

The Global Health Network,

**Creating strong and fair global and local partnerships for knowledge transfer and
Strengthening research capacity**

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Global Research Inequity

Health research methods evolving fast

A global majority could get left even further behind and miss out

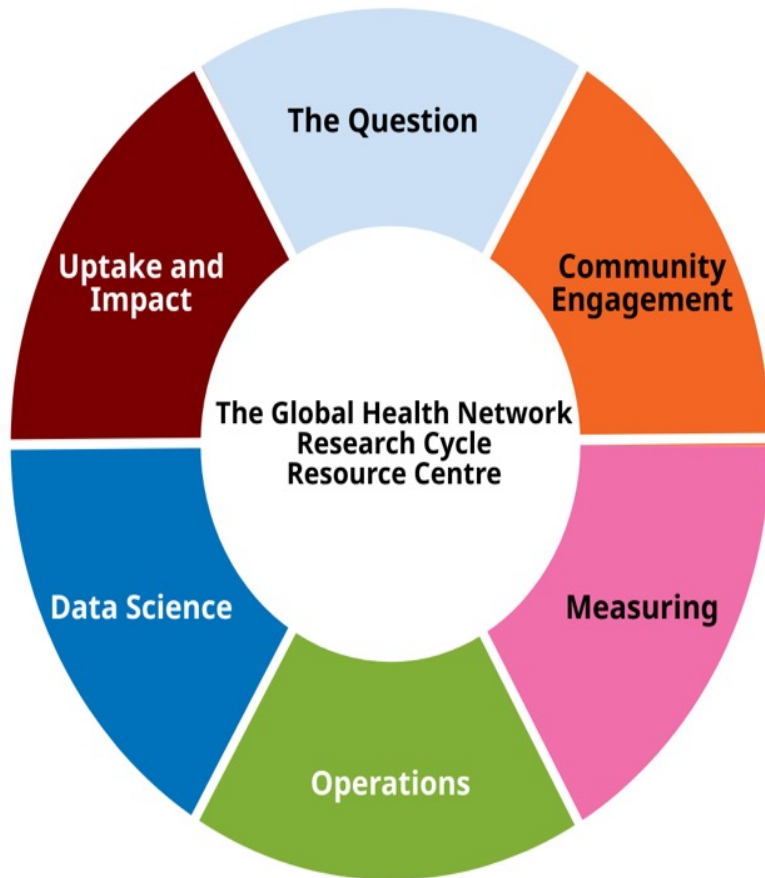
Too few studies are undertaken in the Global South – the 90:10 Gap persists

Of those, too few are led by local researchers and are not tackling local priorities

Old norms of capacity building
and most investments
focus on one disease, product or protocol
... and gather data for others



