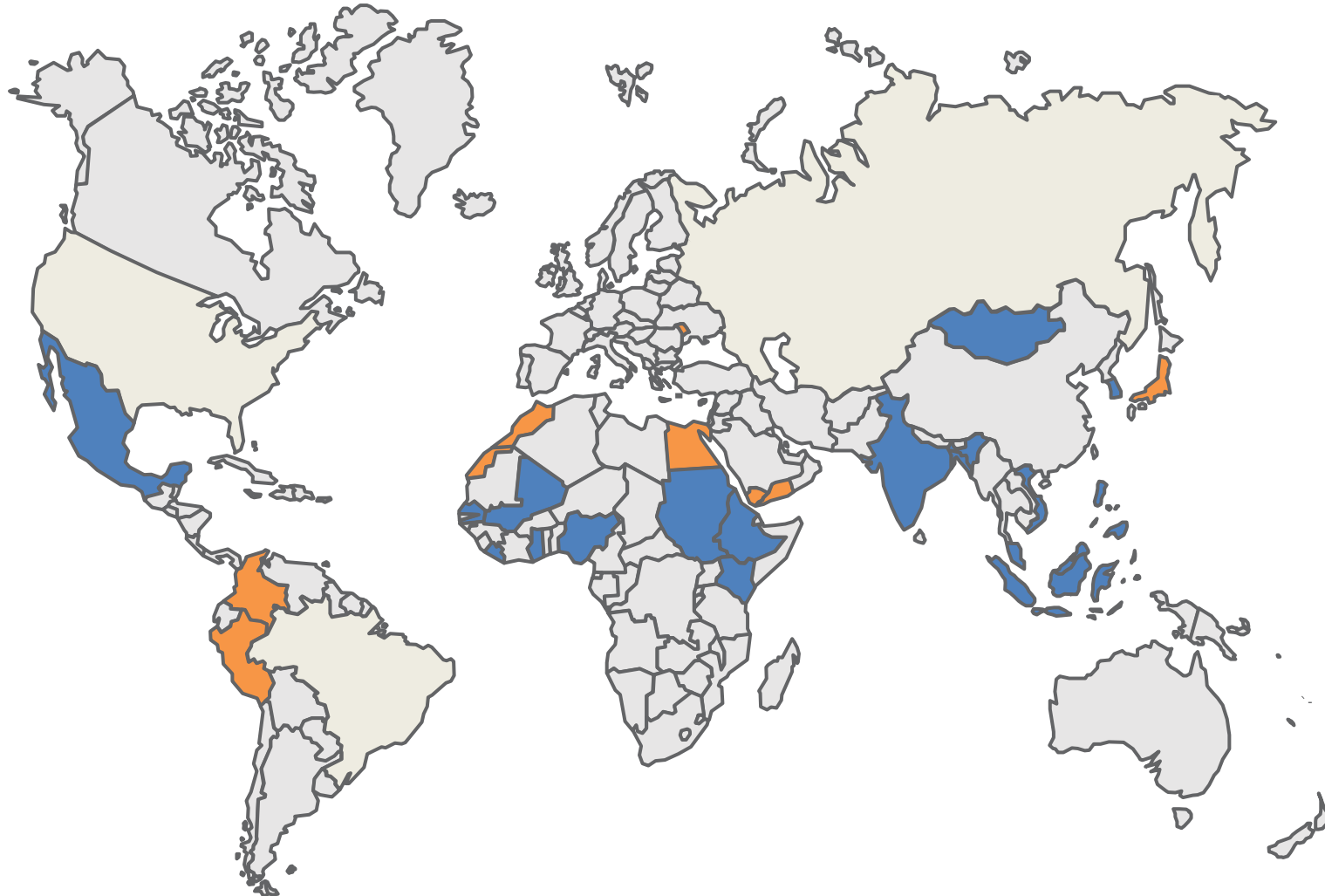


Part I

What is the Joint Learning Network for Universal Health Coverage?

