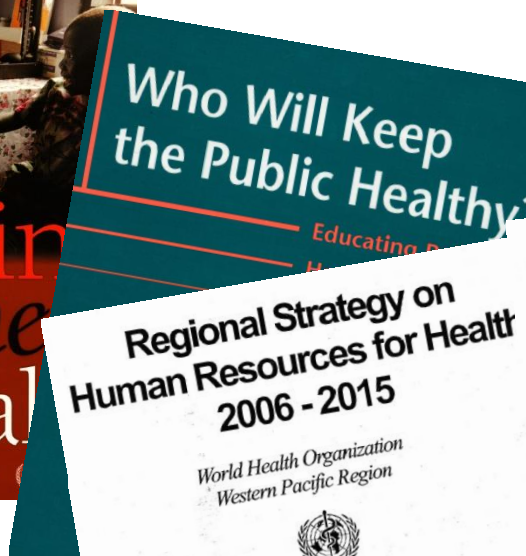
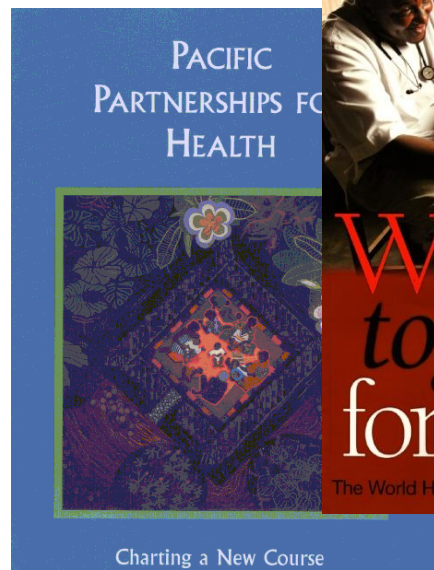


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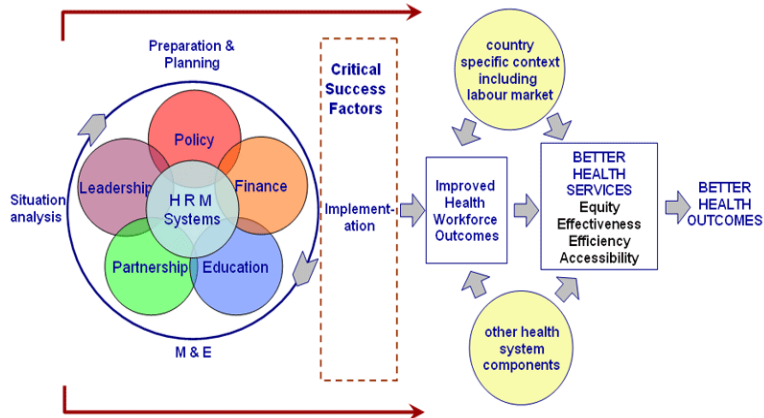
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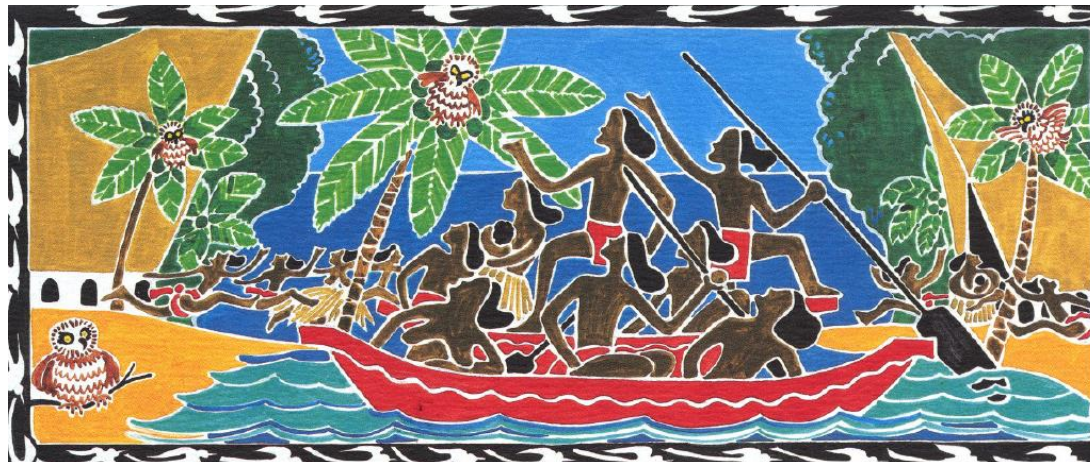
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1. RMI Nurse Practitioner's Training Program & Clinical Internship (DOI)

