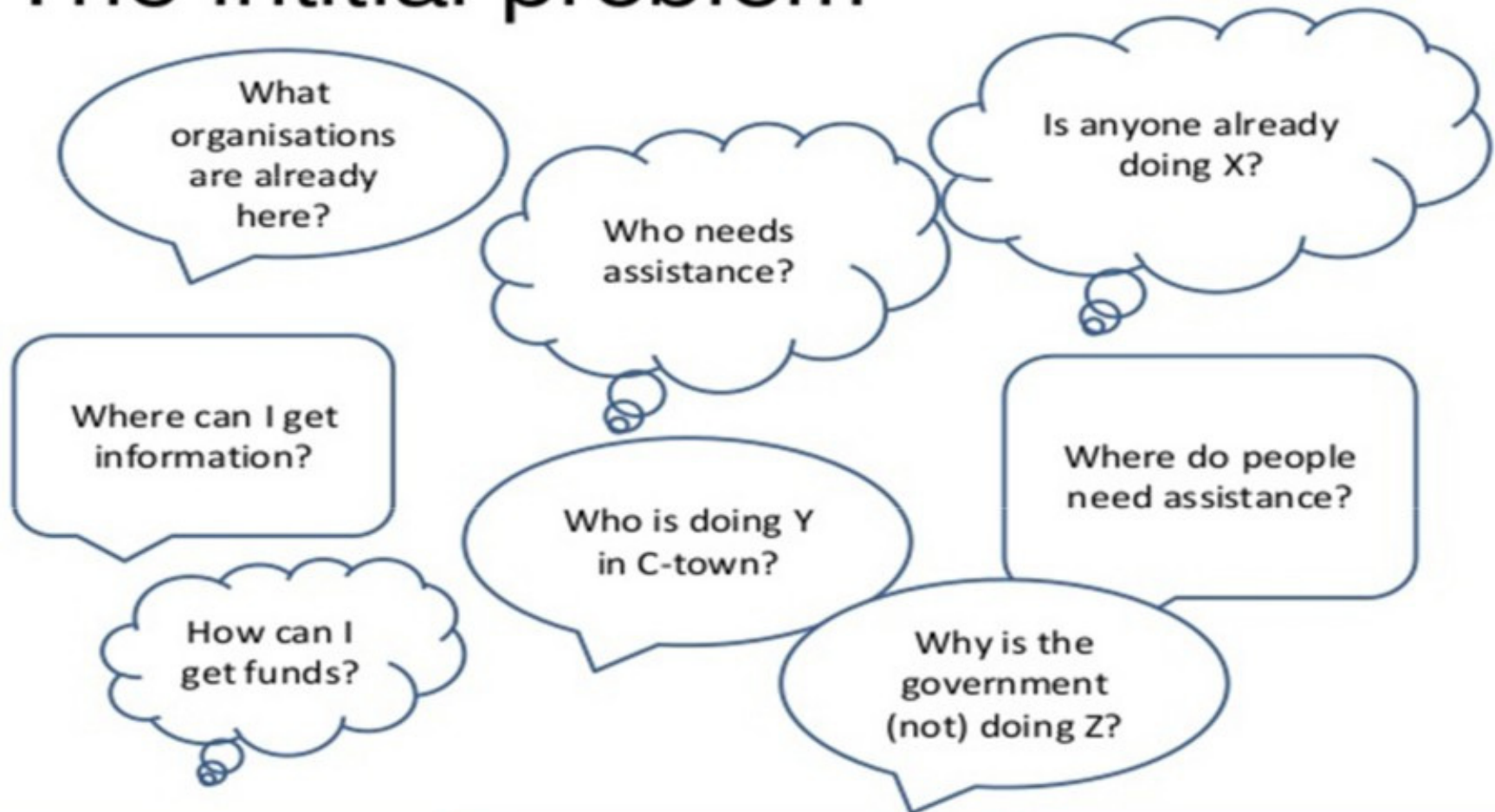
What the Somalia Protection Cluster (PC) is

