

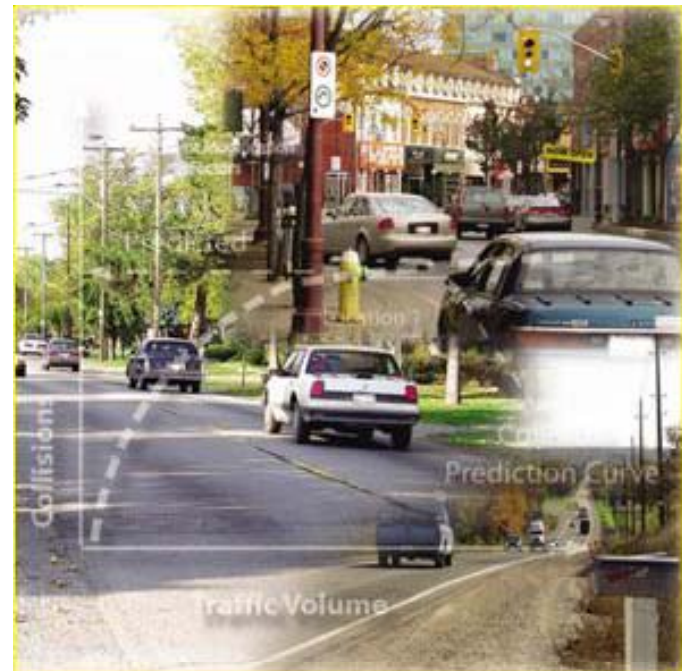


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# Capacity Building of Institutions Involved in Road Safety

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# Presentation Outline

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1. Background
2. Assessment of road safety management capacities
3. Example of capacity building for road safety in ADB projects
4. Example of immediate actions to be taken to start improving road safety management capacity
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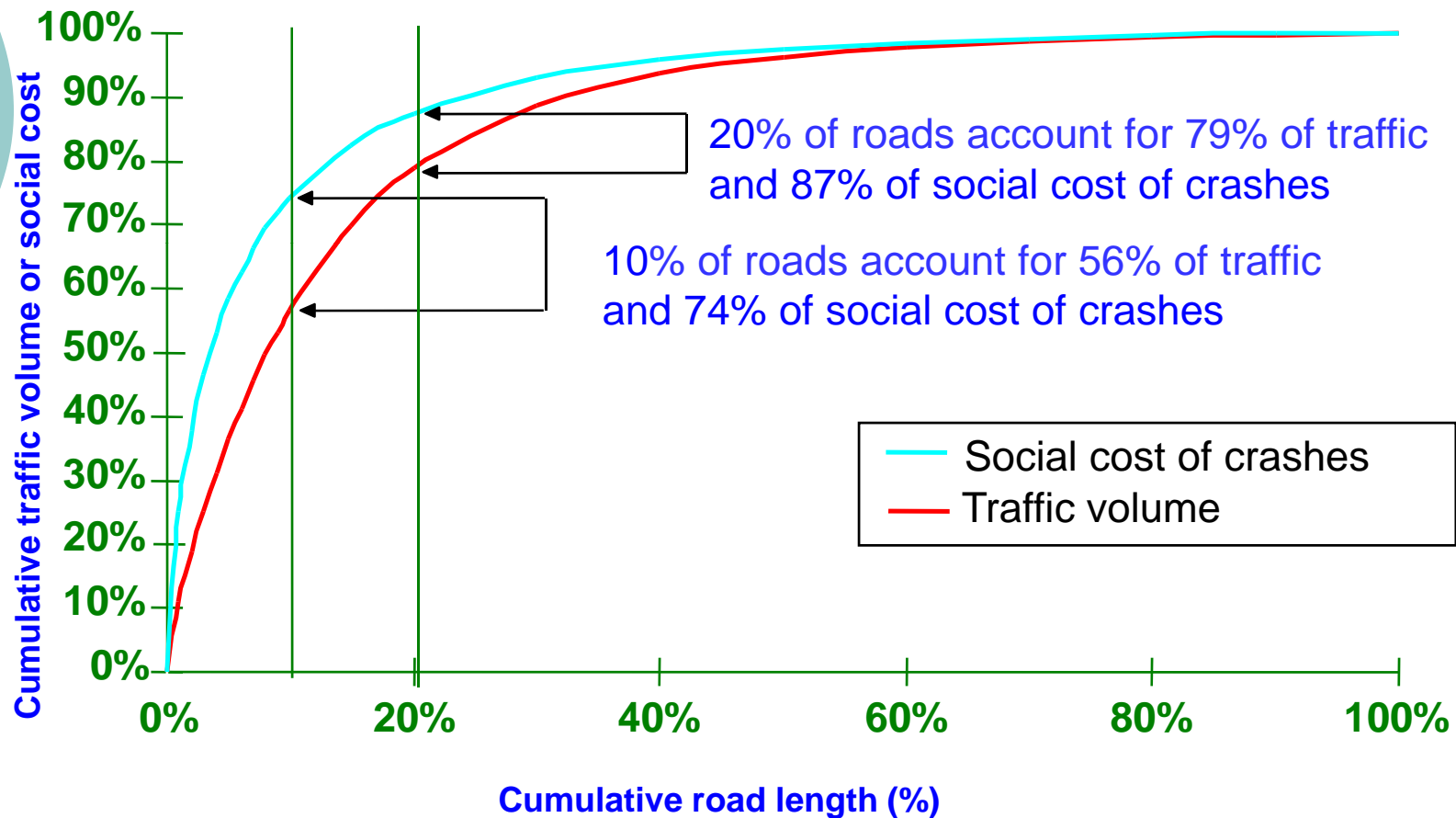
# 1. Background

