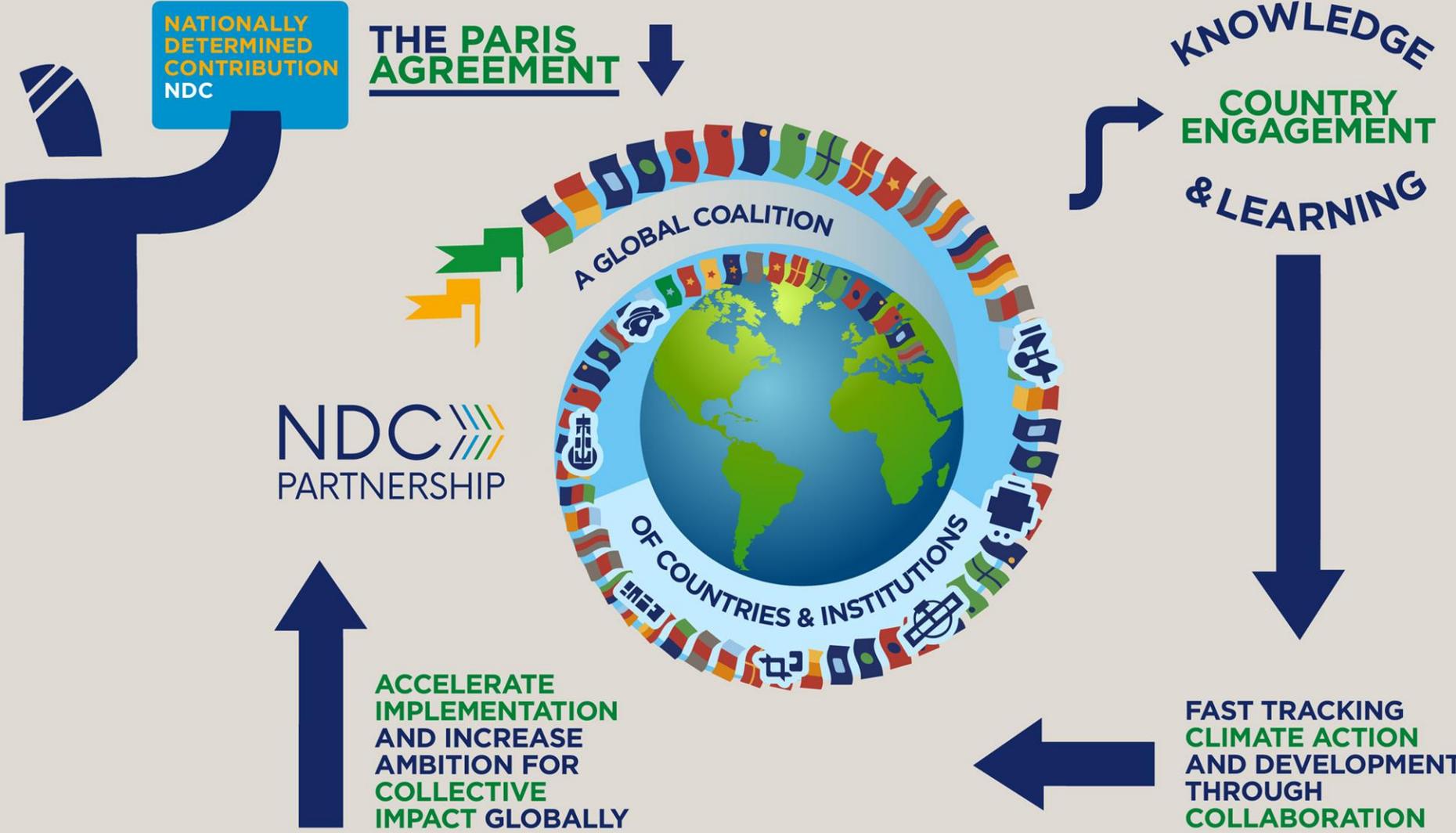


# CLIMATE, HEALTH AND INCLUSIVE GROWTH IN THE CONTEXT OF PANDEMIC RECOVERY

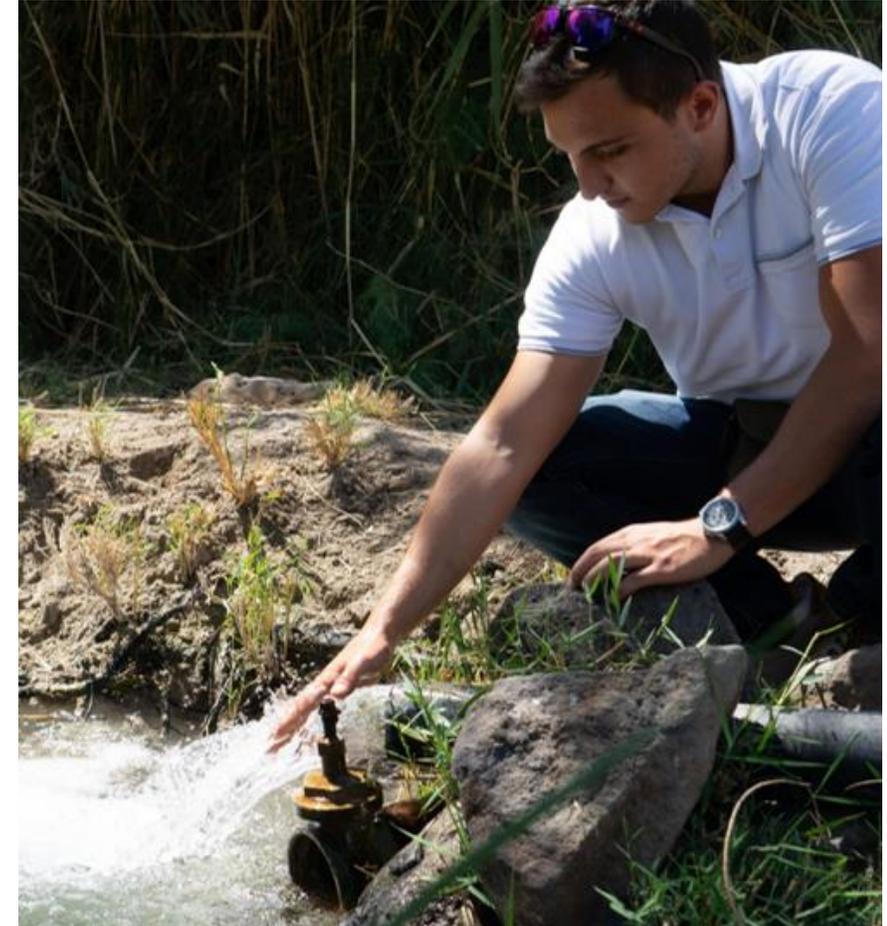
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# LESSONS LEARNT FROM THE NDC PARTNERSHIP

## ON INCLUSIVE GROWTH

- **51 countries** are working/intend to work with the Partnership on Inclusive Growth questions
- Some have developed ambitious and transformative green growth strategy.
- Inclusive growth is an important topic for NDC enhancement. This shows that countries aim to:
  - Broaden the involvement of sectoral ministries in climate action,
  - Accelerate the mainstreaming of climate in their general policies,
  - Consider all side-benefits of climate action.
- Specific social issues are often addressed through more general policies or actions, e.g.: gender policies, engagement of the private sector.



# LESSONS LEARNT FROM THE NDC PARTNERSHIP

## ON HEALTH

- **21 countries** have submitted health related requests to the NDCP – number of them came in the CAEP process
- **13 countries** include substantive health-related actions
- A limited number of countries include health in their climate ambitions
- For some countries, the inclusion of health is a result of measures aiming at mainstreaming climate into different sectors
- Others have included action such as collection of data, assessments, campaigns and other details measures (see for instance, Mozambique, Pakistan, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, Uganda)
- The nexus between climate change – health – inclusive growth is considered only by a few countries (Burkina Faso, Jordan, Mozambique, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, Uganda)

# CONCLUSION: KEY FINDINGS FROM THE COVID CRISIS

## AN OPPORTUNITY TO “BUILD BACK BETTER”?

- The crisis represents some important risks for climate action:
  - Reduction of climate spending,
  - Timeline for updated/revised NDCs at risk,
  - Technical assistance urgently needed.
- However, NDCs can support countries:
  - Strengthen the links between health and climate, and increase the resilience of their health systems,
  - Use NDCs as pillars for economic recovery plans that are aligned with the Paris Agreement Goals,
  - Ensure that no one is left behind.
- Governments are considering NDCs within their stimulus plans,
- Countries show a strong eagerness to learn from each other.



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