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# **Expanding and financing Social Protection in Cambodia and experiences of the UN Joint Program**

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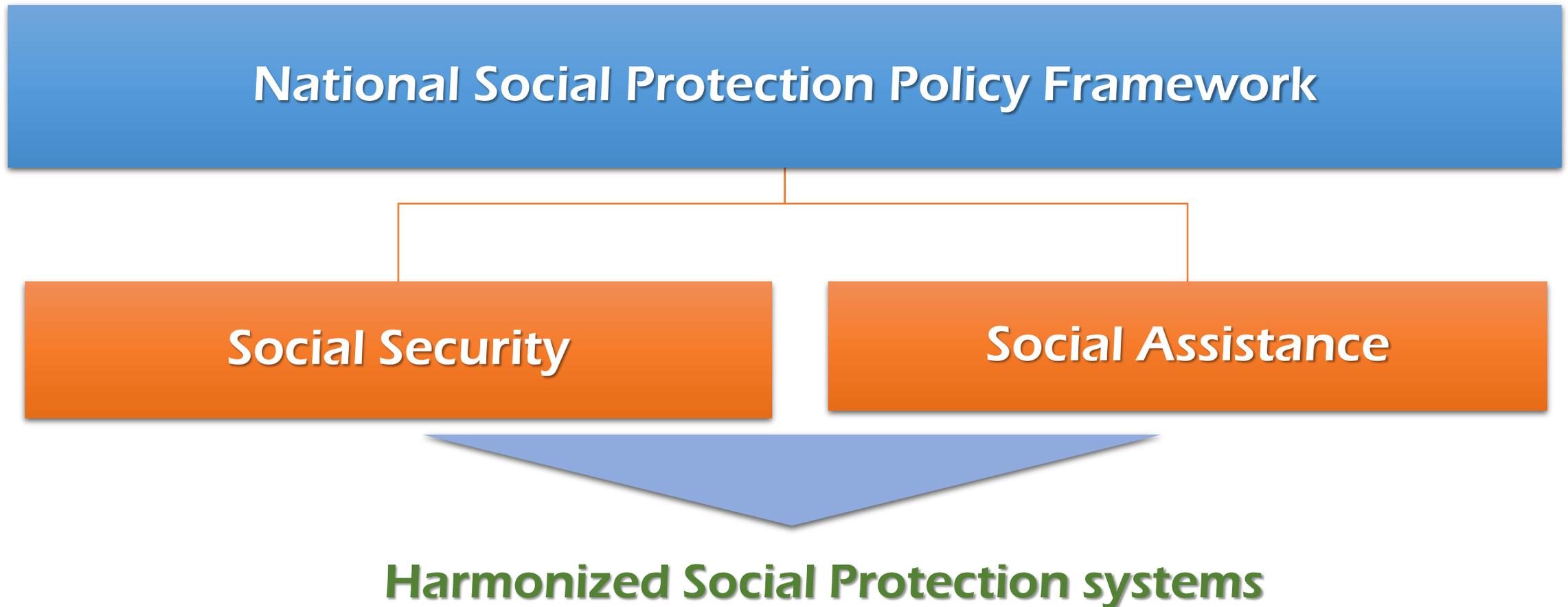
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# 1. Cambodia Social Protection Framework

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**Cambodia Social Protection Framework: To ensure the consistency and the link of the systems**



# 1. Cambodia Social Protection Framework

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The National Social Protection Policy Framework provides the consistency and harmonization of the social assistance schemes and the social security schemes with common governance