A Growing Community of Policymakers and Practitioners from 27 Member Countries



Full Members

- Bangladesh
- Ethiopia
- Ghana
- Indonesia
- India
- Kenya
- Liberia
- Philippines
- Malaysia
- Mali
- Mexico
- Mongolia
- Nigeria
- Senegal
- South Korea
- Sudan
- Vietnam

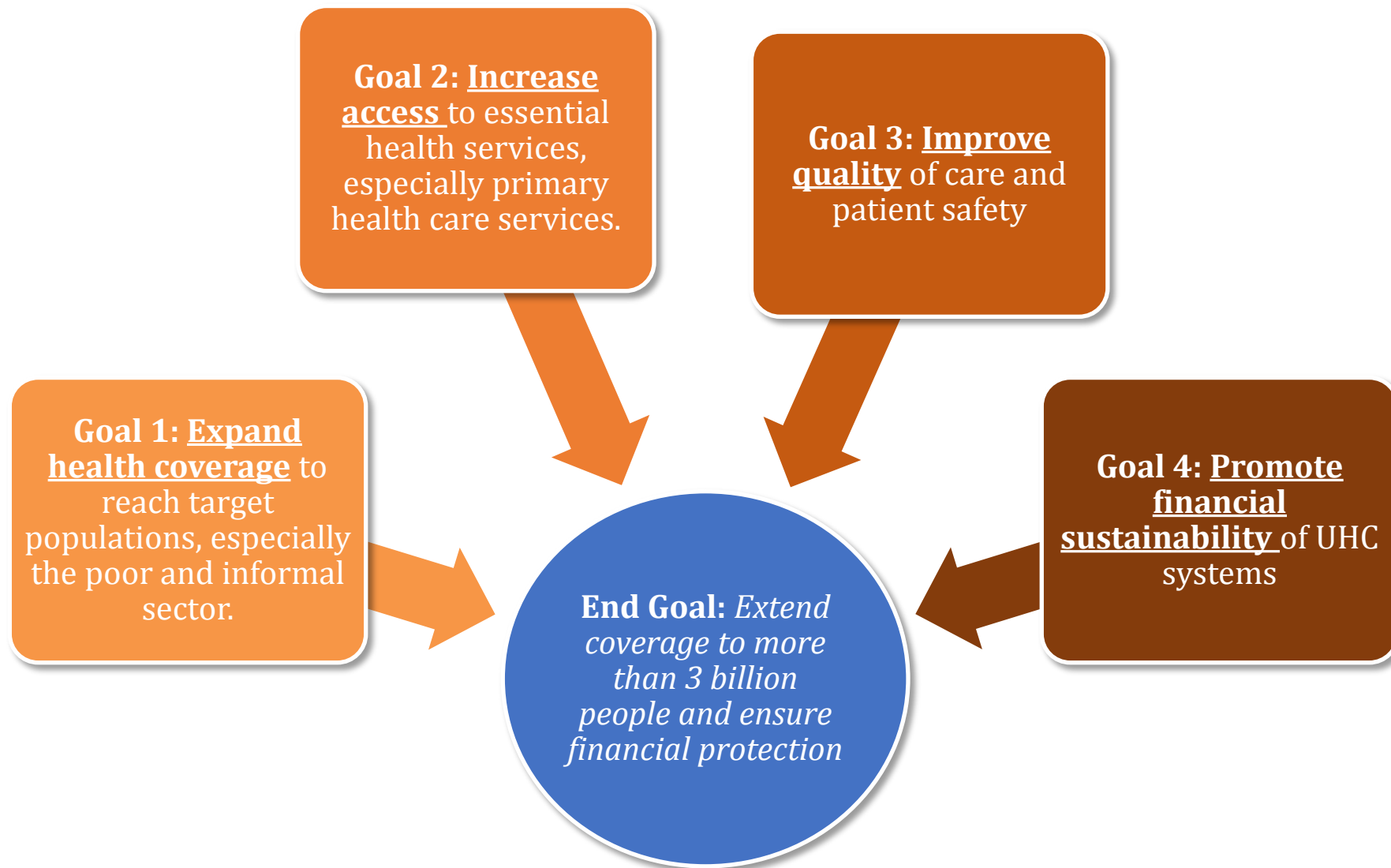
Associate Countries

- Bahrain
- Colombia
- Egypt
- Japan
- Kosovo
- Moldova
- Morocco
- Namibia
- Peru
- Yemen

