

*A strategic approach to
protection
(in relation to duty-bearer stakeholders)*

Humanitarian protection workshop

DG ECHO Protection Training

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Action in humanitarian protection

Action towards the duty-bearer stakeholders:

- *Substitution*
- *Support*
- *Persuasion/Mobilization*
- *Denunciation*

Protection activities, according to objectives and term

- **Responsive activities**
 - Stop, prevent, alleviate the worst effects of violations and patterns of abuse.
 - Immediate and urgent, targeting specific groups/persons.
- **Remedial activities**
 - Restore dignity in the aftermath of violations.
 - Support people living with the effects of violations.
 - Can be preventive of secondary abuse.
- **Environment-Building activities**
 - Create an environment that allows full respect of rights.
 - Deep change in attitudes, policies, values, beliefs.
 - Prevention and long-term transformation of causes.

Strategic mapping of protection responses

*Substi
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Support

*Persua-
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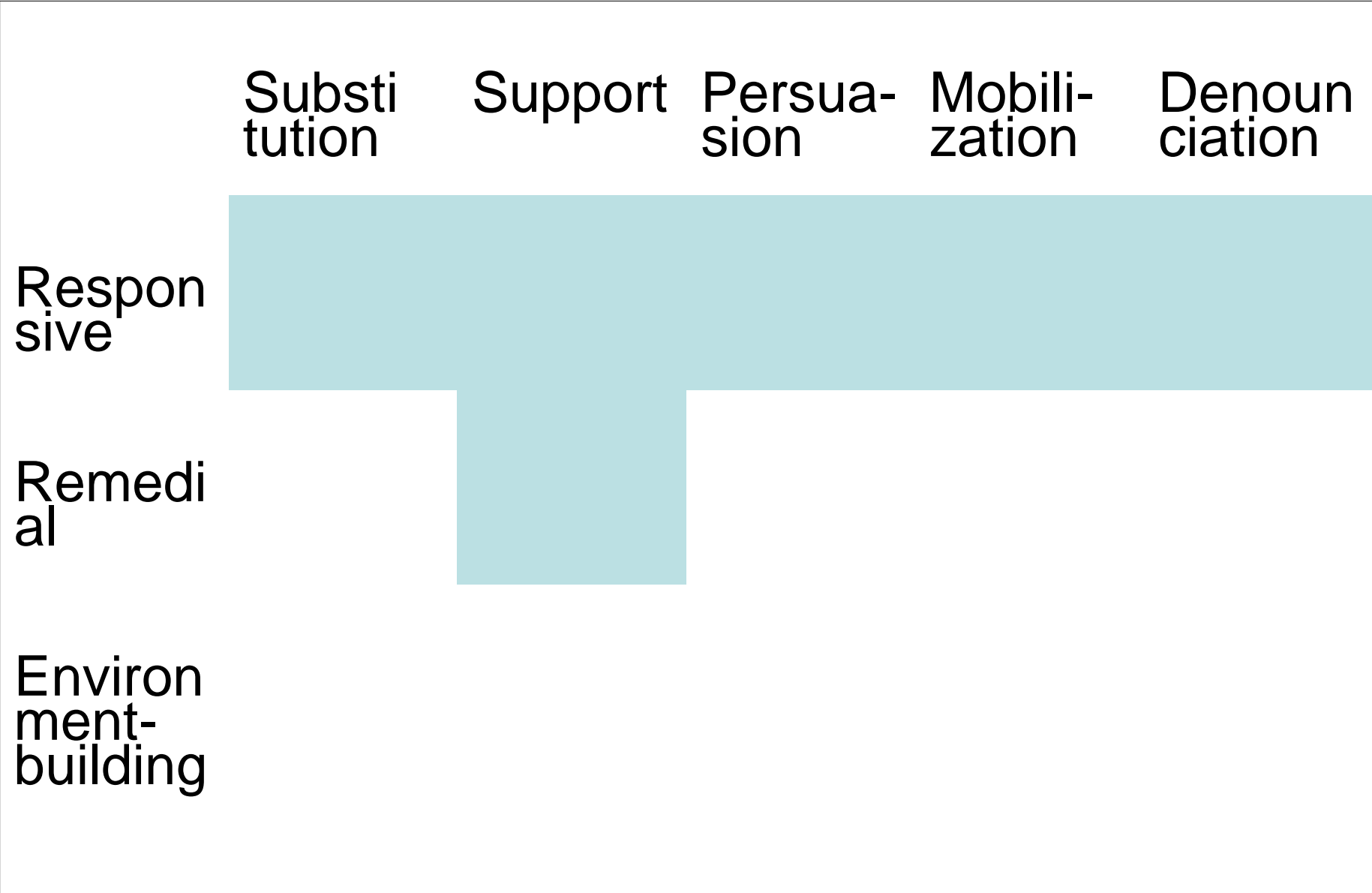
An acute protection crisis starts

	Substi- tution	Support	Persua- sion	Mobili- zation	Denoun- ciation
Res- ponsive					
Remedi- al					
Environ- ment building					

Advanced responses

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Remedi al					
Environ ment- building					

Protracted crisis with no adequate response by duty-bearer stakeholders



Complementarity in protection (ICRC)

- *A concerted effort*
- *Their different mandates, expertise, resources and networks*
- *Identified protection needs and desired outcomes for threatened populations*
- ***Diversity and cooperation***
- *Joint effort versus single agency work (CLUSTER)*
- *Efficiency*

EXERCISE

SAME GROUP // SAME SCENARIO

TASK:

- Make assumptions on the projects your partners may be implementing
- Map those projects in the matrix
- Map the capacity and the will of the duty-bearer stakeholders (+ other humanitarian actors if time)