What the PC should look like in 2014



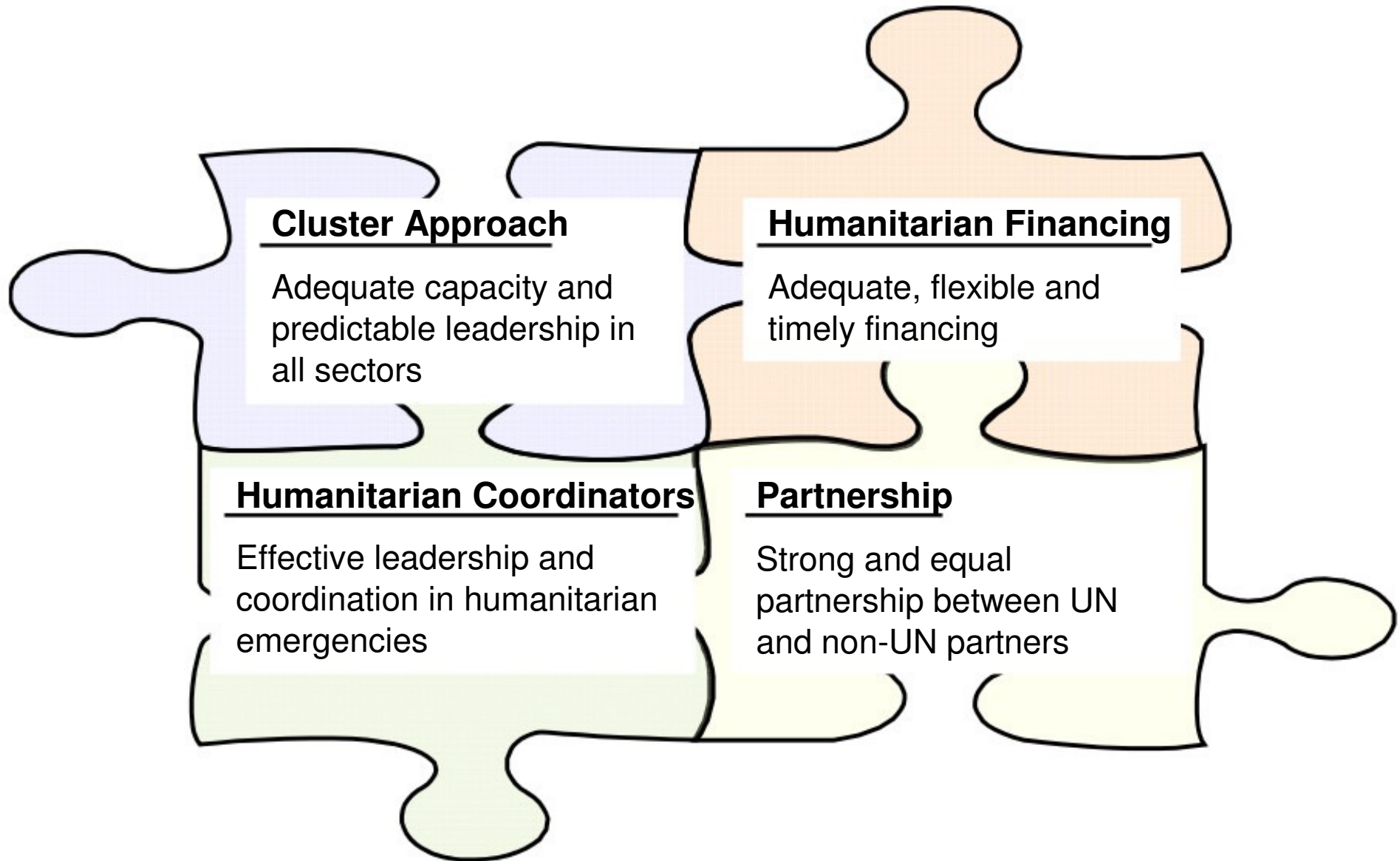
Genesis of Humanitarian Reform

The initial problem





Humanitarian Reform



Reasons for Clusters

- ✓ achieving more strategic responses
- ✓ improving effectiveness of humanitarian action
- ✓ allocating resources more efficiently
- ✓ knowing what to expect from each stakeholder,
- ✓ holding those responsible for humanitarian action
- ✓ providing predictability
- ✓ improving transparency
- ✓ provider of last resort

Provider of Last Resort????

Only if:

- Subject to access;
- Security; and
- Availability of funding (HC & ERC)

What Cluster Coordinators do?

- ✓ **Manage the Coordination Process;**
- ✓ **Manage Information content and flow;**
- ✓ **Report;**
- ✓ **Assess and Monitor Needs;**
- ✓ **Advocate;**
- ✓ **Facilitate Strategic Development;**
- ✓ **Analyse;**
- ✓ **Provide Terms of Reference;**
- ✓ **Ensure Civil Military Coordination and Cooperation;**
- ✓ **Establish and Maintain sub-national ;**
- ✓ **Build Capacity;**
- ✓ **Mobilise Resources; and**
- ✓ **Manage Meetings.**



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Global Clusters



Area of Activity

Camp Coordination/Management

Early Recovery

Education

Emergency Shelter

Emergency Telecommunications

Food Security (frm. Agriculture)

Health

Logistics

Nutrition

Protection

Water, Sanitation, and Hygiene

Cluster Lead

UNHCR (conflict)

IOM (natural disasters)

UNDP

UNICEF/Save the C.