- Purpose: to increase the capacity of the RMI to provide primary clinical care
- 12 seasoned nurses graduated on 2 March 2018 after 18 months of study
- Conducted by Fiji National University School of Nursing in Majuro: same curricula, same faculty, same assessment process as FNU
- Next step: one year Clinical Intern Program at Majuro Hospital



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2. COM-FSM Doctors and Dentists for Tomorrow – JABSOM/PIHOA/COM-FSM (HRSA)

- Rigorous pre-medical / pre-dental program at COM-FSM leading to a Associate of Science Degree
- Curriculum based upon barriers to success for Pacific Island students identified at FNU's medical and dental programs
- Challenges:
 - English fluency – particularly medical vocabulary
 - Study skills
 - Basic sciences: human anatomy & physiology
 - Computer literacy
 - Problem based learning
- Solution: Intensive five semester program addressing challenges



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3. Palau / RMI Medical Internship Training Programs

- **Three graduates from I Shou University Medical School: Palau-2, RMI-1**
- **Palau Medical Intern Training Program:**
 - **Bridging Program**
 - **24-month Medical Intern Training Program**
- **RMI Medical Intern Training Program**
 - **Facilitated through Shuang Ho Hospital, Taiwan**

4. COM-FSM Public Health Training Center – University of Arizona School of Public Health/PIHOA (HRSA)

- **Goal to provide continuing professional development for FSM and regional public health workers**
- **In 2017: Provided 182 short courses with 1,512 participant encounters**
- **Since 2015: Logged in 3,955 training encounters**
- **Supported A.S. Degree in Public Health Program at COM-FSM**

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5. Palau EMT Training Program

- Palau MOH, Palau Community College & Palau AHEC, Ministry of Justice Bureau of Public Safety, Palau Civil Action Team (CATeam), Kapiolani Community College & PIHOA
- 20 EMTs trained in two cohorts: 2016 (12) & 2018 (8)
- July 2017: Enabling legislation set the minimum equipment standards for ambulances and minimum professional credentials for EMTs
 - Medical supervisor to be embedded in BPS chain of command
 - Ongoing continuing professional development resources provided to PCC for EMTs
- EMS-C (HRSA) & Emergency Preparedness Funds (ASPR/CDC) to be used to train two EMTs at KCC to become Medical Supervisor & CPD provider