## National Social Protection System

### Social Security

Pension

Health Insurance

Employment Injury

Unemployment

### Social Assistance

Emergency  
Response

Human Capital  
Development

Vocational  
Training

Welfare for  
Vulnerable People

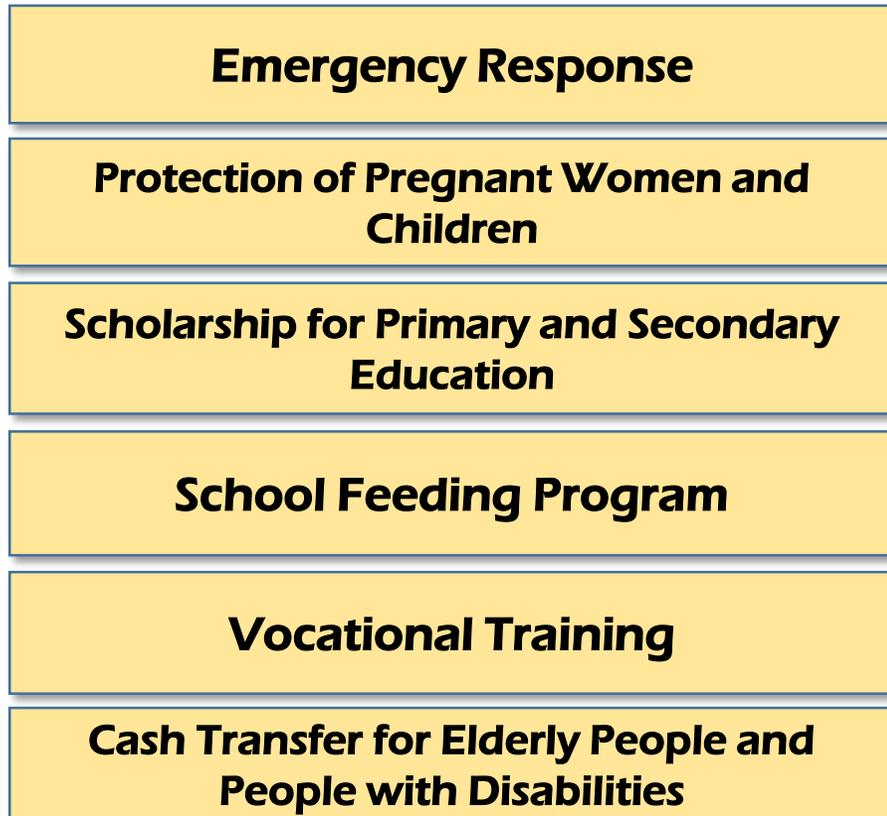
Legal framework and Provisions ÷ Develop a Social Protection draft law, by defining the governance structure of the entire social protection system, the functions and duties of all relevant ministries and institutions, the monitoring and evaluation mechanisms and the operation of each social security schemes, including social assistance programs.

