



#### IEA DSM Task 24: Behaviour Change in DSM

Phase II DSM – Helping the Behaviour Changers

# Insights, tools and results



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#### Agenda

#### • Why

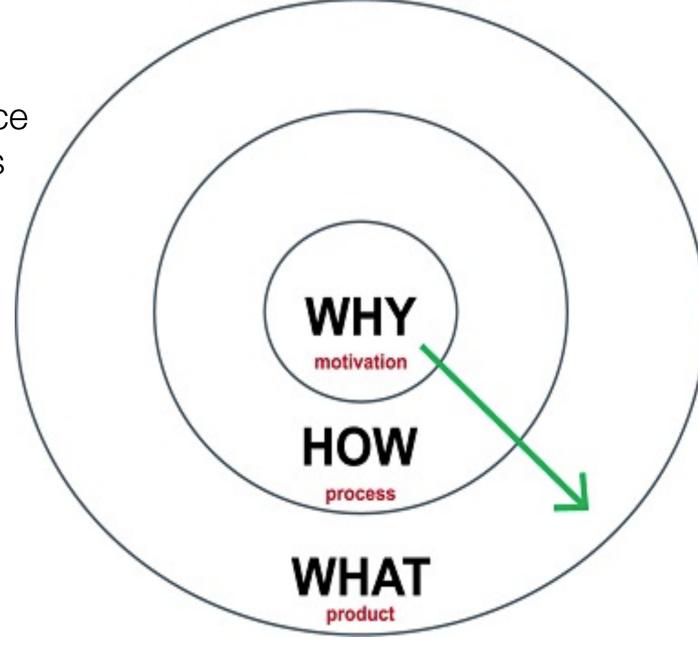
- Focus on people
- Connect science and practice
- Learn and share what works
- Serve as a global model

#### • How

- Objectives
- Subtasks
- Funding & Partners

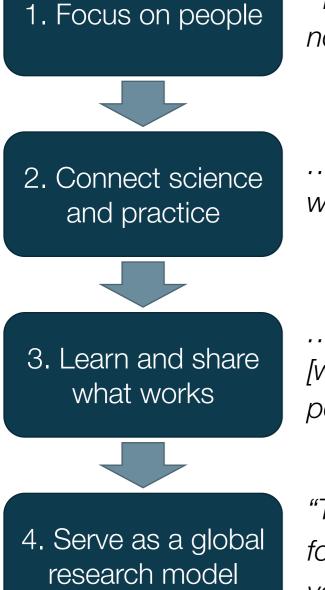
#### w What

- Toolbox
- Publications
- International Comparisons
- CHS Case Study





Simon Sinek, 2009; www.startwithwhy.com



"You must really continue the work you do! Going deeper into academia now I can see how much valuable work you have done with Task 24...

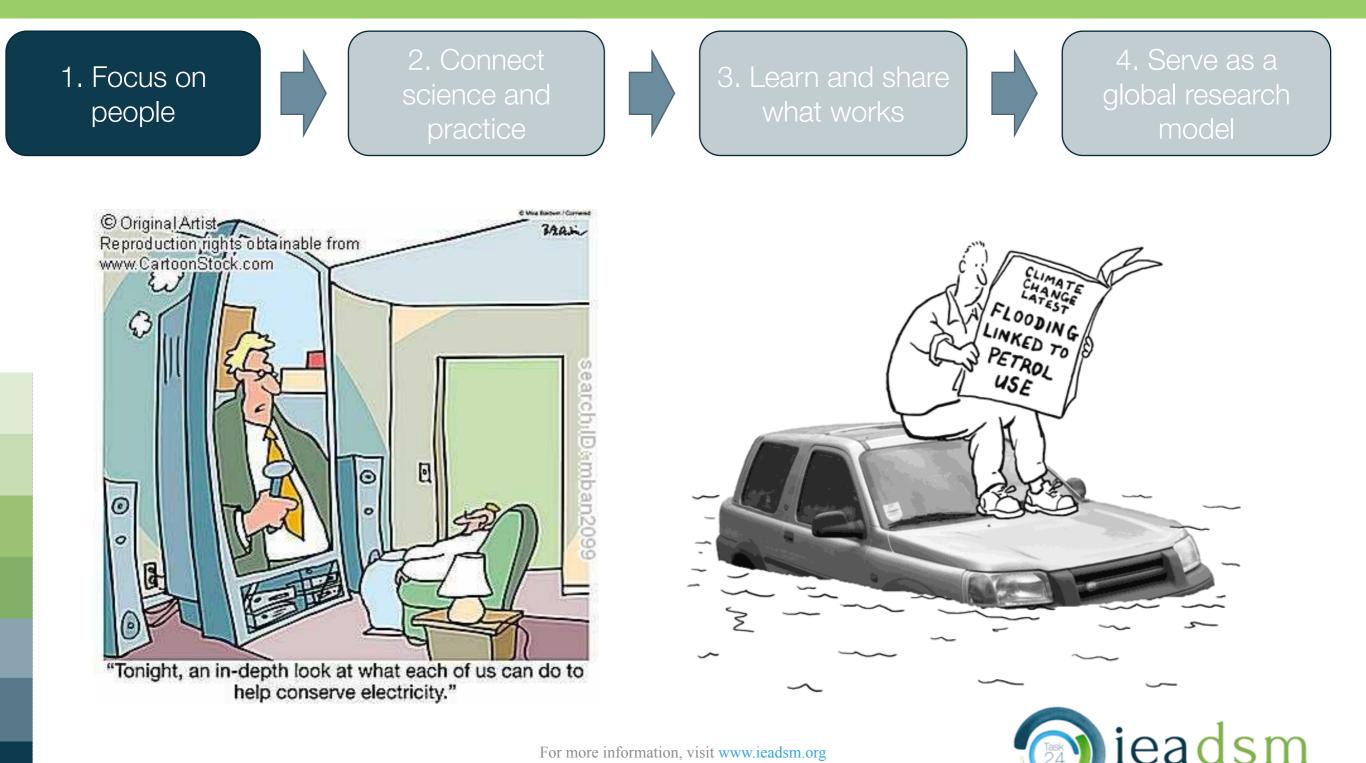
... co-creation is on everyone's lips and close to nobody understands what is needed to actually get it to work...