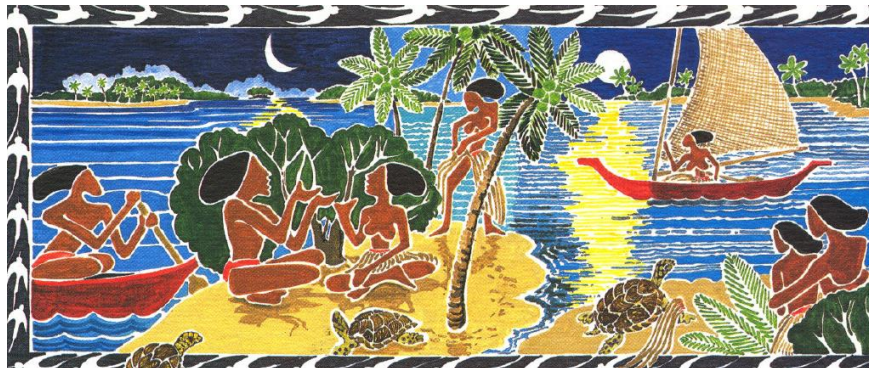
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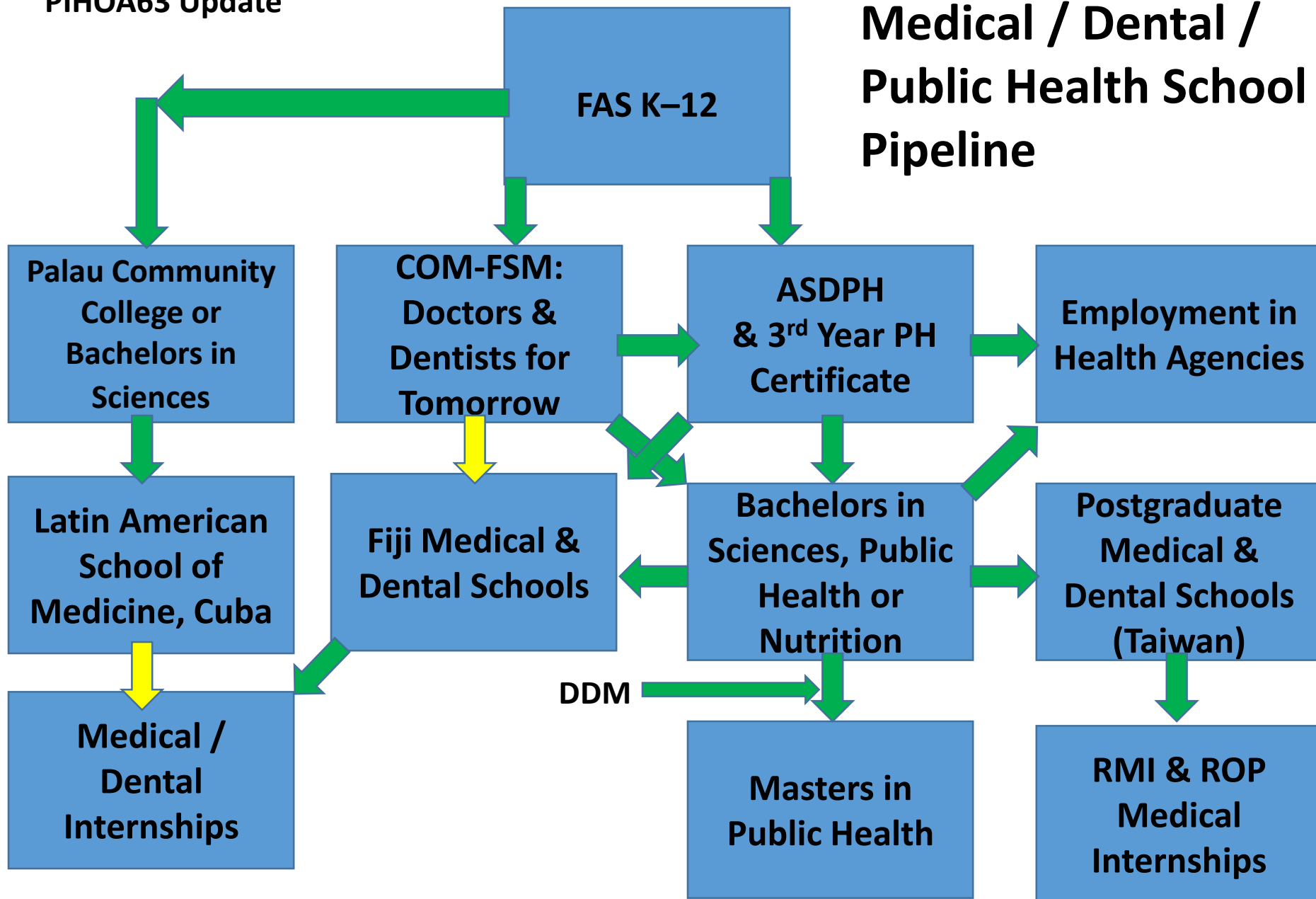
- Purpose to strengthen HR capacity of health agencies through through HR coaching and training to use HR software
- HRM activities in FSM (Yap, Chuuk, Pohnpei & Kosrae States), RMI and American Samoa
- HRH Strategic Planning for Palau

