



Reduce Mortality from AIDS in Henan Province

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Background

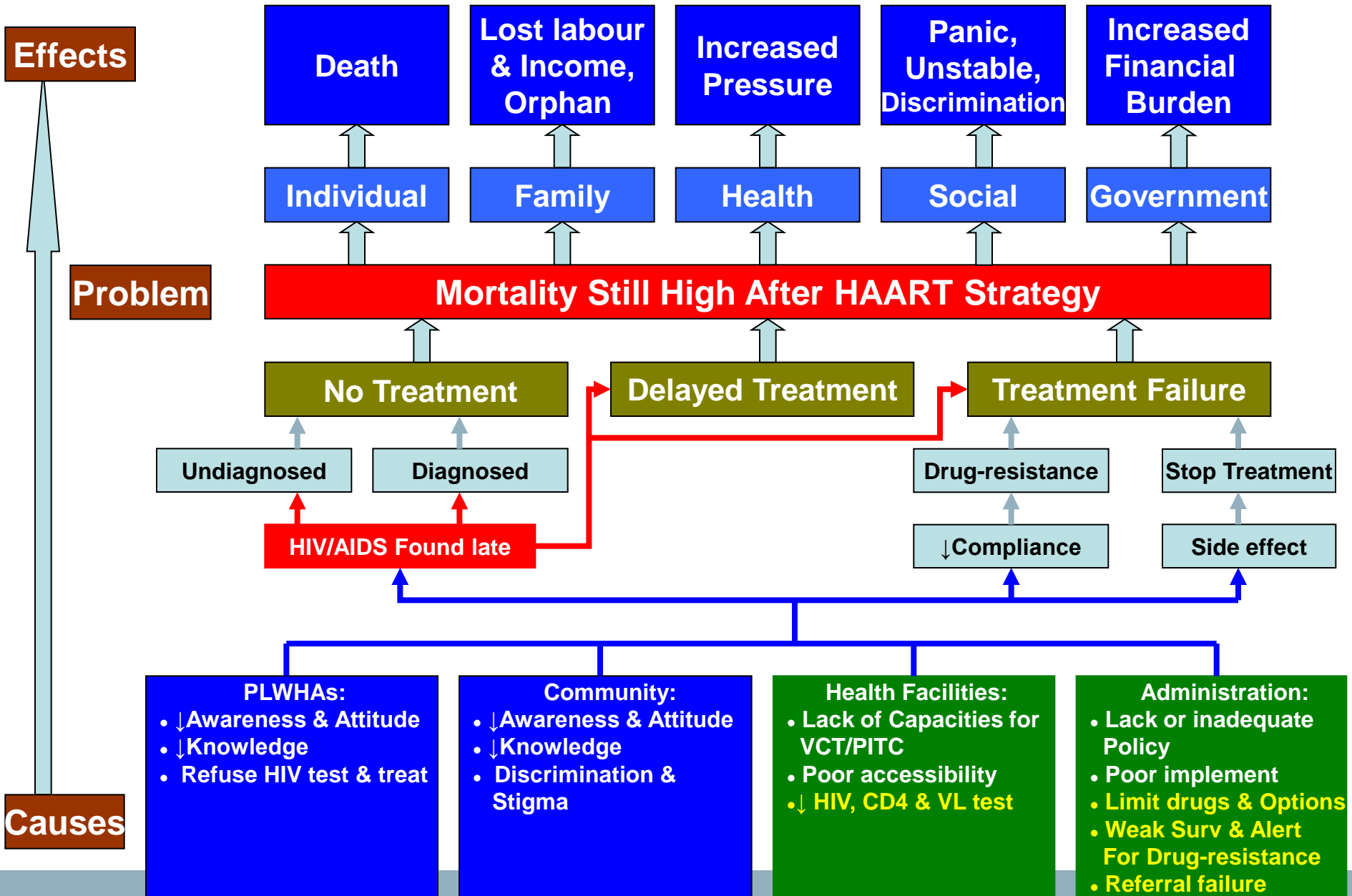
1. The number of reported AIDS death cases has a rapid increased trend year after year, even taken the highly active anti-retroviral therapy (HAART) strategy since 2003. This issue became a serious problem in Henan province and China.
2. In all death cases, the proportion of untreated cases were more than 75%.
3. Half of the untreated death cases, survival time was less than 6 months after HIV-infected notification.