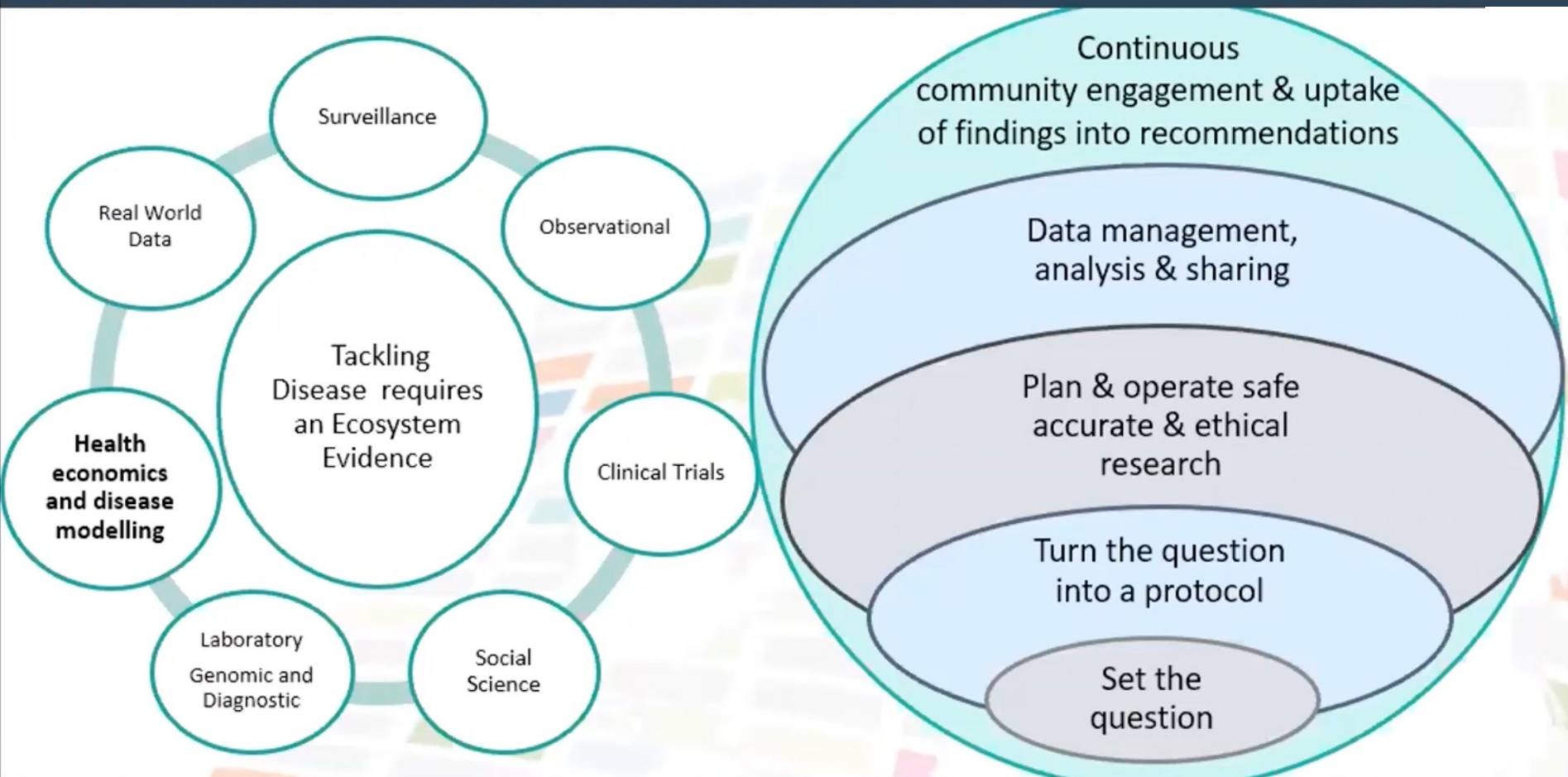
Need for all types of evidence



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- **To solve any health challenge we need a connected research ecosystem of local evidence to understand the burden of disease, community perception, laboratory data etc.**
- **The required skills and methods don't vary across diseases; the research cycle can be taught at scale and is vital for hubs to respond to a new threat and pivot to sites where there are enough cases.**

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To spot and stop an outbreak active research capabilities need to be in place.

Fortunately, the required steps and processes not differ between diseases or type of research.

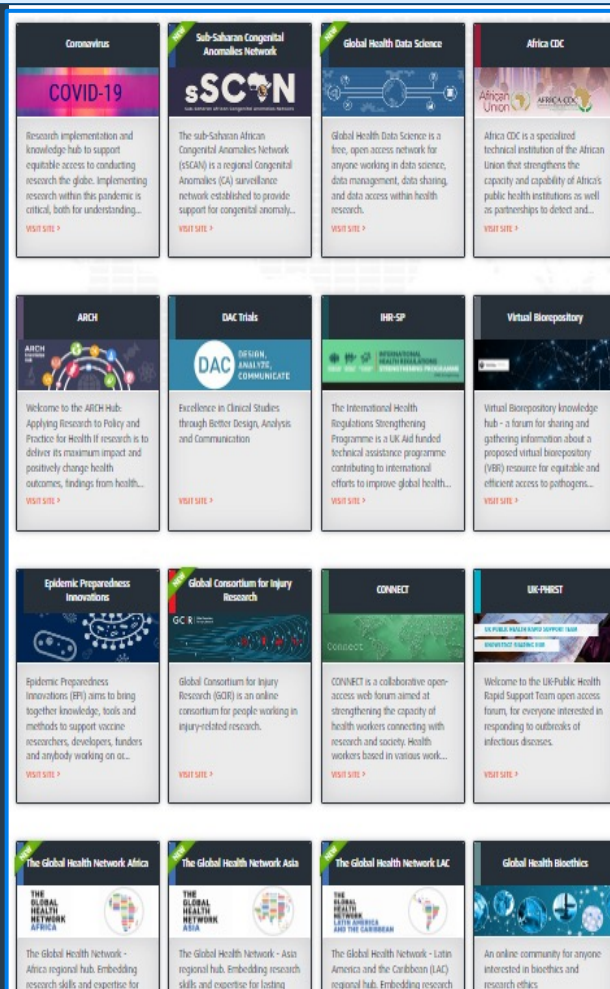
(Hence why older approaches have failed)