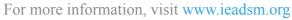
... This is why the experimental second part of Task 24 was so valuable – [we] could really see what can work, and what definitely doesn't. Few people have such experience."

- Svetlana Gross, outgoing Swedish alternate ExCo (via email)

"The edge of the DSM TCP is that it's the only one in the IEA that really focuses on the human side of the energy system. It is really important that you continue to tell this story." - Michele de Nigri, EUWP Chair (May 2017 ExCo meeting)







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#### Hub

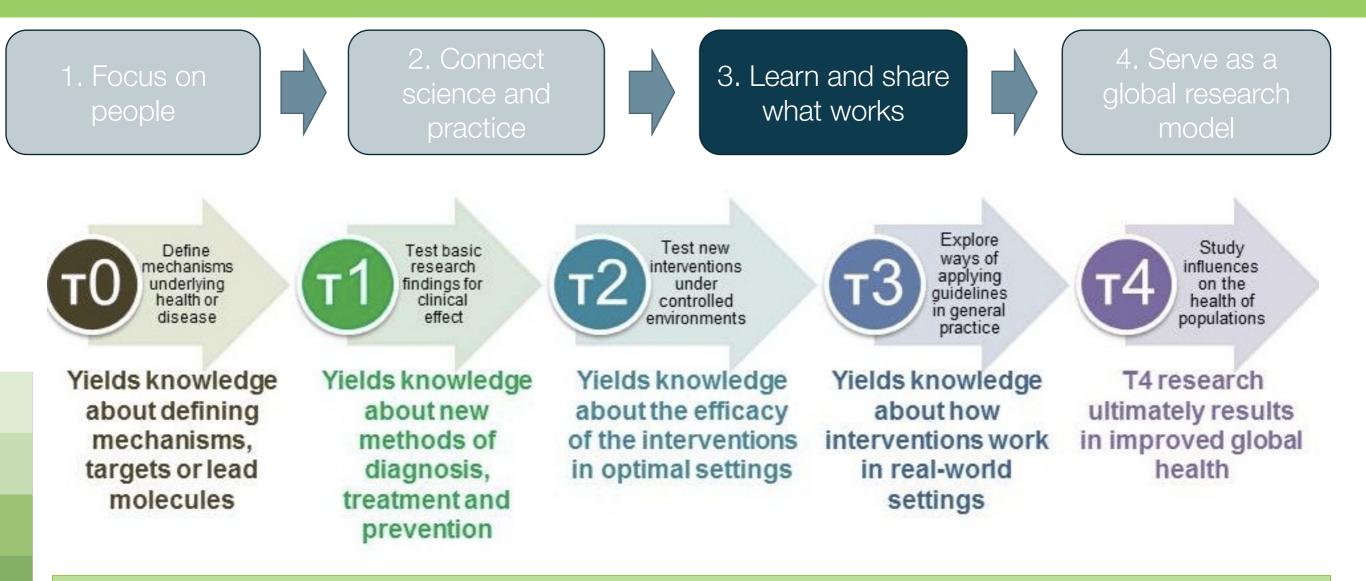
Broad and systemic perspective

Focus on replicability and scalability

Geographically inclusive, recognise energy access



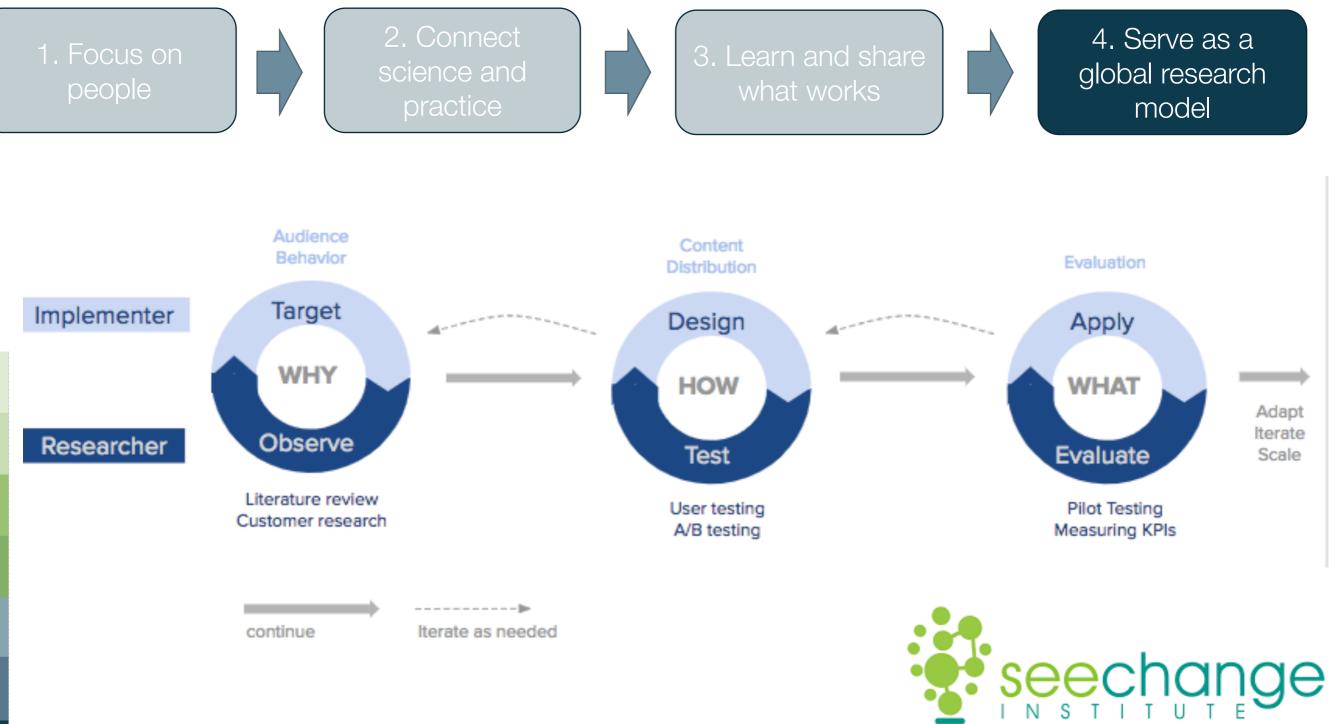
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"Research is necessary at every policy stage: to identify a problem, to design a solution, to evaluate the outcome."