# Evolution of Road Safety in OECD Countries

- Old road safety philosophy in OECD countries
  - “Road casualties are inevitable cost of mobility”
  - “Accidents are fault of road users”
- Current road safety philosophy in OECD countries
  - “Road casualties are preventable”
  - “Road user errors can be prevented or minimized”
  - “Consequences of road users errors can be reduced”
  - Designers and operators of road transportation system are responsible for safety
- Transition
  - Before 1960: inevitability of roads crashes
  - 1960-1970s: forgiving roads and vehicles
  - 1990s: “safe system approach”
    - not only minimize consequences, but also proactively prevent

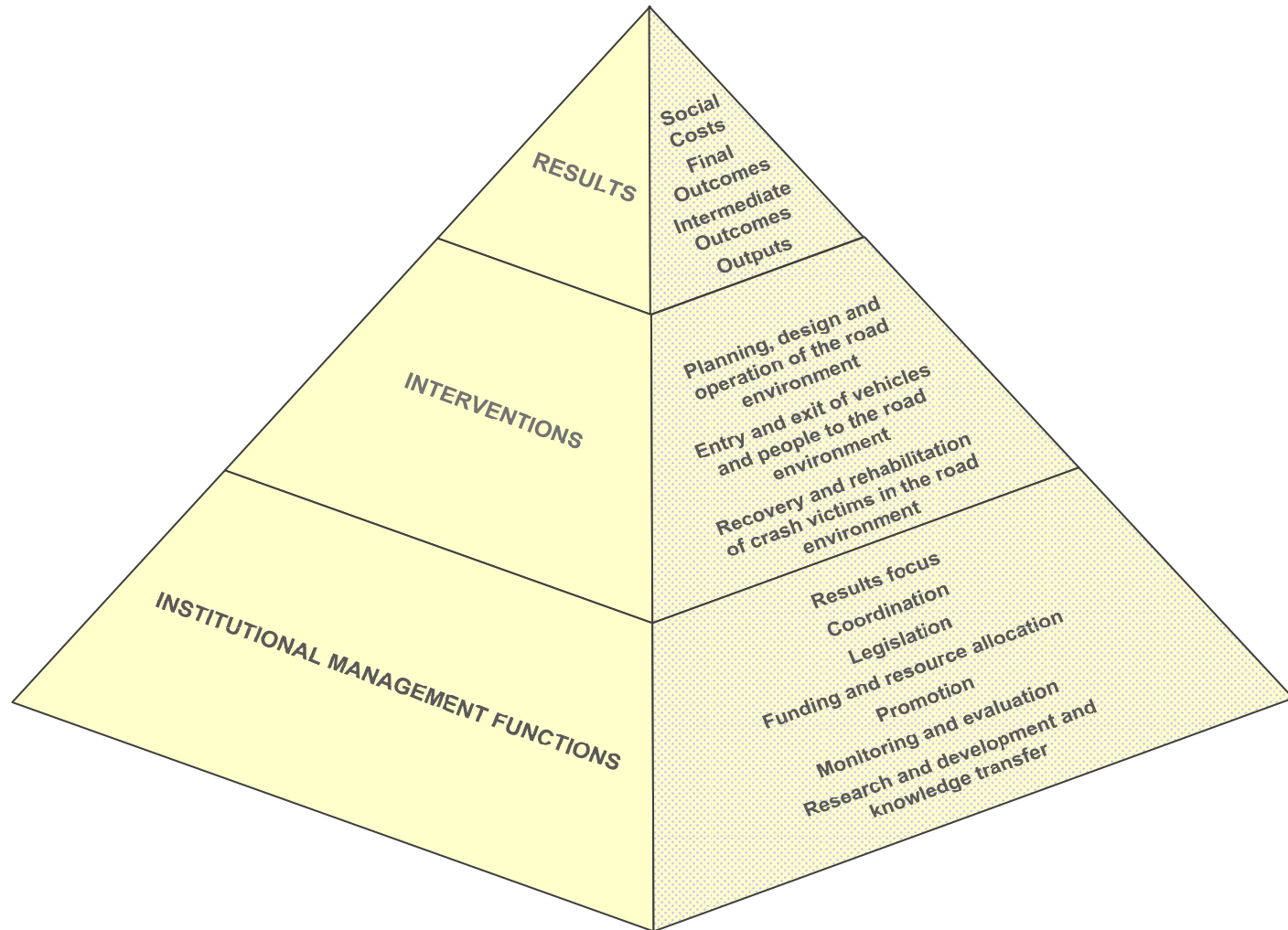
Building road safety  
management capacities

# Quick and Visible Improvement: Targeted Interventions



Source: Road Safety Strategy 2010, National Road Safety Committee, Wellington, New Zealand, October 2000 (cited by A. Bliss in presentation "Preparing 2<sup>nd</sup> Generation of Road Safety Projects", 2008)

# Holistic and Sustainable Change: Road Safety Management System



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## **2. Assessment of Road Safety Management Capacities**



# By Whom, How, Why

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## By whom:

- Internal vs. external entities (multisectoral team needed)