Connected ecosystem of research - embedded into healthcare systems

A Vast Community of Practice Actively Connecting Research Organisation and Networks with Research Teams, Policy Makers and Health Care Workers

Knowledge Hubs for Communities of Practice

- Facilitating knowledge mobilization and connecting excellence
- Areas for partners to work and share documents, processes, progress. Allowing networks to thrive.
- Connecting research organizations networks and programmes with each other and with researchers, healthcare providers and policy makers.
- Webinar and virtual workshops. Resources, methods and toolkits



This knowledge mobilisation works as the barriers and knowledge don't differ between diseases

- Education and tacit learning
- Professional Development for researchers
- 56.7 Million page views globally
- 500,000+ documents shared
- Standards raised by providing access to tools, methods and how-to
- Delivering **equity** in access to knowledge

Global Networking

Taking mechanisms for knowledge mobilisation, capacity building & connecting excellence to scale

Supporting the whole ecosystem for health research: embedding research in every healthcare setting

Research Systems into health systems

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The Global Health Network - Latin America and the Caribbean (LAC) regional hub. Embedding research skills and expertise for lasting capability is important for the future of LMIC-led research.

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Working within existing networks with partner organisations to create country hubs & regional coordination centers

Dedicated teams to deliver activities to share expertise beyond centers of excellence, to support lasting, leading and internationally competitive research teams.

The Global Health Network is designated as a WHO collaborating centre for supporting health research in every health care setting

THE GLOBAL HEALTH NETWORK ASIA



Vision:

Building research capacity on health research and data science for promoting leadership in Asia

- ✓ Knowledge Mobilisation
- ✓ Connecting existing excellence
- ✓ Raising standards & Uptake



**The Global Health Network Conference,
Cape Town**



Establishment of TGHN Asia country network



Bangabandhu Sheikh
Mujib Medical
University, Bangladesh



Nepal Public Health
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Shaukat Khanum
Memorial Cancer
Hospital and
Research Centres,
Pakistan



Extending network in 10 Asian countries



Sri Lanka



India



Vietnam



Thailand



Philippines



Indonesia



Palestine





Officially launching of TGHN Nepal on
14 June 2023



Professor Trudie Lang, Head of The Global Health Network at Oxford University, delivering her remarks

Launching of Global Health Network Nepal Center



Our distinguished guests on the dias



Group photo at the opening session

The Global Health Network Nepal Centre, Estd: 15 June, 2023



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Enabling research systems in health systems



SDG3 HEALTH

New evidence generated and implemented in communities



SDG5 GENDER EQUITY

Women in health research and women as research leaders



SDG10 REDUCED INEQUALITIES

Equity in where research happens, who leads and who benefits



Structure of TGHN

The
Global
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Network
Nepal



Organization

A Coordination Committee 7-9 members Representing

- Government/ NHRC
- Academia Civil Society
- Organization
- Professional Organization

Sub-committee

3-5 Members Representing specialties

- Communicable Diseases
- Non Communicable Diseases
- Mental Health Reproductive Health
- Geriatric Health
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Next Steps

- Consultative meeting – August, 2023
- Formation of coordinating committee and Advisory committee for TGHN center.
- Health Research Club – an informal gathering for idea sharing
- Research capacity building through Training, workshops, and implementation of research. TGHN online courses.
- Data Science center.
- Development of pathfinder project proposals for bidding for global research fund through consortiums.
- Networking of academia, government and communities.
- Policy Dialogue based on research evidence.

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Thank You

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25th November 2022