The JLN in Action: Nigeria

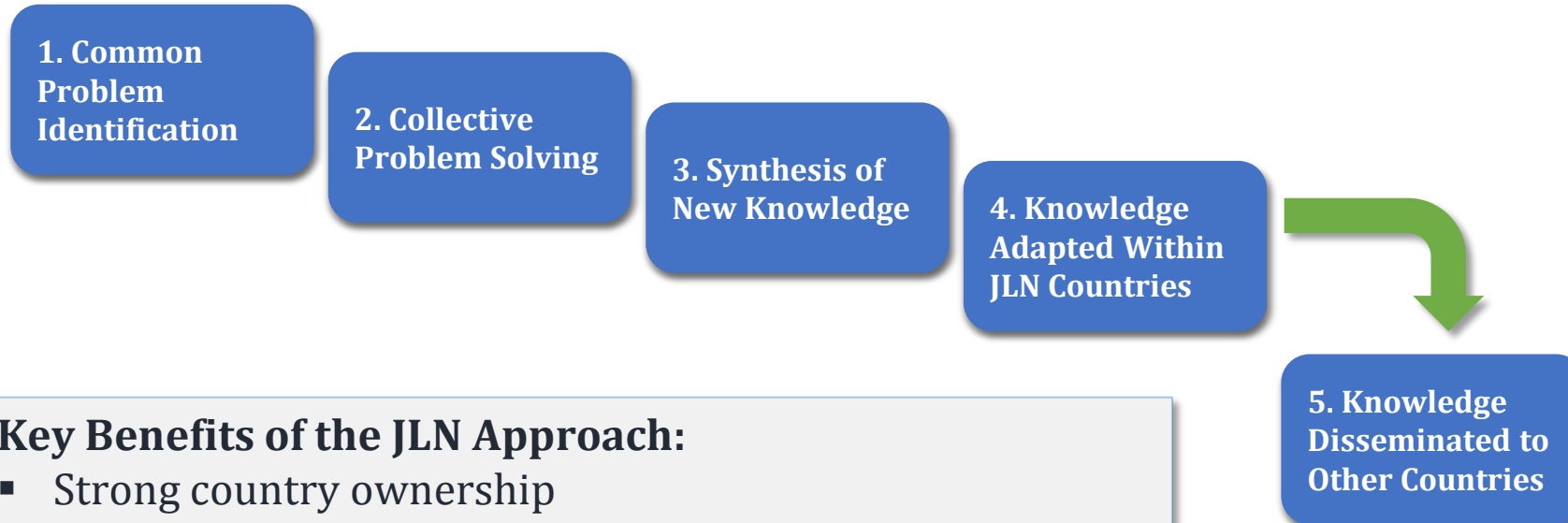
1. Became a full member of JLN in 2011 after attending an Expanding Coverage Workshop in Mombasa Kenya
2. Active participation in all Technical Initiatives/collaboratives especially IT, PHC, PPM and more recently Medical Audit, Health Financing and Strategic Communications
3. Increased awareness / urgency on the need to know how best to achieve UHC especially for the over 70% Informal Sector population.
4. Have a Country Core Group inaugurated in 2013 with representation from all Key UHC stakeholders, including: FMOH, NHIS, NPHCDA, states, providers, payers, CSOs and NGOs etc
5. Co-produced some of the JLN publications
6. One of the 12 countries with representation on the network's Global Steering Group.
7. Actively involved in charting the course for the future of the network as a member of the Governance, Charter and Strategic Planning TWGs

The End Goal of the JLN



The Joint Learning Approach

Collaborative learning among practitioners to co-develop global knowledge on the practical “how-to’s” of achieving UHC



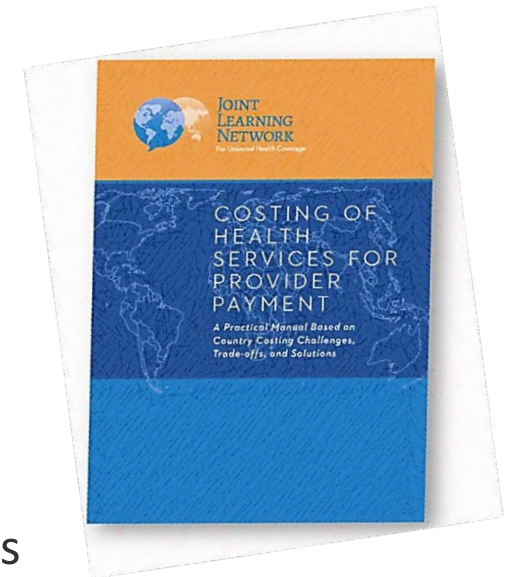
Key Benefits of the JLN Approach:

- Strong country ownership
- Relevance to country priorities
- Space to analyze root causes
- Builds trust, safe space, and community
- Results in practical tools/knowledge products that can be used & shared
- Creates opportunities for responsive follow-up by partners

Highlights from JLN Knowledge Product Inventory

JLN members co-produce new knowledge products by blending theory and practical knowledge. Below are a few of our recent products:

- Assessing Health Provider Payment Systems: A Practical Guide
- Connecting Health Information Systems for Better Health
- Costing of Health Services for Provider Payment: A Practical Manual
- Determining Common Requirements for National Health Insurance Systems
- Health Insurance Terms Glossary
- Open Health Data Dictionaries
- Promoting Interoperability of Health Insurance Information Systems through Health Data Dictionaries
- Provider Payment Reform and Information Technology Systems
- UHC Primary Health Care Self-Assessment Tool



All knowledge products can be downloaded from the JLN website at www.jointlearningnetwork.org/resources

Part II

How Do Learning Collaboratives Work?

The Main Ingredients of JLN Collaboratives

- ✓ Identifying a set of priority issues and common challenges
- ✓ Agreeing on useful knowledge product(s) to develop together
- ✓ In-person meetings and virtual collaboration
- ✓ Ongoing work in countries (both existing and inspired by the Collaborative)
- ✓ Co-producing new knowledge
- ✓ Creating a community

Criteria for Focusing Joint Learning

1. Is there a **common product/output**, that does not now exist, that can be produced that is of value to multiple JLN countries?
2. Is it something that could be **better produced collaboratively** than within a single country?
3. Is there/will there be **sufficient country experience/knowledge** to share?
4. Is it aligned with a **current priority** within your country?
5. Could the common tool/product be customized to **be applied** in your country?
6. Would my colleagues **be excited** to work on this?
7. Could we complete at least the first part of this effort **within the specified timeline**?

Part III

Nigeria's Sub-National Joint Learning Network for Universal Health Coverage

Preliminary Objectives of the Network:

1. **Promote ownership and cohesive implementation**, using a unified framework, **of universal health coverage mechanisms across states** through the development of strong communication, coordination, and feedback mechanisms and processes between state and federal stakeholders.
2. **Develop strategies for advocacy and stakeholder engagement across state and federal levels**, including through strong linkages to other networks such as the Legislative Network for UHC and the Nigerian Governors' Forum.
3. Strengthen policy development and implementation capacities at the federal and state level.
 - a. At the **federal and states levels, the network will provide a platform for federal agencies to work with states** to co-develop and disseminate knowledge, guidelines, and policies that are based on state input and experience to support state implementation.
 - b. At the **state level, the network will provide a platform for state governments to share implementation experiences with federal and state counterparts** to inform policy developments, solicit support and build capacity to overcome implementation challenges, and adapt promising global and Nigeria-based practices through existing state coordination and collaboration mechanisms.
4. Create a **dedicated community that systematically conducts joint problem and solution identification** to generate, integrate, and disseminate necessary universal health coverage evidence and implementation tools to support states in impactful adaptation, implementation, evaluation, and feedback.

The network will be launched in the first quarter of 2018 with three Technical Collaboratives:

1. Operationalizing SSHIS
2. Domestic Resource Mobilization
3. PHC Strengthening

The invitation will be extended to all states to participate in any one of these collaboratives through an expression of interest process – you must submit an application to participate.

The technical collaborative process will involve a mix of in-person workshops (the first of which will be at the launch of the collaboratives in the first quarter of 2018) and virtual engagements.

For Further Inquires on the Network

- A full concept note has been sent to your mails before this event and the hardcopies are available for each state.
- EOIs will be available online on the 9th of November, 2017 and submitted before close of business 30th of November, 2017
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