7. Palau MOH Visit to Latin American School of Medicine, Havana, Cuba

- For Executive Session (Thursday, 29 March 2018)

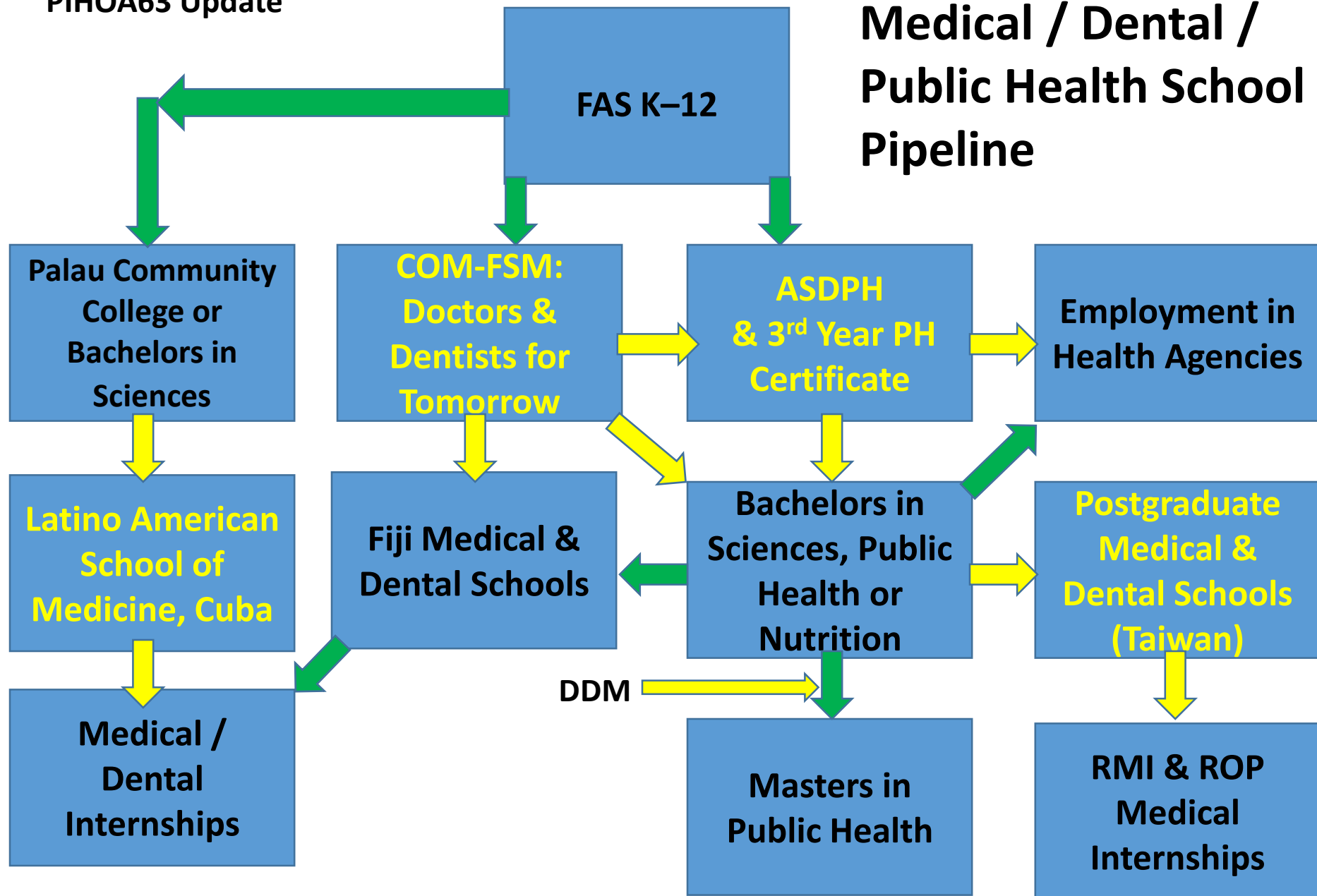


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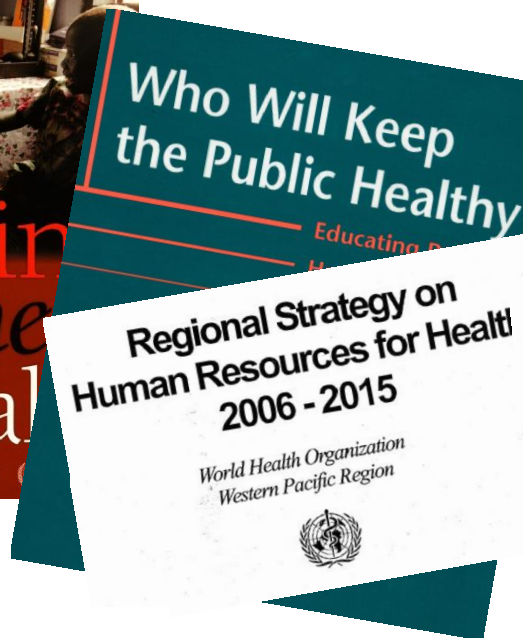