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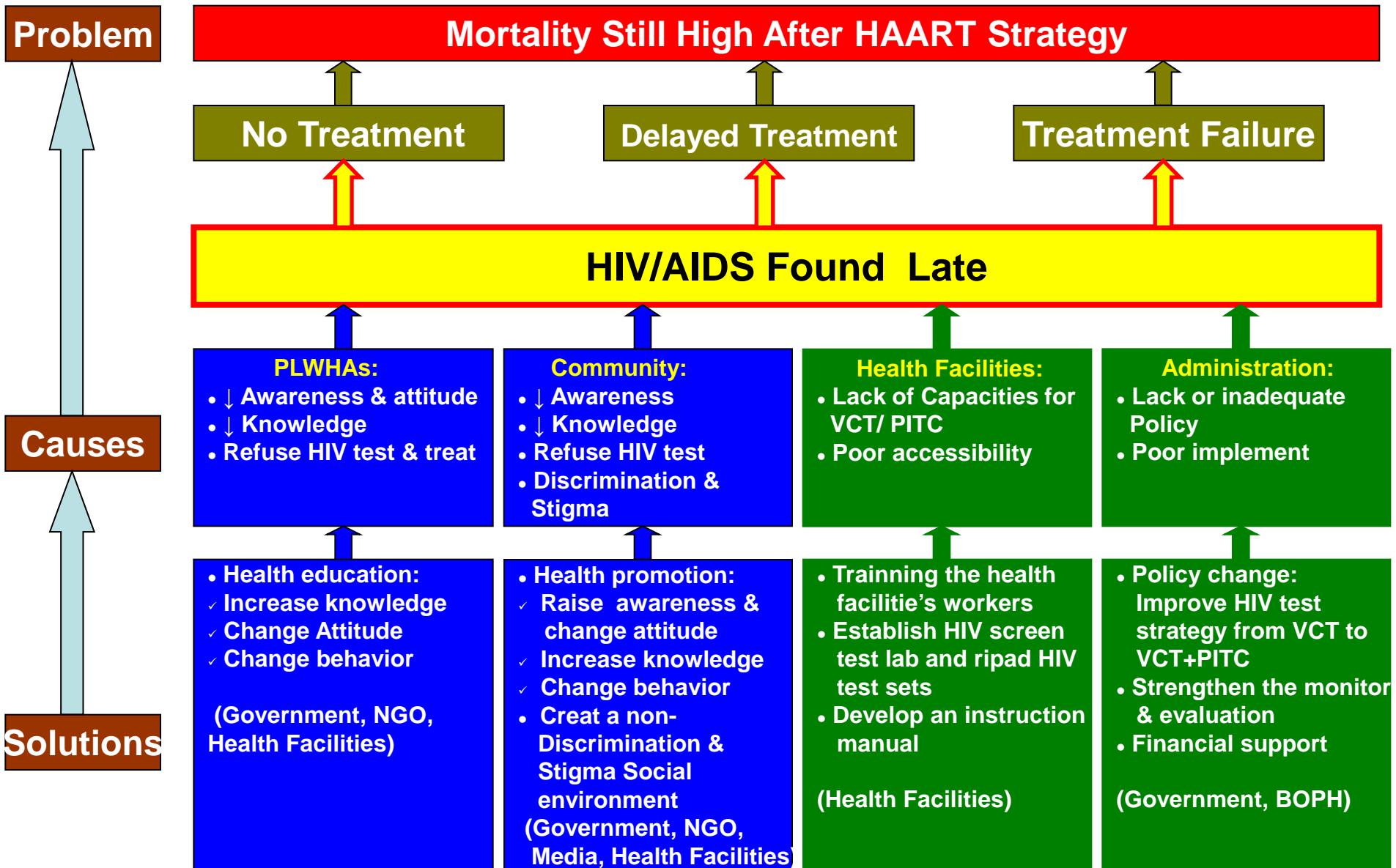
- The objective of our research is to conduct a policy change on the HIV test strategy, and try to find HIV/AIDS more and earlier. This will make more HIV-infected people receive treatment earlier. The government tries to reduce the mortality from HIV/AIDS.



