

## **Workstream 1:**

**Enhancing the Impact of  
Core Interventions**

## **Workstream 2:**

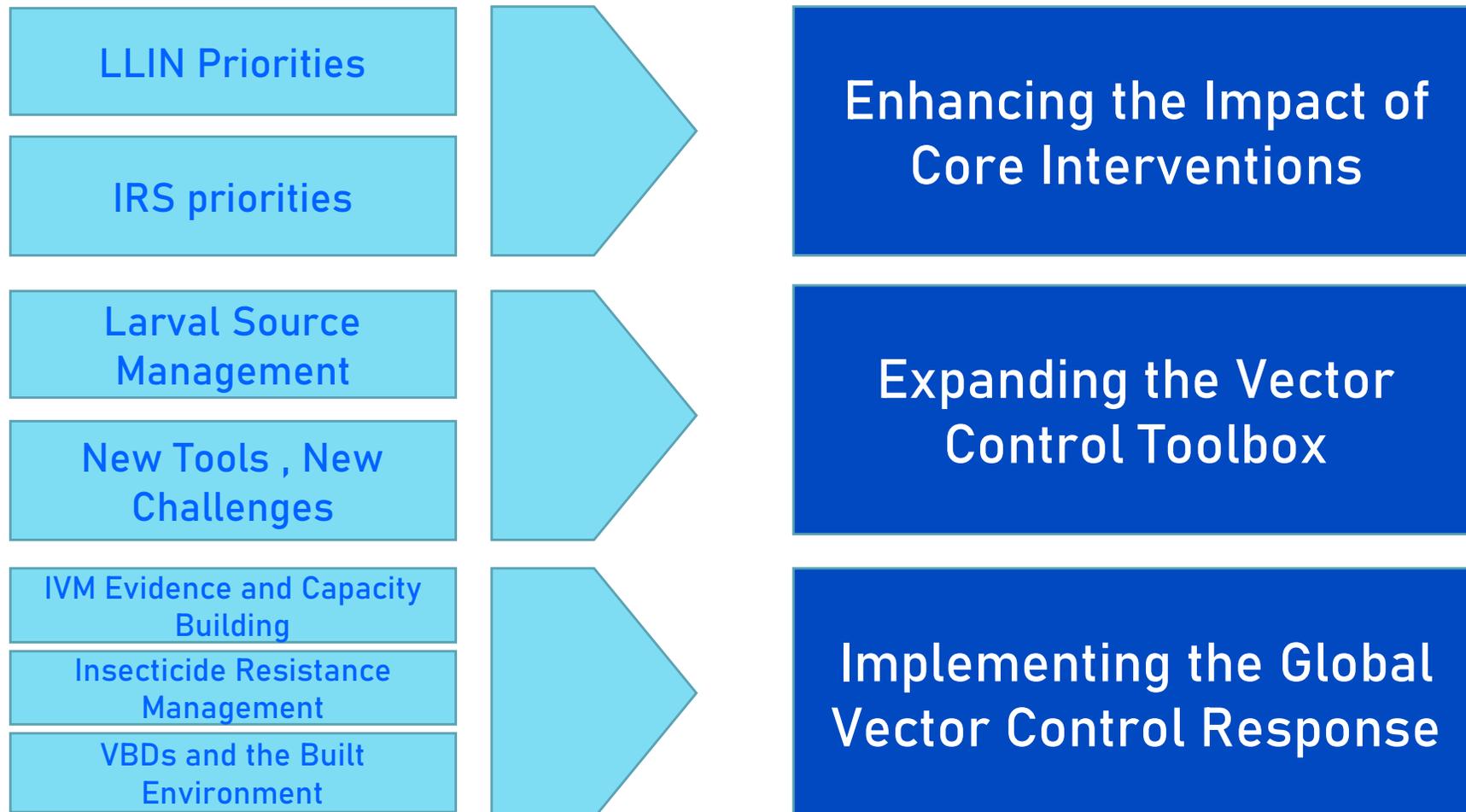
**Expanding the vector  
control toolbox**

## **Workstream 3:**

**Implementing the Global  
Vector Control Response**

# Transitioning from the past

Activities of previous workstreams are now integrated under new ones



# Enhancing the Impact of Core Interventions

## Co-Leadership of workstream: Hannah Koenker & Allan Were

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# Summary of key achievements/elements of old workplan

## Completed and ongoing activities

1. Durability monitoring updates
  - Presentation at previous VCWG
  - Publications published
  - [www.durabilitymonitoring.org](http://www.durabilitymonitoring.org)
2. ITN Distribution
  - Stratification and selection of appropriate intervention mixes – HBHI etc
  - Net replacement timelines and behaviors – work ongoing
3. New Nets
  - Sharing of updates on research studies, modelling work
  - Methods for assessing bioefficacy; validation thereof – ongoing
4. Partial IRS Study
  - Done – Presentation at previous VCWG.
  - Protocol for follow-on RCT under development
5. Vector Learning Xchange
  - Members continue to use the site to share lessons learned, tools, and best practices

# Transition from old workplan to new ones

## Former workplan elements are maintained under new structure

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# Status of Task Force recruitment

We plan to discuss the Task Forces further during the April 20<sup>th</sup> meeting.

Thanks to those who filled out the survey and indicated interest in each of the Task Forces.

We'll discuss where there may be a need for specific Task Force for any particular issues or outputs.

# Next steps and lead up to specific workstream session

## Overview of agenda points/talks for April 20<sup>th</sup> session

1. Series of short talks on the following topics:
  - Targeting interventions and decision-making
  - Results from recent studies
  - ITN durability updates
2. Discussion of Focus Teams/Task Forces

18 March 2021

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# Discussion

Dr Hannah Koenker – Tropical Health  
Mr Allan Werre – PMI VectorLink Project