UNHCR (conflict)

IFRC (natural disasters)

OCHA/UNICEF/WFP

FAO & WFP

WHO

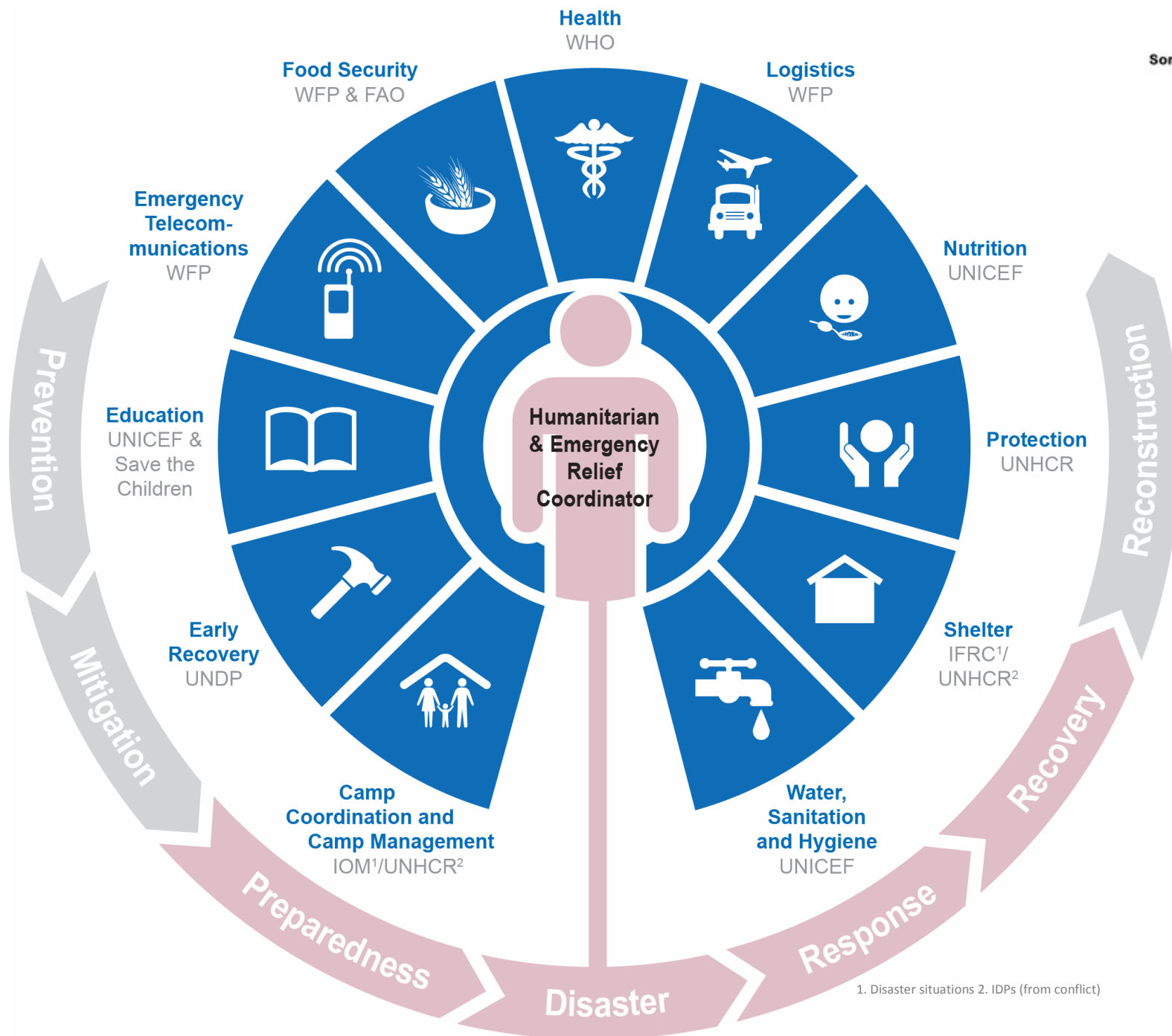
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UNICEF

UNHCR (conflict)

UNHCR/OHCHR/UNICEF (IDPs
from disasters and civilians other than
IDPs affected by conflict)

UNICEF



1. Disaster situations 2. IDPs (from conflict)

Somalia Cluster System

Clusters

Education

Emergency Shelter/NFIs

Food Security

Health

Logistics (defunct)