- Gjulia Pizzini, Horizon 2020 Programme Officer, European Commission





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#### WHY Task 24 – Objective in a tweet (or two)

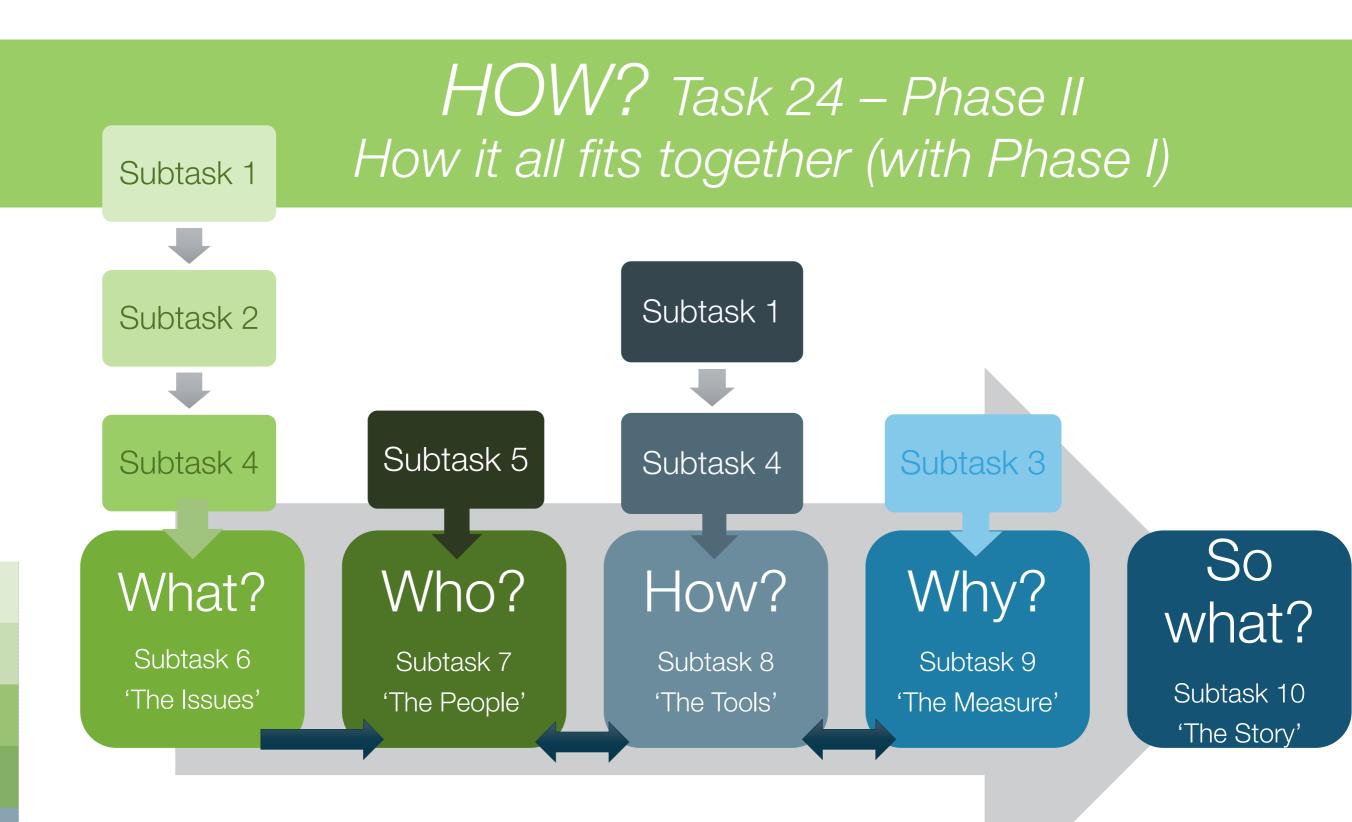
The overarching impact of this Task is to provide a helicopter overview of best practice approaches to behaviour change interventions and practical, tailored guidelines and tools of how to best design, implement, evaluate and disseminate them in real life.