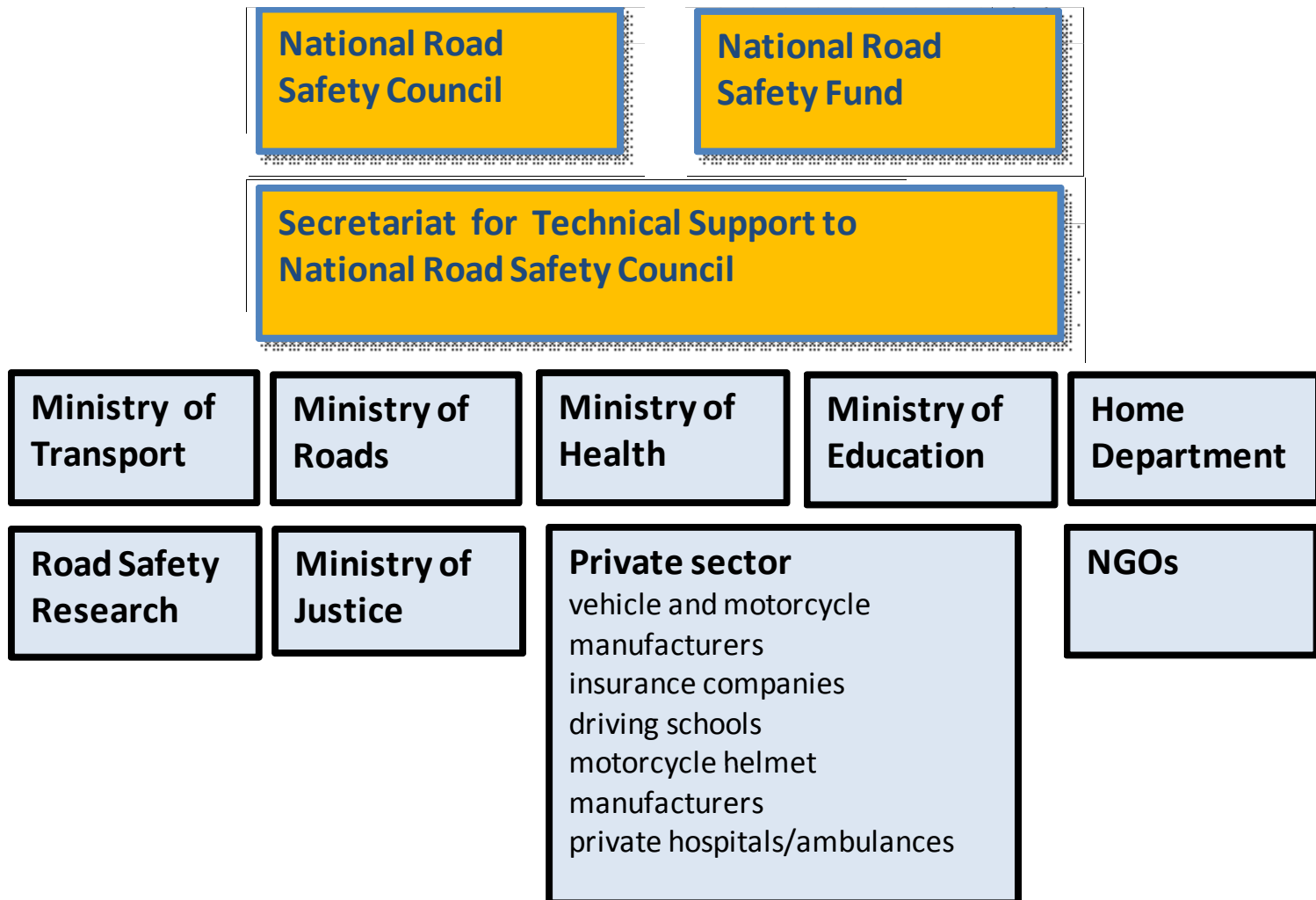
## How:

- Agency-based
- Across institutional functions, interventions and results
- Prompts/checklists can be used

## Why:

- To identification and prioritize actions needed to build/strengthen road safety management capacity

# Step 1: Identifying institutional system and functions



# Step 2: Preparing checklists

## Example for MOT (Headers Only)

Item	Existing Capacity Score	Urgency of action score	Viability of external investment Score
<b>1. Organizational Structure, Institutional Capacities and Facilities</b>			
<b>1.1. Headquarters</b>			
<i>1.1.1 Driver training and licensing office</i>			
Professional staffing (scale 0-10)			
Average level of qualification and training (scale 0-10)			
Experience (scale 0-10)			
Office facilities (scale 0-10)			
Office business procedures, equipment and tools (scale 0-10)			
Support staffing (scale 0-10)			
<i>Driver training and licensing office (average score)</i>			
Total score			
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Support staffing (scale 0-10)			
<i>Vehicle Registration and Inspections office (total weighted score)</i>			
<i>1.1.2 Accident data statistics cum road safety office</i>			
Average level of qualification and training (scale 0-10)			
Average number of years of experience			
Office facilities (scale 0-10)			
Office business procedures and equipment (scale 0-10)			
Accident data collection, entry, retrieval and analysis (0-10)			