Nutrition

Protection

WASH

Cluster Leads and Co-Coordiators

UNICEF & Save the Children

UNHCR & UNHABITAT

WFP & FAO

WHO & Merlin

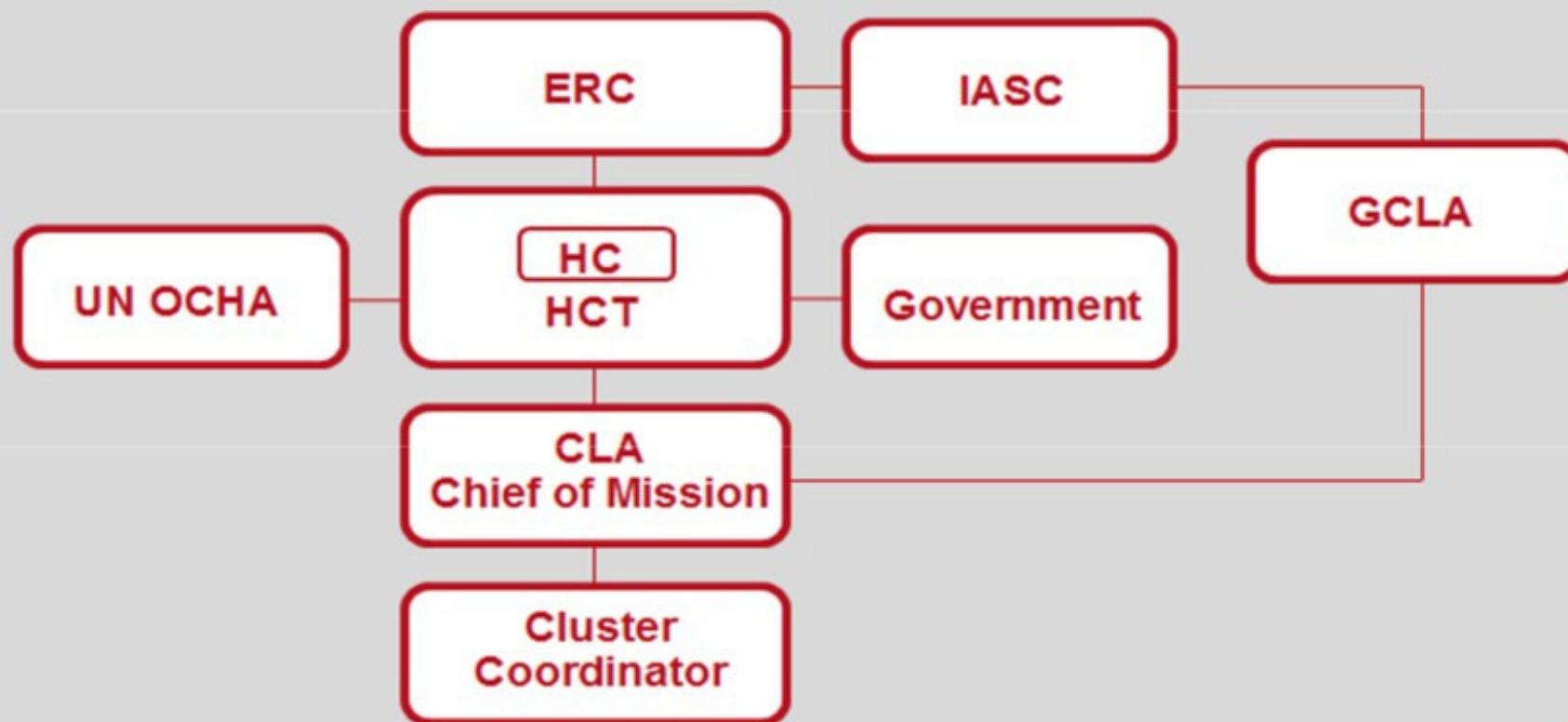
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UNICEF

UNHCR & DRC

UNICEF & OXFAM GB

Coordination Architecture in the Cluster Approach



ERC
(G)CLA
HC
HCT
IASC
UN OCHA

Emergency Relief Coordinator
(Global) Cluster Lead Agency
Humanitarian Coordinator
Humanitarian Country Team
Inter-Agency Standing Committee
Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs

RC / HC

OCHA

Humanitarian Country Team

NGO Country
Representative

UN / International Organization
Head of Agency / Country Representative

Country Representative /
Head of Cluster Lead Agency

OCHA

Inter-Cluster Coordination Team

Cluster
Coordinator

Cluster
Coordinator

Cluster
Coordinator

Cluster
Coordinator

Clusters

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Cluster Members

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Cross-Cutting Issues

Summary

Reasons for Clusters

- ✓ Support service delivery
- ✓ Strategic development
- ✓ Advocacy
- ✓ Monitoring & Reporting
- ✓ Contingency planning / preparedness
- ✓ Capacity building