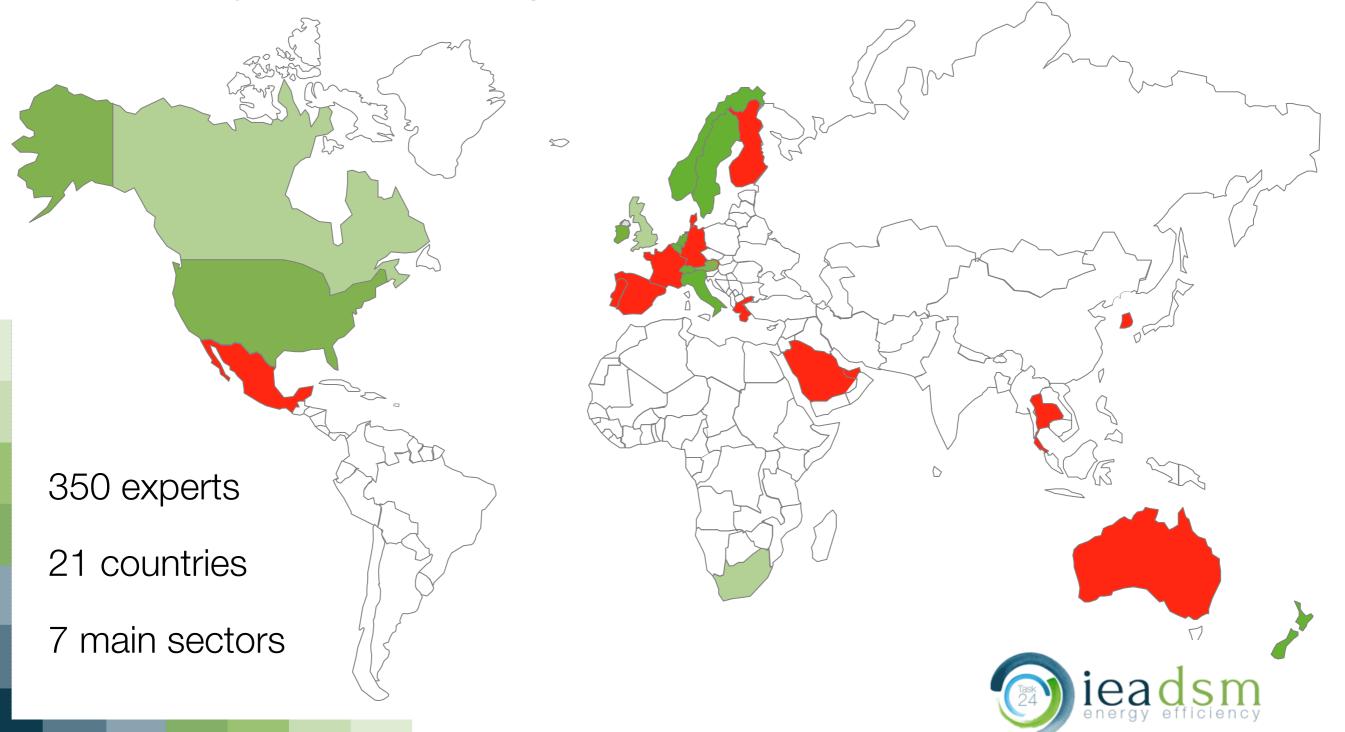
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### HOW: Expert Network (Subtask 5)