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## Social Assistance

### National Social Protection Policy Framework



### Social Protection draft Law



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## Social Security

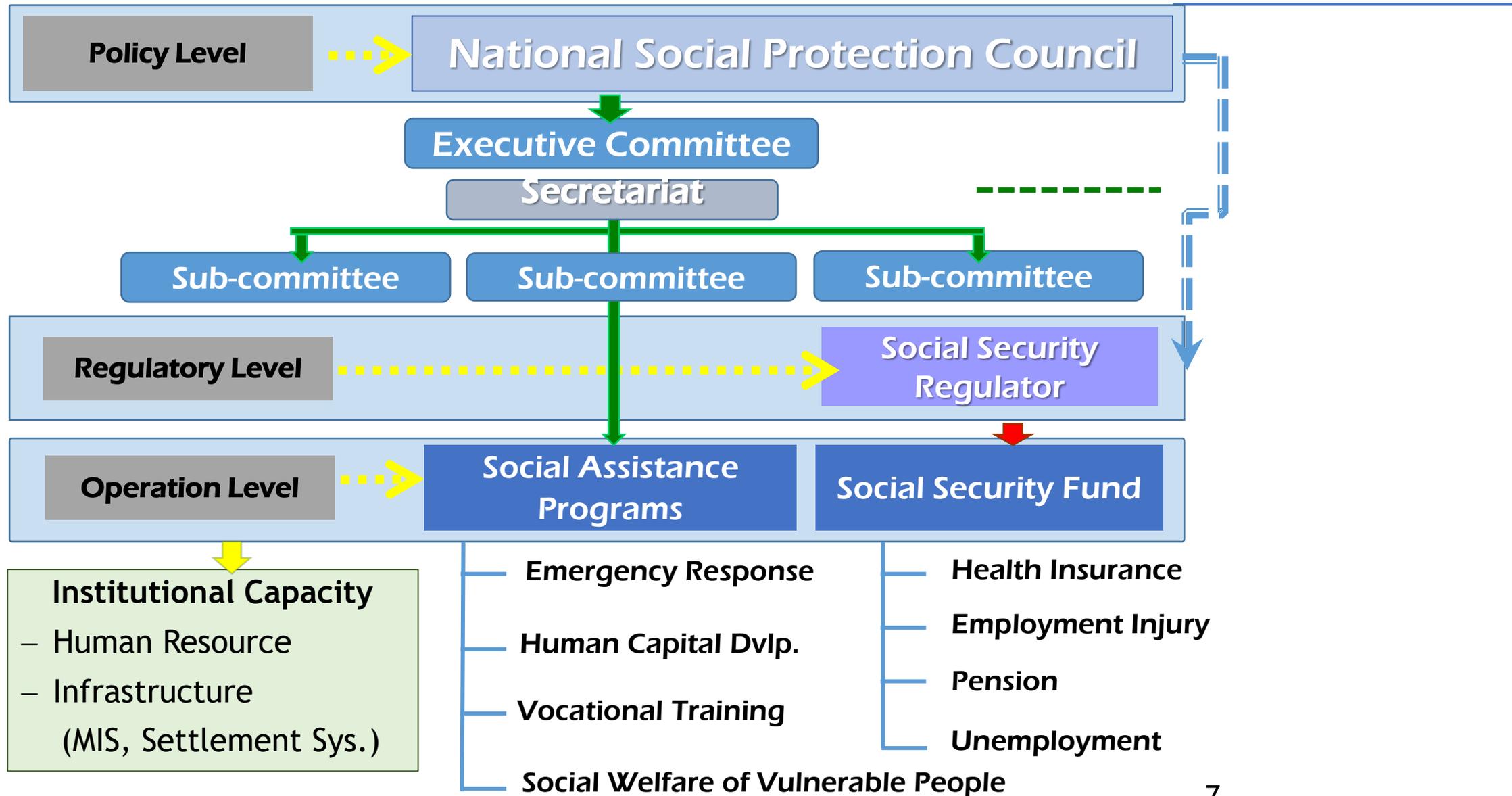
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# 2. Social Protection Governance Structure



# Characteristics and guiding principles

- Inter-sectorial, harmonization and coordination
- Efficiency and effectiveness of delivery
- Human development
- Life-cycle approach
- Poverty reduction focus
- Strong leadership role of the Royal Government of Cambodia
- Appropriate responses to the needs
- Adequacy of responses and benefits
- Safeguarding social equity and solidarity
- Adaptability to changing context