Problem Tree Analysis



Solutions



My Policy Objective

- **Change the policy of HIV test strategy from onefold VCT to combined VCT&PITC in Henan province.**
 - **The output:** the policy adopted by BOPH.
 - **The outcome:**
 - To offer more opportunities to get HIV test for the public
 - Find HIV/AIDS more and earlier
 - Make more of HIV/AIDS received treatment earlier.
 - **The impact:** To reduce the mortality of HIV/AIDS.

The Stakeholders

- **Decision makers:**
 - The Provincial Bureau of Public Health (BOPH)
 - The Office of HIV/AIDS Prevention & Control (OHAPC)
 - The Department Of Madical Administration (DMA)
 - The Department Of Financial Administration (DFA)
- **Supporters:**
 - CDC, PLWHA, NGOs, International Organizations
- **Opposers:**
 - Hospitals
 - patients
 - NGOs
- **Neutrals:**
 - Mass Media

SWOT Analysis

Strengths

- HIV testing lab system were set up
- Good relationship with OHAPC & DMA
- PITC pilot
- comprehensive CDC system

Weaknesses

- Workload increase
- Doctors lack of skill
- Need financial support

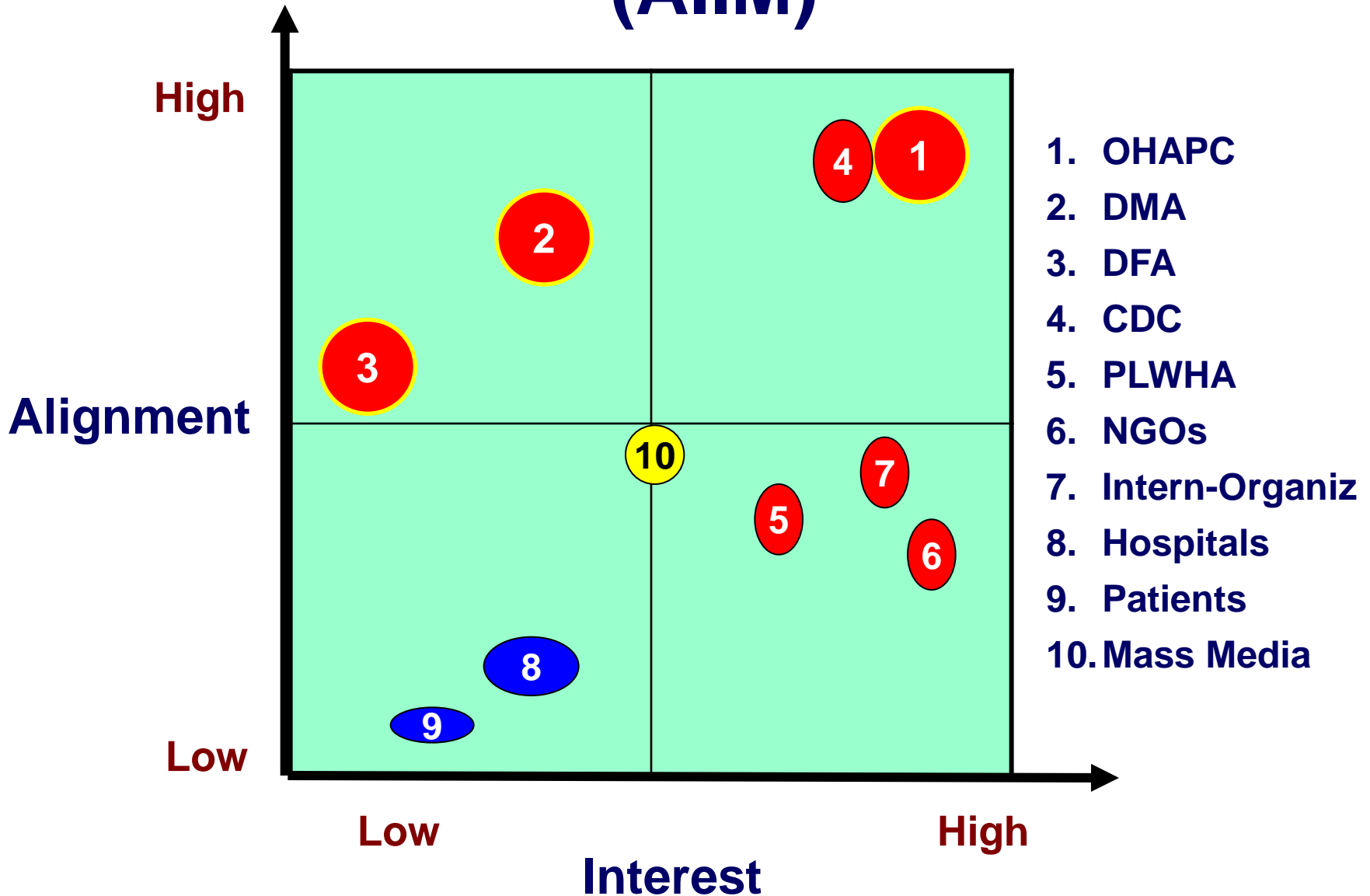
Opportunities

- Government attaches importance to HIV/AIDS
- Support by the NGO & International Organizations
- Mass media's mobilization

Threats

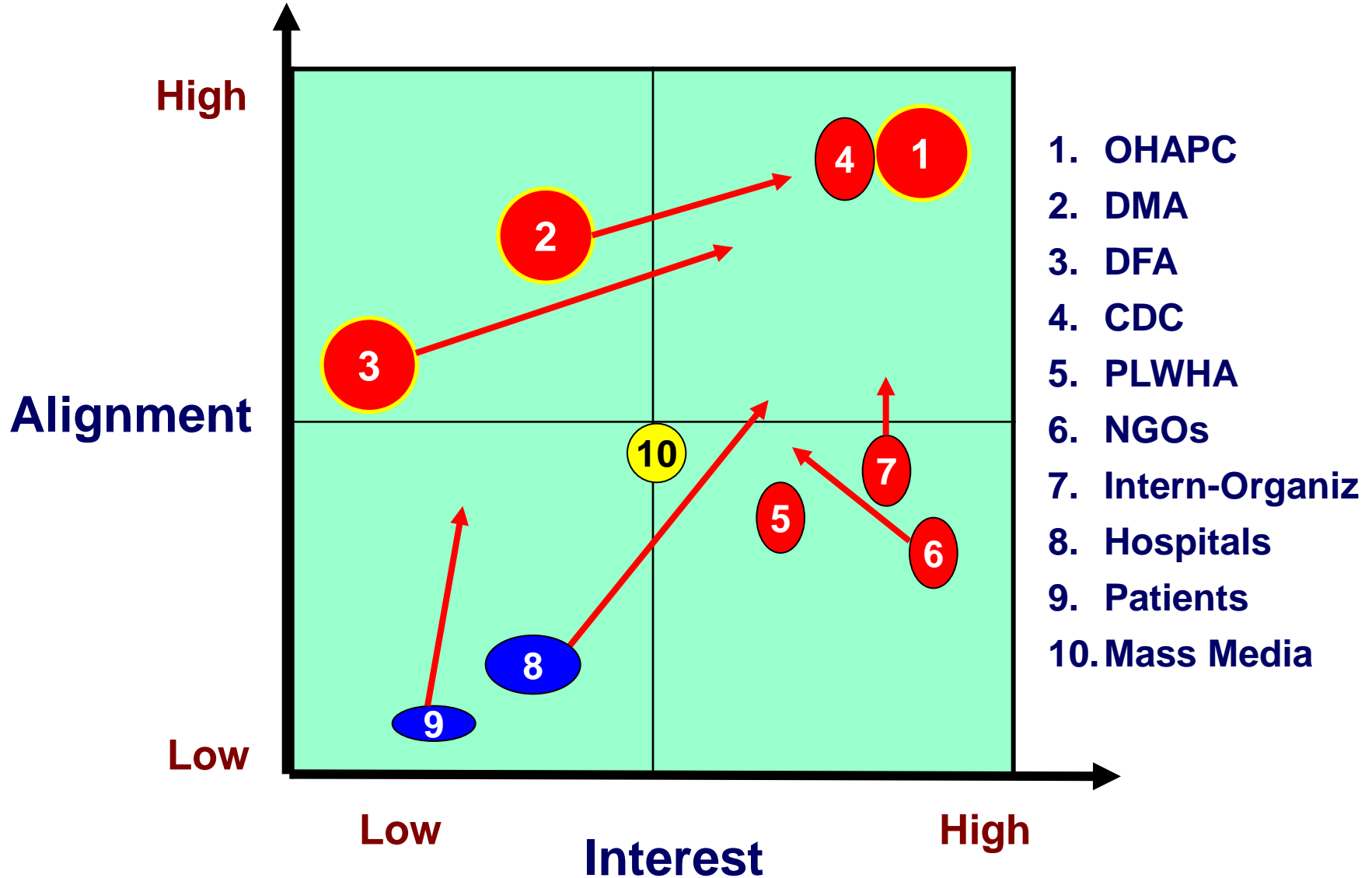
- Patients refused
- Medical disputes even lawsuits
- Be considered forced