Participating countries, contributing experts

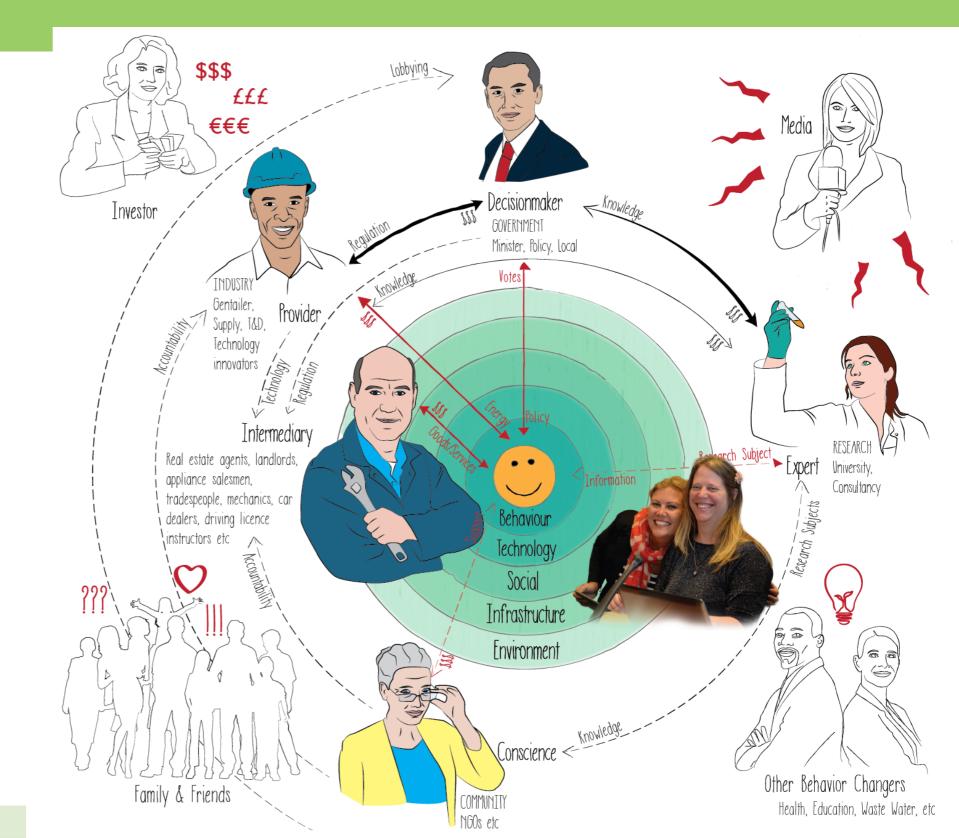


# HOW: Task 24 Multi-stakeholder facilitation (Subtasks 6-7)

#### The Five Conditions of Collective Impact

Common Agenda	All participants have a <b>shared vision for change</b> including a common understanding of the problem and a joint approach to solving it through agreed upon actions.
Shared Measurement	Collecting data and measuring results consistently across all participants ensures efforts remain aligned and participants hold each other accountable.
Mutually Reinforcing Activities	Participant activities must be <b>differentiated while still being</b> coordinated through a mutually reinforcing plan of action.
Continuous Communication	Consistent and open communication is needed across the many players to build trust, assure mutual objectives, and appreciate common motivation.
Backbone Support	Creating and managing collective impact requires a dedicated staff and a specific set of skills to serve as the backbone for the entire initiative and coordinate participating organizations and agencies.
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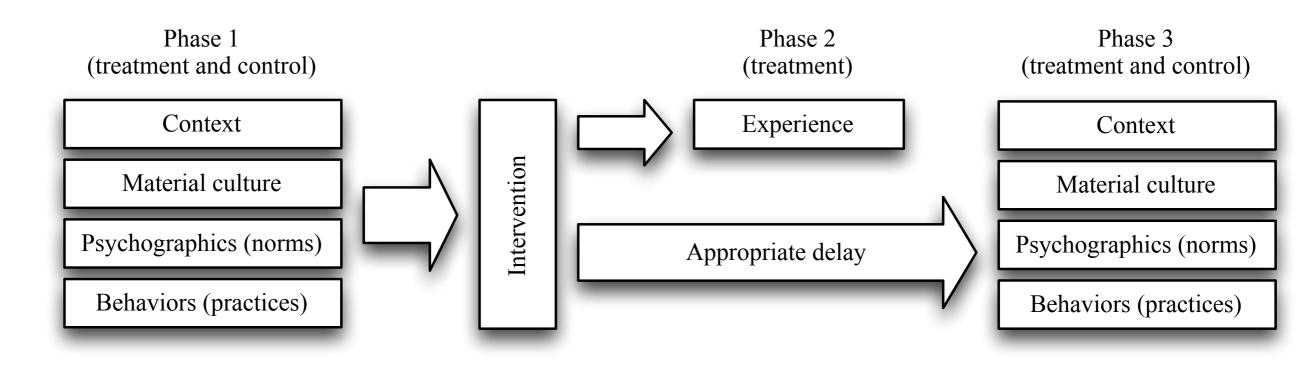
# HOW: Task 24 "Magic Carpet" (Subtask 8)