# Step 2: Checklists (Cont'd)

## Example for MOT (Headers Only)

Item	Existing Capacity Score	Urgency of action score	Viability of external investment Score
<b>2. Coordination with road safety counterparts</b>			
Lead Agency Status (for a lead agency only) Scale (0-10)			
Horizontal coordination of road safety management (0-10)			
Vertical Coordination of road safety management (0-10)			
<i>Coordination with road safety counterparts (total weighted score)</i>			
<b>3. Laws, regulations, standards</b>			
Traffic laws in general (0-10)			
Seat belt law (0-10)			
Helmet law (0-10)			
Drunk driving law (0-10)			
Speed limit law (0-10)			
Vehicle fitness requirements (0-10)			
Licensing process/laws (0-10)			
Third party liability insurance law (0-10)			
Vehicle safety design standards (0-10)			
<i>Traffic Laws (total weighted score)</i>			
<b>4. Road Safety Funding</b>			
Revenue stream handled by the Transport Department (0-10)			
Utilization of the revenue stream (0-10)			
<i>Road Safety Funding (total weighted score)</i>			

# Step 3: Data Gathering

## Example of Prompts

Item	Data/Information for Assessment
<b>3. Laws, regulations, standards</b>	
Traffic laws in general (0-10)	
Prompt 1: compatibility with Geneva convention	
etc	
Seat belt law (0-10)	
Active/passive)	
All occupants vs. front seat occupants	
adequacy of fines/other deterrence measures	
etc	
Helmet law (0-10)	
All riders vs. driver	
adequacy of fines/other deterrence measures	
etc	
Drunk driving law (0-10)	
Adequacy of BA levels	
Adequacy of fines/other deterrence measures	
etc	
Speed limit law (0-10)	
Clear linkage to vehicle types and road categories	
Adequacy of fines/other deterrence measures	
etc	
Vehicle fitness requirements (0-10)	
Requirements to the vehicle safety systems clearly defined	
Adequacy of fines/other deterrence measures	
etc	
Licensing process/laws (0-10)	
Graduated licensing vs. one-time licensing	
Adequacy of fines/other deterrent measures for violators	
Linkage to driving record (point system)	

# Step 4: Scoring and Prioritization for Action

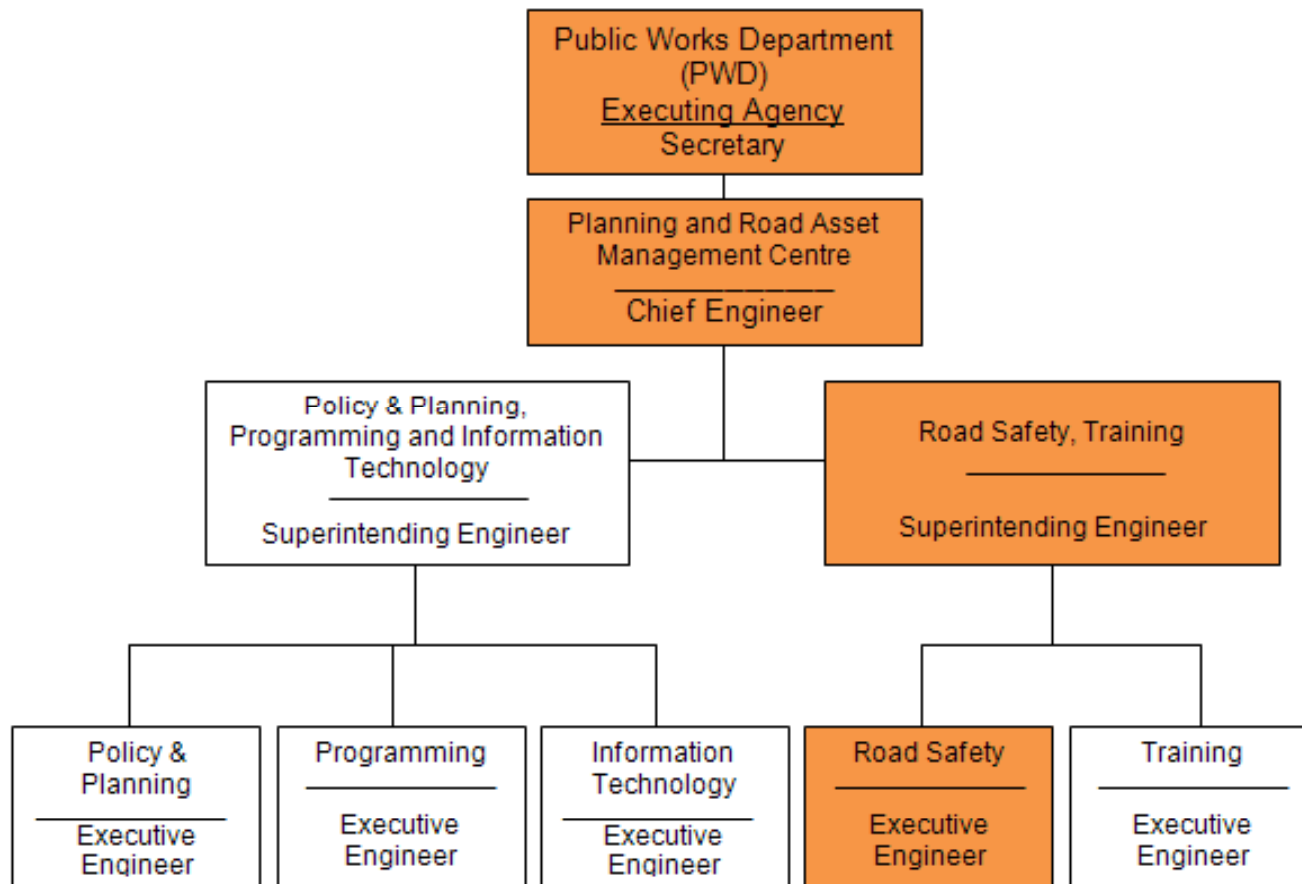
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### **3. Example of Capacity Building for Road Safety in ADB Project**