Stakeholder Analysis (AIIM)

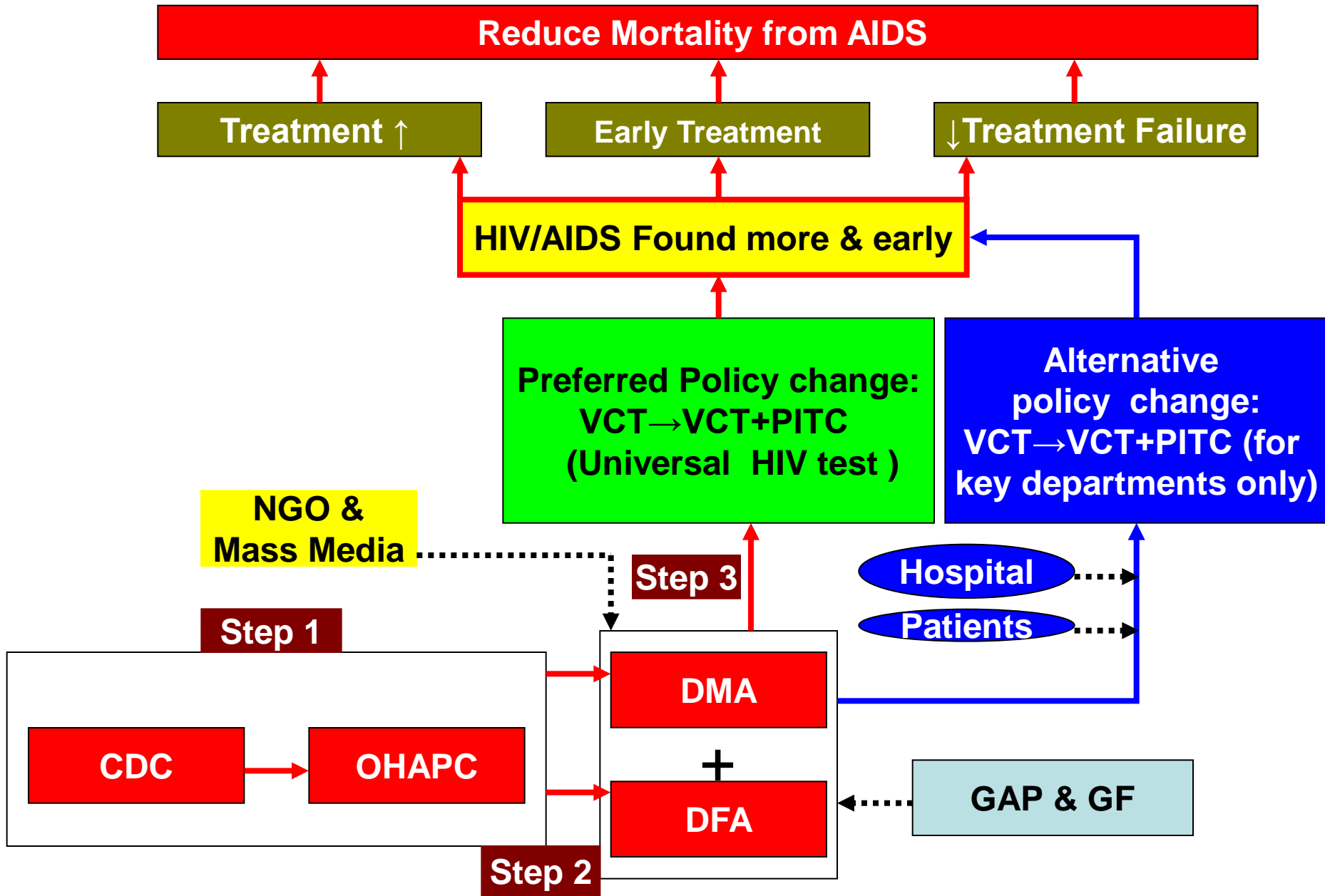


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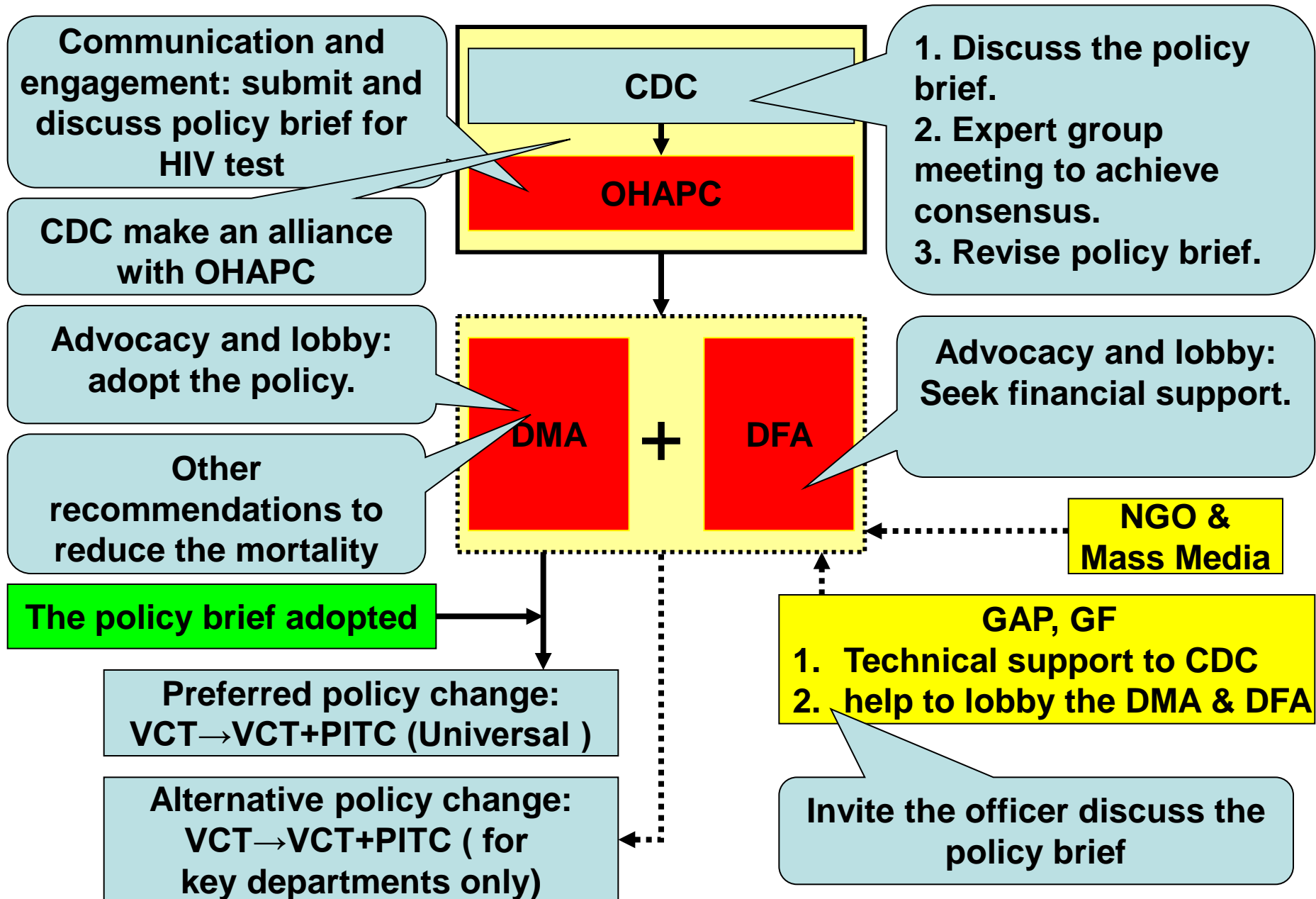
—What Influence on the Stakeholders



Theory of Change



The Policy Influence Plan



The Goals:

- Adoption of the policy by the Bureau of Public Health of Henan Province.