#### HOW: Task 24 "Beyond kWh" (Subtask 9)

#### FIGURE 5: EVALUATION PROCESS



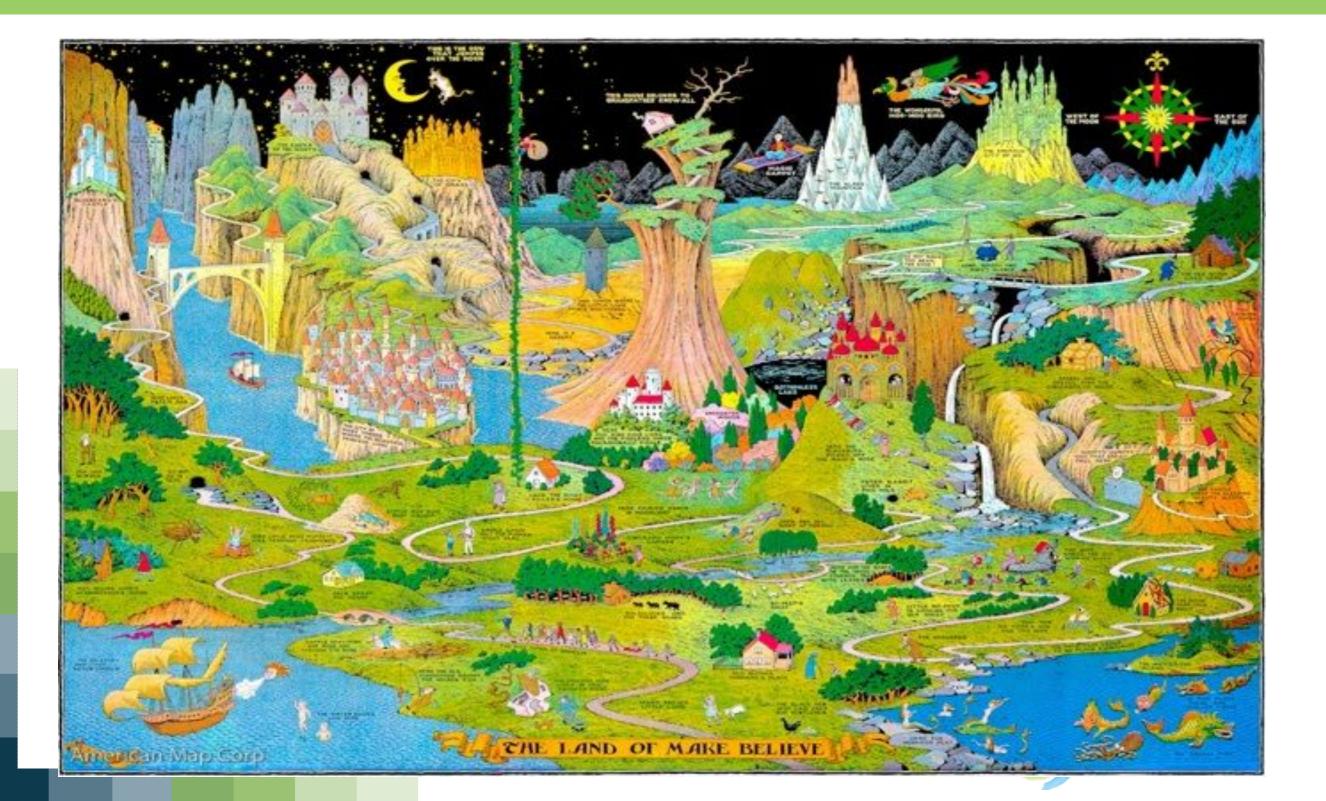
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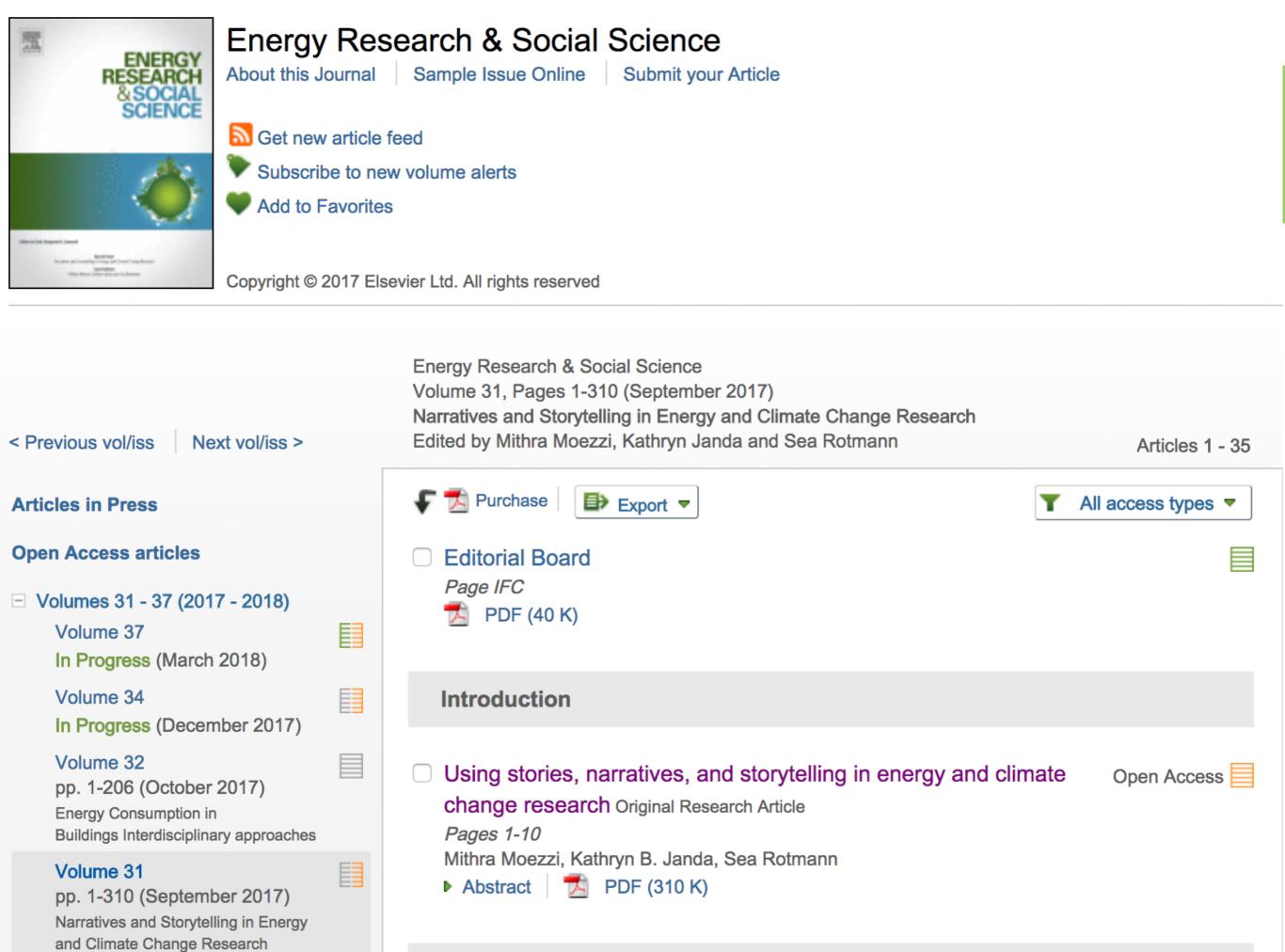






# HOW: Task 24 Toolkit & Dissemination (Subtasks 8 & 10)





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Carolinas HealthCare System

# Subtask 11: Designing Energy Behaviour

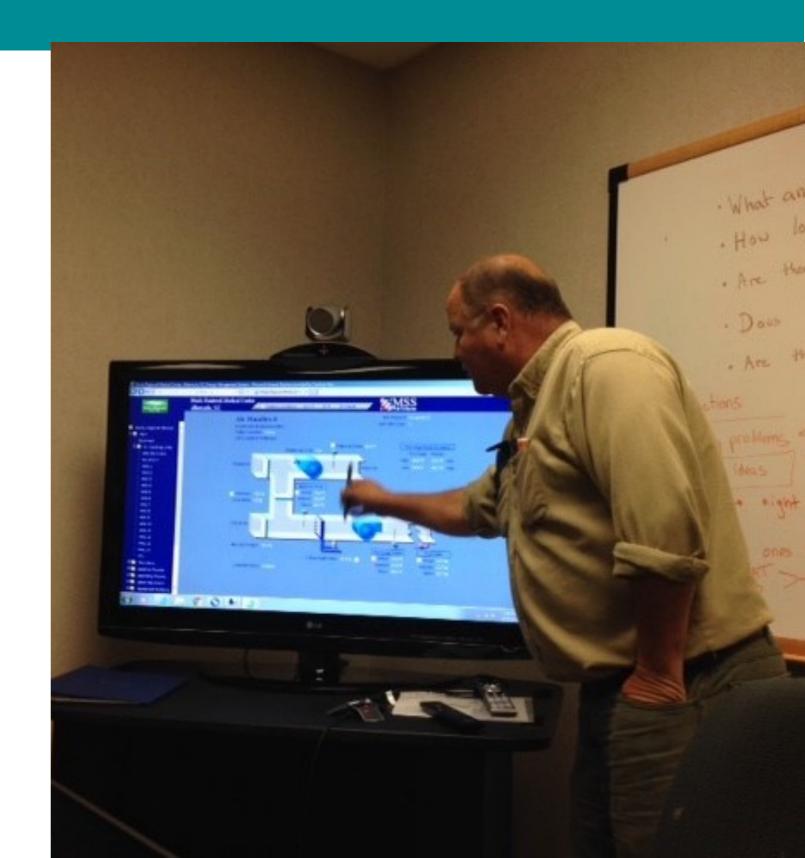
Leading Change in Carolinas HealthCare System