# KSHIP: Planning and Road Asset Management Center



# Road Safety Unit

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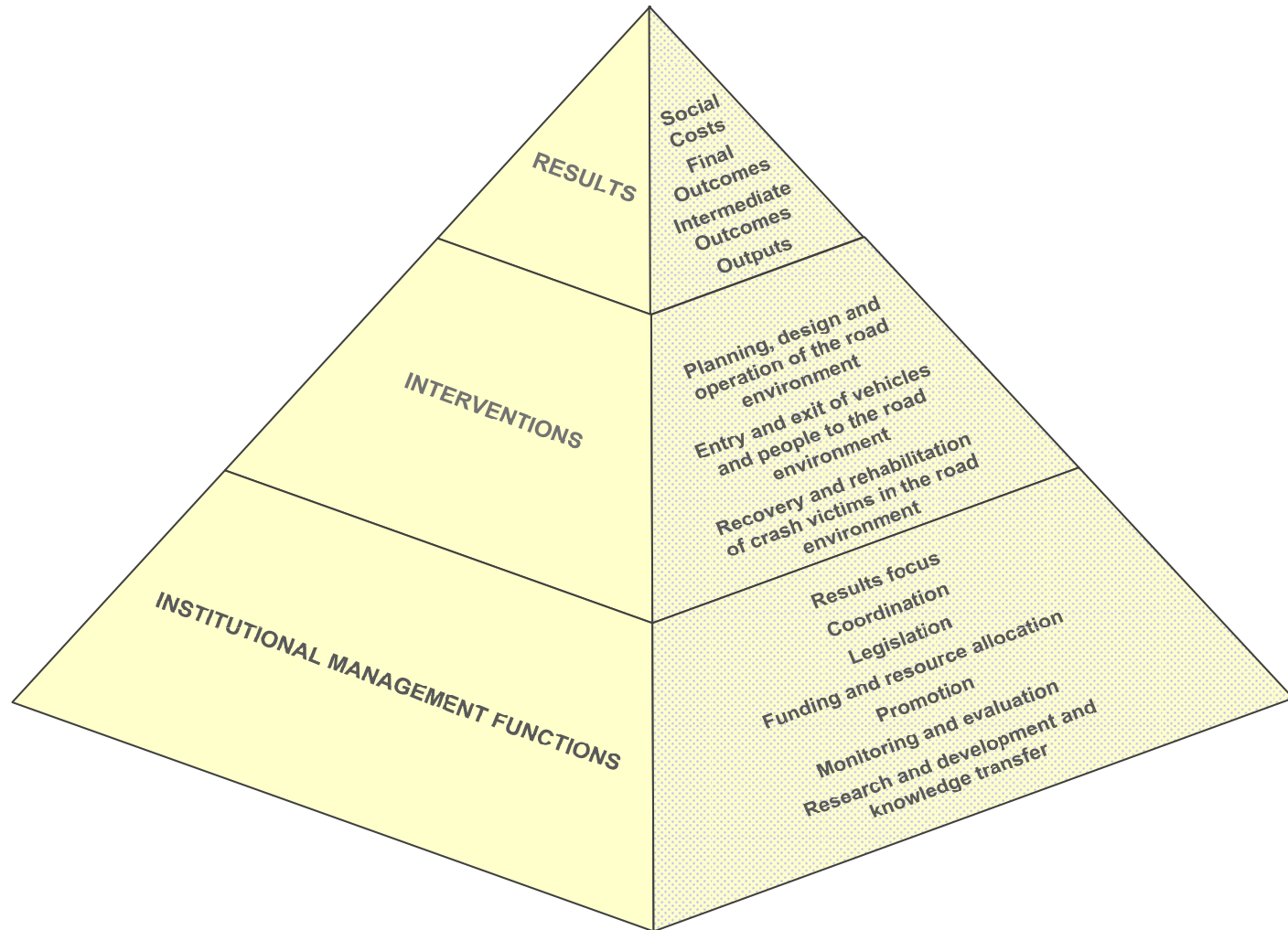




