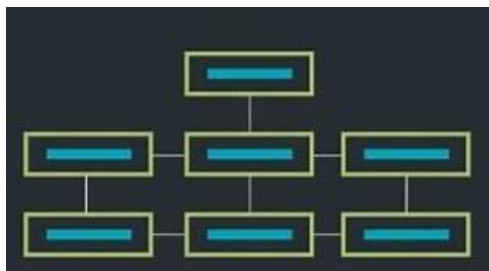


# SHOCK RESPONSIVE SOCIAL PROTECTION



Assessing the potential role social protection programmes and their underlying systems  
GROUP WORK

# OBJECTIVE OF THE GROUP WORK



Start a structured analysis of COVID-19 response options leveraging social protection programs/systems



Based on an existing Matrix developed by SPACE that you can use in your own country!



Help you systematically think through the merits of various options; the challenges and risks inherent in each; and potential mitigation strategies for these (including the need for further programming).

# KEY ASPECTS TO LOOK AT

- ★ Coverage (level of coverage, appropriateness of targeting, minimize provision gaps)
- ★ Adequacy of support provided
- ★ Comprehensiveness (to which extent it would respond to the multidimensional needs)
- ★ Timeliness of support provided
- e. Cost-effectiveness of the response
- f. Accountability to Affected Populations
- g. Performance of the systems delivery
- h. Coordinated approach – how does it complement the rest of the response (support to vulnerable populations)
- i. Ownership and sustainability

# THE OPTIONS WE WILL BE ASSESSING

	Public Assistance Program	Child Disability Grant
Descr.	<p><u>Provides support to poor households</u>  <u>Benefit:</u> 50% of poverty line                      Admin cost: 15% – fully nationally funded                      Managed &amp; administered by the department of social welfare of the Ministry of Social Development                      Payment system: bank transfer                      Both programs cover 10% of the poorest (bottom quintile)</p>	<p><u>Provides support to households caring for children w/ severe disabilities</u>                      Represents 4% of children in the country  <u>Benefit:</u> single rate regardless of the level of need of the child, based on the estimated costs of living (covers 50%). Value of the grant never updated                      Admin cost: 10% – fully nationally funded                      Managed &amp; administered by the department of social welfare of the Ministry of Social Development                      Payment system: bank transfer; credit union                      Both programs cover 10% of the poorest (bottom quintile)</p>

# OPTIONS CONSIDERED

## PAP

Top ups to existing beneficiaries

Temporary horizontal expansion to additional beneficiaries affected by COVID for a period of six months

## Child disability grant

Top ups to existing beneficiaries in short term

Indexation to inflation (medium term)

# TIMING



20 min in Groups



10 min reporting back