## RESEARCH & INNOVATION FOR HEALTH SYSTEM DEVELOPMENT FRAMEWORK



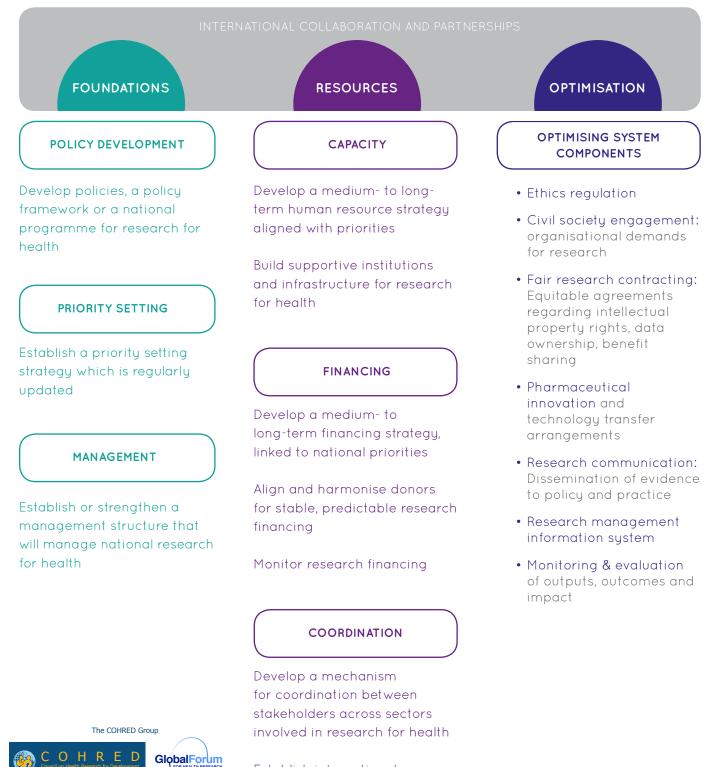
## Political & Socio-Economic Climate

The system strengthening framework represents a comprehensive approach to building and optimising a national research and innovation system for improved health outcomes. This framework has been developed to assist countries to build solid system **foundations**, strengthen system capacities (**resources**), and produce the best possible results using a variety of **optimisation** strategies. An enabling political environment (**leadership**) is critical for facilitating system strengthening.

## Leadership

National research and innovation can only thrive and be sustainable if there is

- a political and socio-economic climate that is investment friendly and respectful of human rights, and
- effective leadership, including the political commitment to advocacy, awareness and debate



Supporting research and innovation systems for health, equity and development

Establish international collaborative arrangements