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## **4. Examples of Immediate Actions to Be Taken**

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# ACTION 1

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## **Conduct assessment of road safety management capacities, and identify actions needed**

- Both country and state levels
- Will identify specific actions for:
  - Establishing of a lead agency and associated country-specific interagency organizational setup for road safety
  - Improvement of accident data collection, entry, storage, retrieval, and analysis and dissemination systems
  - Establishing dedicated road safety funding
  - Improvement road road safety laws, regulations, standards
  - Proper driver licensing, and vehicle inspection mechanisms
  - Establishing effective emergency response systems
  - etc



# ACTION 2

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## **Strengthen existing or establish new Road Safety Cells in PWDs:**

- Staffing, facilities, training
- Adequate powers
- Road safety budget
- Business procedures
  - Mainstreaming road safety audits
  - Data management
  - Blackspot programs
  - Road safety engineering

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## **4. Planned ADB Support**



# Grant Financed Road Safety TAs

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- Road Safety Programs for Bangladesh (approved, start 2012)
- Improvement of Road Safety in ASEAN (in processing)
- South Asia Road Safety Program
  - Phase I (Nepal and Bhutan) in processing for approval in 2011
  - Phase II (India and Sri Lanka) for processing in 2012

# Pipeline Concept of Road Safety Support

Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Year 7
<b>PATA on Road Safety</b>	<b>PPTA Preparing Road Safety Investment</b>		<b>Road Safety Investment</b>			
<b>Prefeasibility level</b>	<b>Feasibility level</b>		<b>Implementation</b>			
Conduct road safety diagnosis	Selection and feasibility study of components		<b>Component A (Investment):</b> Selected components of the road safety programs			
Strengthen road safety management capacity of RHD,	Design of the Road Safety Investment Project					
Develop road safety policies and business procedures to incorporate road safety into the lifecycle of roads	Advisory support, on-the job training, knowledge transfer		<b>Component B (Non-Investment):</b> Advisory support, training, knowledge transfer			
Identify and prepare for further design and implementation nationwide road safety improvement program						
Advisory support, on-the job training, knowledge transfer						



# End of Presentation

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Thank you!