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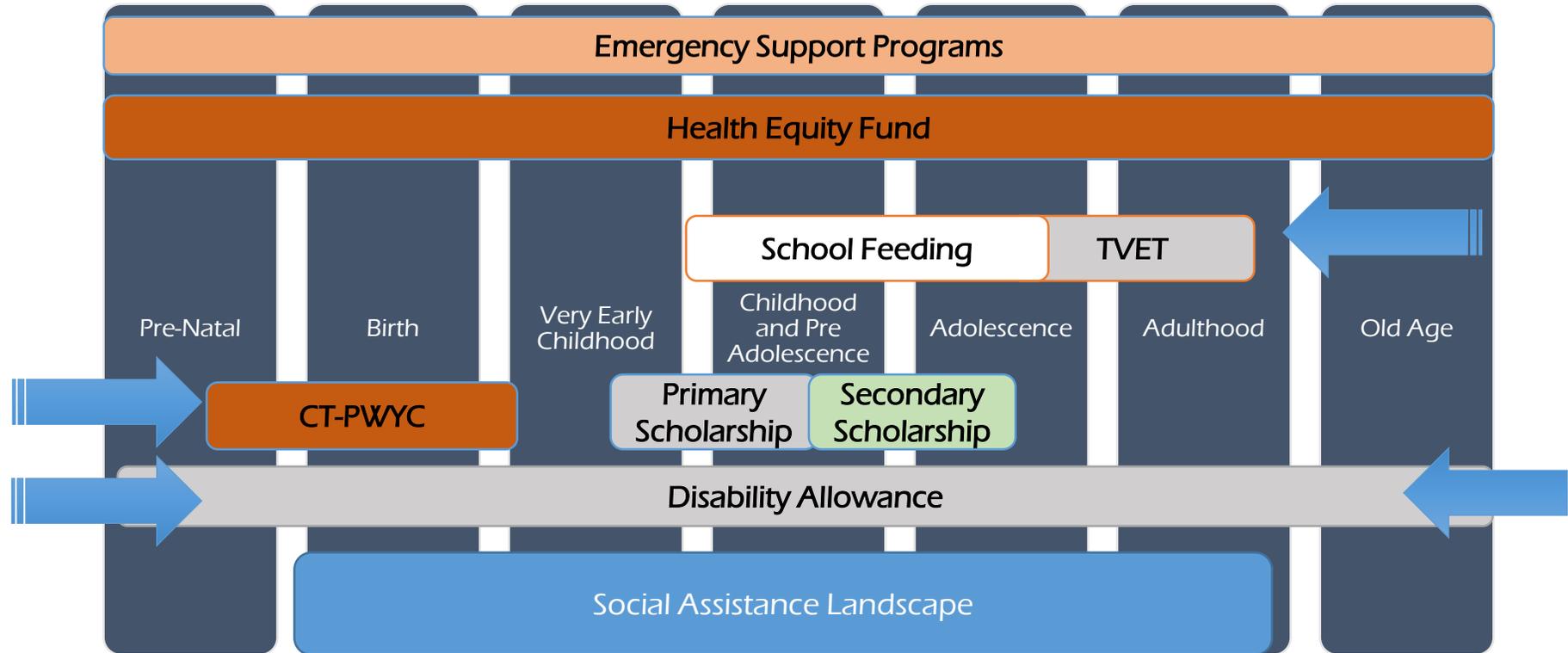
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### 3. Current Social Assistance Program