#### Carolinas HealthCare System

- 940 care locations
- 62,000+ staff
- 7500 beds
- 17.5 M ft2
- 12.5 M patient encounters/year
- Utilities \$37M

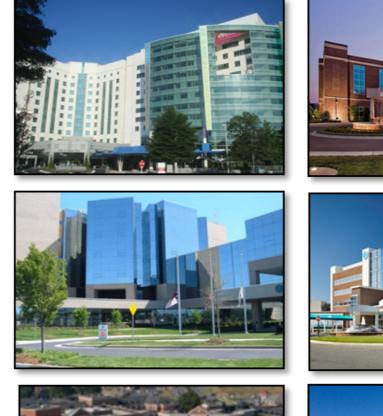
NFRGY

• Energy Management born in 2012



#### Why Hospitals?

**Energy Connect** will help link human actions to energy savings, natural resource conservation and patient experience.





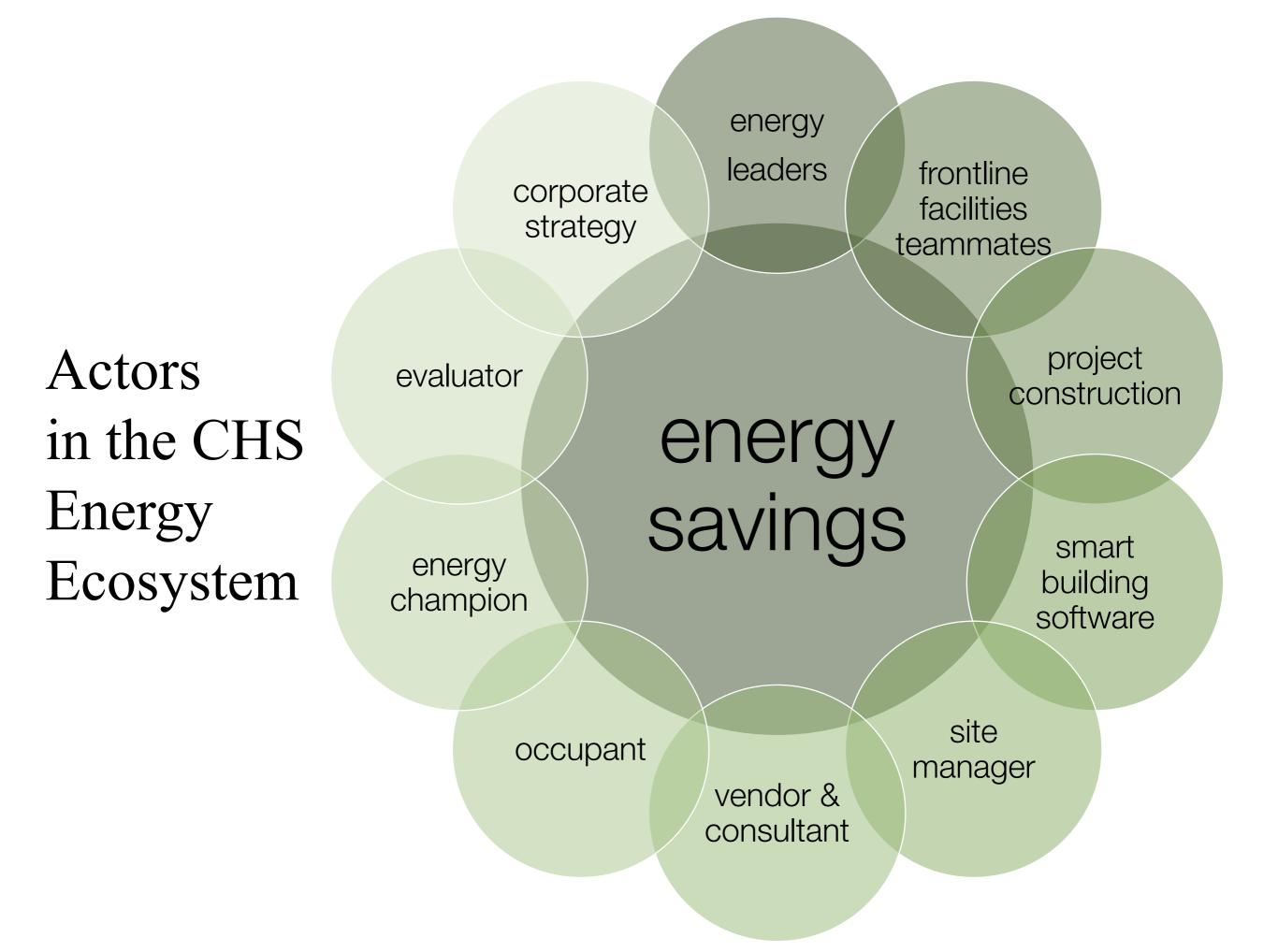












#### Thinking In Systems







### Insights

- Hierarchical culture
  - "Building Operators are not part of corporate decision making"
- Extreme operational demands
  - "Sometimes, 24/7 operations used an excuse to delay action"
- Highly regulated sector

