

Advancing Social Change through Logic Models

Today's Presenter...

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Why we're here... To talk about building logic models as a framework for problem solving.



Have you ever created a logic model?

...do you refer to a logic model regularly in your work?

Logic Model

A graphic depiction of HOW you are going to create the change you want to see in the world.

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Increased knowledge of barriers to change

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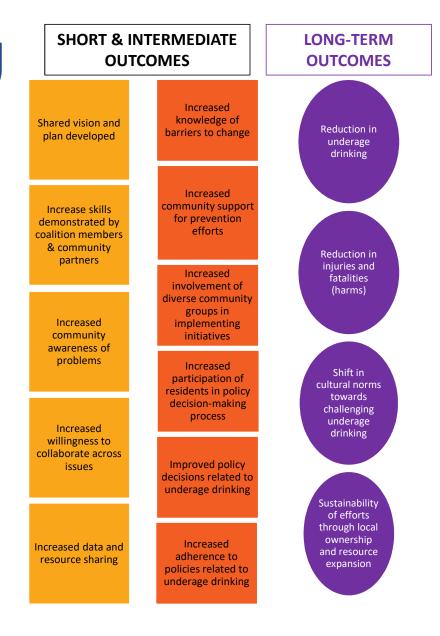
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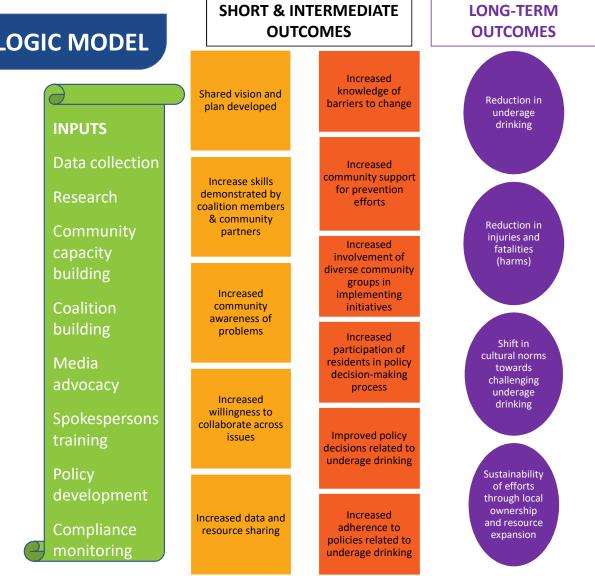
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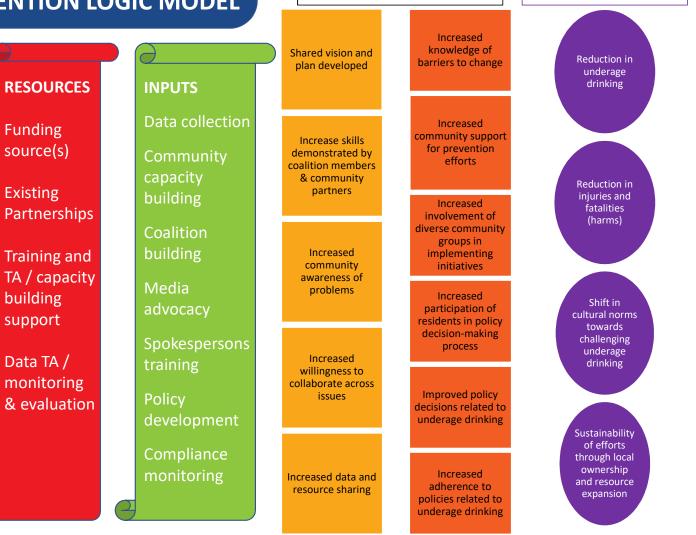
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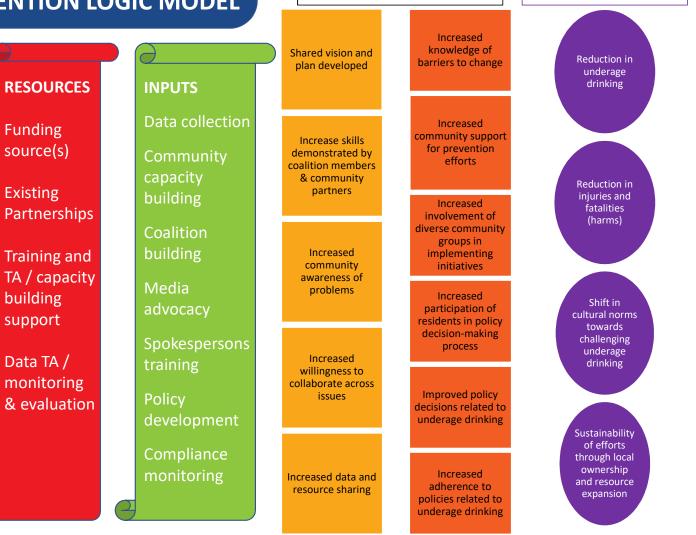
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State your basic assumptions!

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It's a useful guide, not only for you, but for your partners.

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Thank You!

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