## Current Social Assistance Program



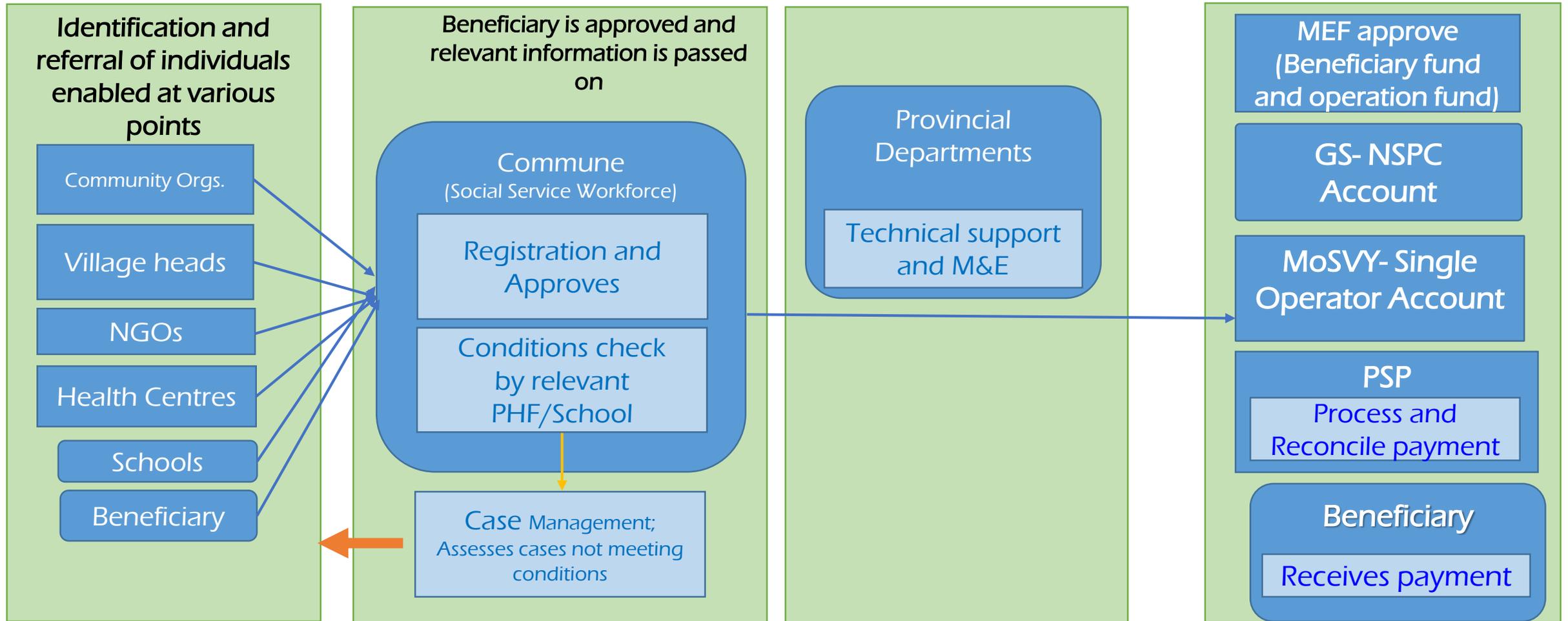
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#### Current operational cash transfer programmes

