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Partnership with the CLEAR Initiative: 3ie priorities

3ie is in the process of preparing a new strategy for the new decade. We will continue to advocate for the use of evidence in decision-making, lead the generation of new evidence, and examine what works, for whom, why, and at what cost in low- and middle-income countries.

Strengthening local capacity to produce, translate and use evidence through capacity development activities and technical assistance remains one of our top priorities. However, we now have an increased focus on identifying which avenues are likely to lead to success in turning evidence into policy.

The following examples illustrate this commitment:



We are working with policymakers to improve evidence uptake through our **synthesis work**, dissemination and evidence translation for better public policies.



We will continue to innovate in mapping, where 3ie is recognised as an international leader for its invention of **evidence gap maps**; and improved accessibility to available research evidence through our **new evidence platform**.



We will continue to engage with researchers to improve the quality and relevance of what we are doing by tackling issues of cost-effectiveness of interventions, generalisability, ethics, **transparency**, and understanding the context and root causes.



We will pilot and incorporate the use of tools and methods that decrease our carbon footprint (e.g. big data, virtual field monitoring tools and e-learning).

3ie can offer



Capacity development and technical assistance for impact evaluation methods and mixed methods, Institutional Review Board (IRB) and ethics considerations, and incorporating feedback mechanisms into interventions;



Guidance on collecting and understanding **cost evidence** (including cost-effectiveness and cost-benefit);



Support for creating new evidence gap maps, evidence translation and rapid syntheses for decision-making; and



Capacity development for policymakers on understanding and using evidence to inform decision-making.

3ie believes that achieving our goals relies on and benefits from partnerships and collaboration. We have both formal and informal partnerships, and both types reflect our working together towards specific shared objectives to promote high-quality evidence production and use in development decision-making. Visit our [partners page](#) and our [members page](#) to learn more about how we work collaboratively.