Objective 1

Strengthen
the evidence
base of the
policy brief

Objective 2

Policy brief
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Objective 3

Policy
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Objective 1: Strengthen the evidence base of the policy brief

Activities	Stakeholders	Time	Indicators		Risk: prevention & control
			Process	Outputs	
1. Discussion with experts to solicit support and expand problem-solution evidence	The experts in our institution	Oct-Nov, 2012	Meeting record	Policy brief draft	
2. Report the policy brief draft to the Director of CDC & experts	The director of our CDC, The experts in our institution	Dec, 2012	Workshop & Meeting records	Achieve consensus	The director disagree it, discuss & modify again
3. Revise policy brief	The colleagues in our institution	Dec, 2012		Finalized Policy Brief	

Objective 2: Policy brief adopted by the Office of HIV/AIDS Prevention & Control

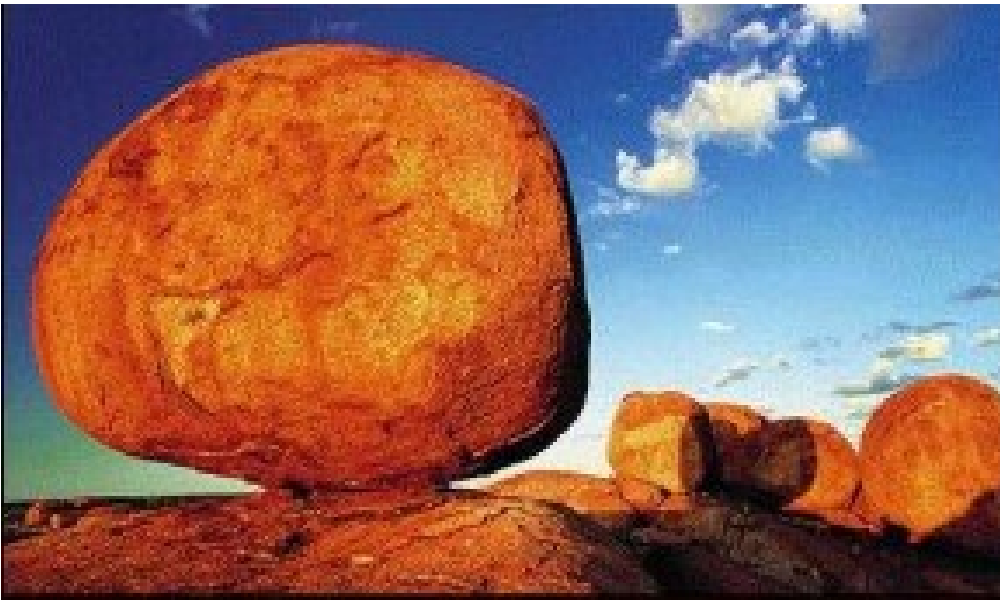
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1. Submit and discuss the policy brief with the director and the members of OHAPC, and modify the policy brief according their recommendation	The director and the members of OHAPC	Jan-Feb, 2013	Participation to discuss & workshop	Policy brief adopted by OHAPC	
2. Present the Policy Brief to the HIV/AIDS experts advisory committee	OHAPC, The HIV/AIDS experts advisory committee	Feb, 2013	Workshop & Meeting records	Obtain consensus	
3. Draft the policy	OHAPC	Mar, 2013		Draft policy	

Objective 3: Policy adopted by DMA & DFA and endorsed by BOPH

Activities	Stakeholders	Time	Indicators		Risk: prevention & control
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1. Lobby to the DMA & DFA, and hold a workshop, get a negotiation with them	The DMA & DFA, NGOs, GF, GAP	Apr-May, 2013	Workshop record	Adopted policy draft	If refused by DMA or DFA, then carry out Alternative policy change:
2. policy endorsed by BOPH	The DMA & DFA, the Director of BOPH	Jul, 2013		Policy issued	VCT+PITC for key departments only

The Impact:

- **By the end of 2015, reduce 30% of the mortality in Henan Province.**



**A little push in the right direction
can make a big difference.**

Thank you!