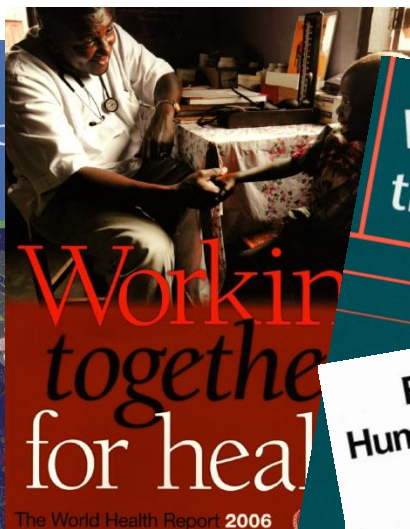
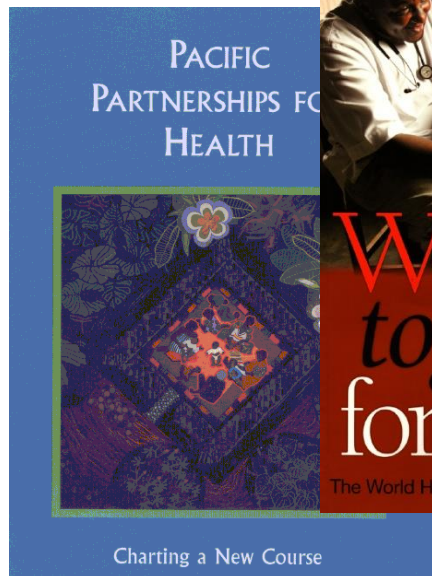


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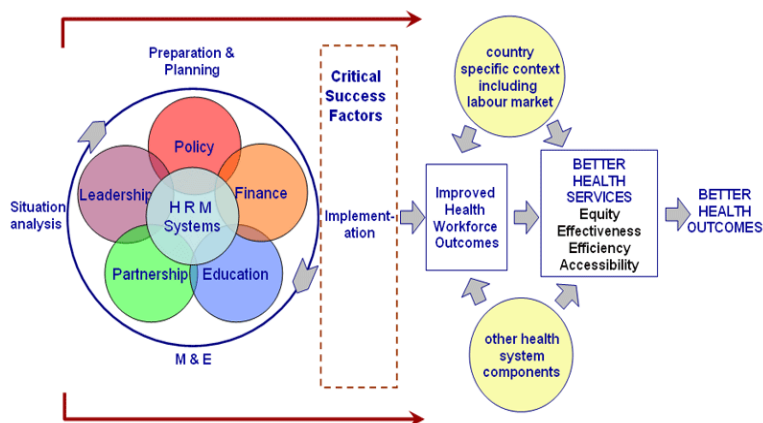
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