"Safety comes first at any cost"

 Willingness to fix problems is much stronger than willingness to get it right from the start

"We can only consider first, costs, and if the payback is less than five years, it can't be done"

• We don't value the skills required to run the buildings

"We don't hire technically skilled people to run the complex systems installed"

• High tolerance for short-term solutions

"We are always putting out fires and juggling grenades"





#### Brief History of Energy Connect

Participatory Research				
•Surveys	Training			
•Focus Groups	Grant 2016-2018	Design Team		
<ul> <li>Interviews</li> </ul>	DOE building re-	Test locations		
<ul> <li>Workshop</li> </ul>	tuning Revised Curriculum	Interventions		
•Summit		Baseline		
		Evaluation and proof		





#### **Energy Connect for Building Mechanics**

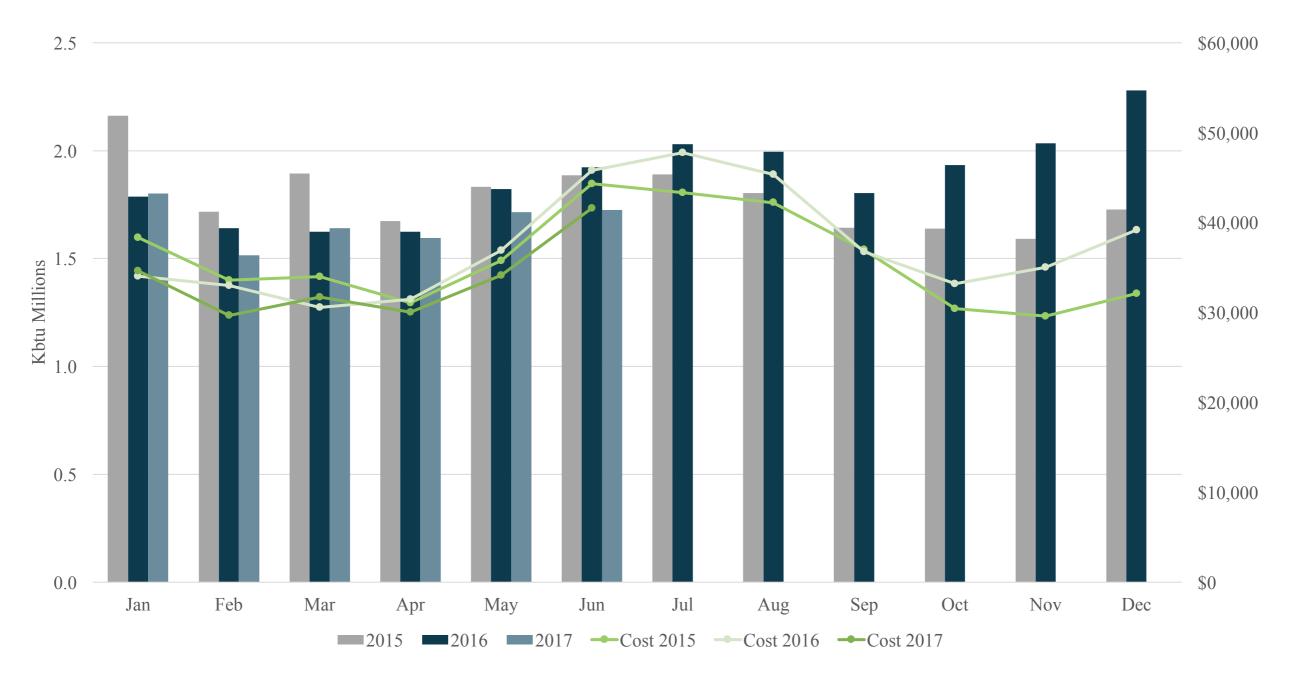
#### **First 5 interventions:**

- 1. Make data visible
- 2. Select and support a site-based Energy Champion
- 3. Develop a hot/cold call response process flow
- 4. Document adjustments in the BAS
- 5. Promote conversation between occupants and facilities with regard to energy savings





#### Medical Center Plaza Case Study 2017







#### 2016 Energy and Dollar Trajectory at MCP

2016	Energy Trend	Dollar Trend
January to May	8%	\$6,812
June to December	15%	\$24,023
Summary January to December	6%	\$17,212





#### 2017 Energy and Dollar Trajectory at MCP

2017	Energy Trend	Dollar Trend
January to June	4%	\$3,691
Projected: July to December	17%	\$29,000
Projected: January to December	11%	\$38,973





#### Energy Stories... Bring Energy to Life

#### Everyone has a role to play...

**Once upon a time...** there was a pediatric building that was always cold during the winter months.

**Every day...** the peds nurse would set the thermostat to 90F and over all this time, the suite temperature never increased and always stayed freezing.

**But, one day...** the engineer took a look at the discharge air temperature from the vents and found that the temperature was very cold even though the thermostat was set high. He then checked the attic and found that outside air dampers were left open! He fixed the dampers to operate properly and closed them to the minimum level.

**Because of that...** the building site began to warm up and make all the nurses and children happy.

**Until finally...** the engineer and his team now check the dampers every day during the winter.

And ever since then... everyone is warm and happy and thankful to the smart engineer. The end.

#### Thank you for your consideration! Questions? Comments?

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