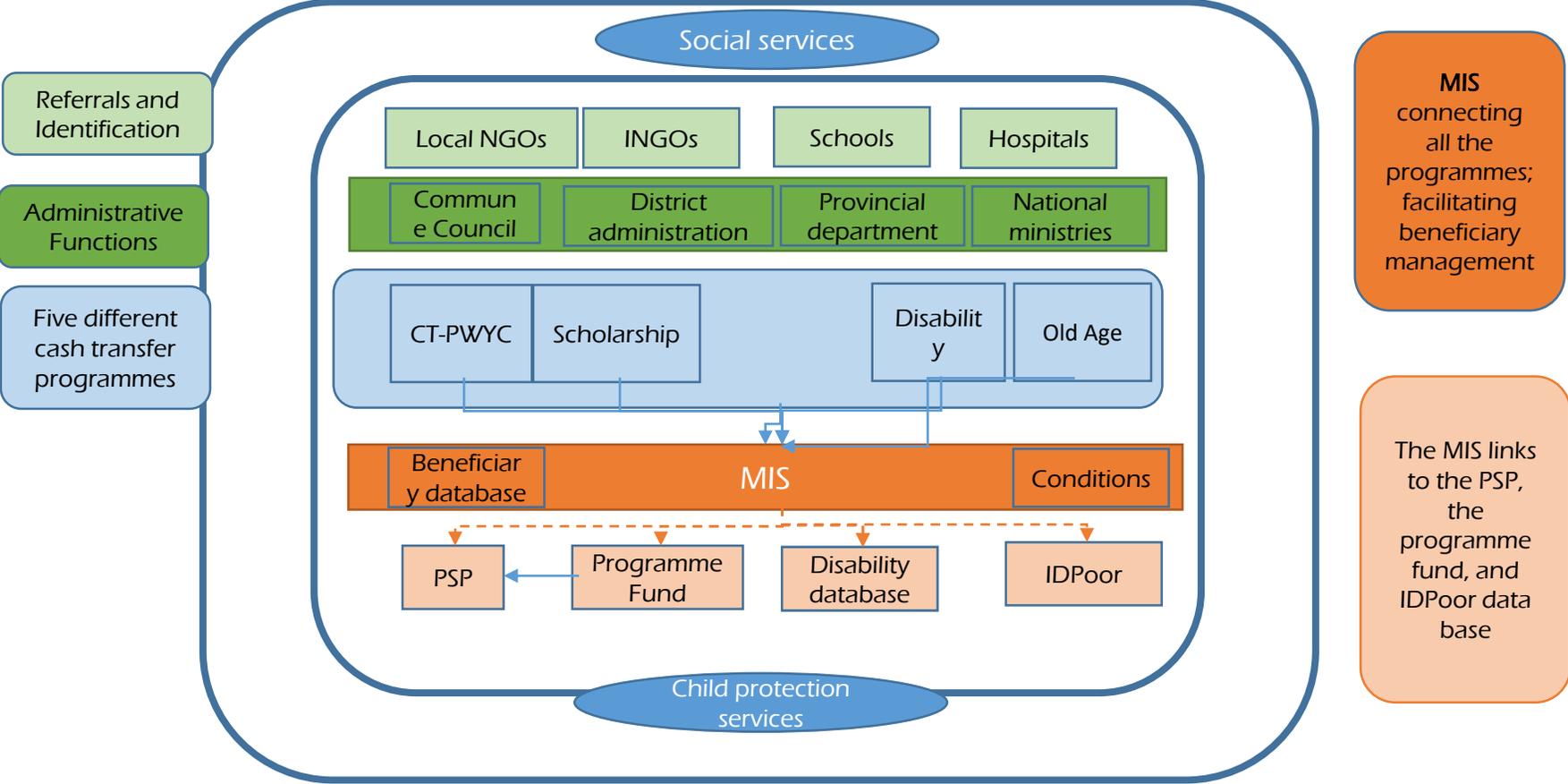
Program	Benefit Rate	Frequency of Payment	Mode of payment	Geographical Target
<b>CTP-PWC</b>	\$190 for two years <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- \$10- 4 times during pregnancy</li> <li>- \$50- 1 time for delivery (baby bonus)</li> <li>- \$10- 10 times for post delivery and child vaccination</li> </ul>	Schedule based	Electronic-payment	Nation-wide
<b>Disability Allowance</b>	Current values set at \$15 (not implement), \$30 or \$60 (based on three different levels of disability)	\$30- moderate/year \$60 severe/ year	Distribute by PDoSVy/District Deposited manually into beneficiaries' bank account (5%)	Target commune, in some districts and some provinces  (2020= 524 target communes, in 64 districts, 8 provinces)
<b>Scholarships</b>	60\$ Primary: Children grade 1-6 Secondary: Children grade 7-9	Three times a year	Cash delivery ceremony	Will check

# 4. Action Plan: Social Assistance 2020-2025

## Streamlining program delivery



# Streamlining Program Delivery Mechanism



## 5. Covid-19 and social protection responses in Cambodia

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- Covid-19 Cash Transfer program for the poor and vulnerable households affected by Covid-19
- Building on the existing cash transfer program for women and children under 2. Cambodia has been able to design and deliver the cash transfer program to 670,000 ID poor households totaling 2.7 Million individual recipients.
- The government reserved 300 Million USD of the national budget for social protection support for a period of 6 months (Jun-Dec 2020)
- The program has provided lessons learnt for developing an adaptive social protection framework and to open opportunities for a successful transition from Covid-19 to routine social assistance responses.

## 6. Experiences in working with the UN Joint Programme

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Broad support provided to expand the Cambodian Social Assistance program assisted by the UN family, Australia Aid, GIZ, including:

1. Direct technical assistance for the expansion of the social assistance coverage, including the cash transfer for pregnant women and children ages 0-2, a disability allowance program and the design of the family package
2. Technical support to develop options and design the Covid-19 CT response
3. The development of the M&E tools, including the response to Covid-19
4. Flexible and close collaboration with UN agencies and other donors building beyond the scope of the UN Joint Program documents.



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