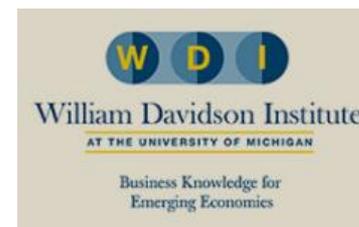


# Sustainable Drug Seller Initiative Partner Presentations



# **Ensuring Regular Inspection, Enforcement of Standards and Support Supervision of Accredited Drug Shops**

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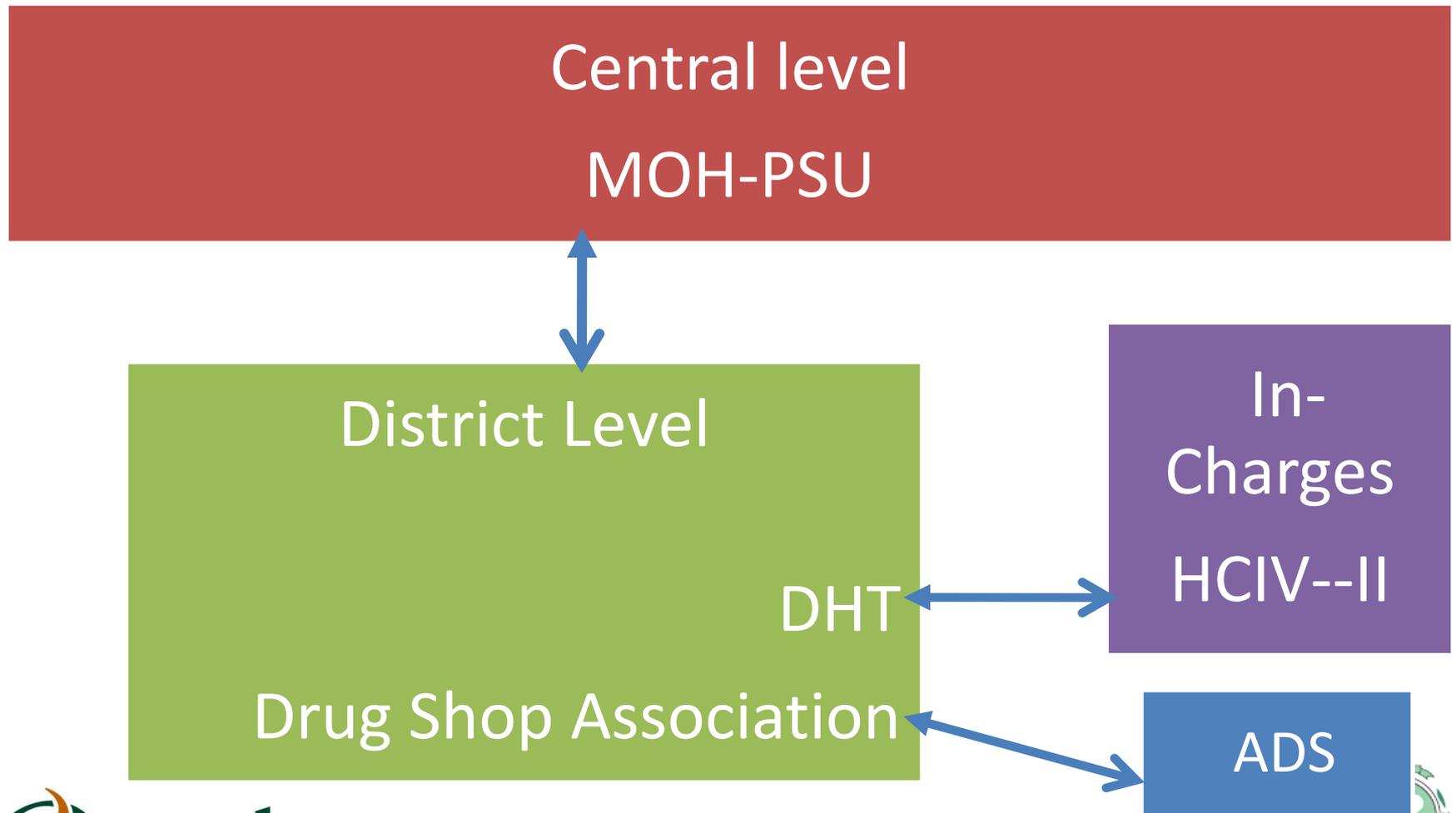
# GROUP 1

## Recommendations and Options

# Support Supervision

- PSU and MOH at the central level, and exploit already existing structures at the district level DHT and associations.
- Financing through the contributions from ADS, MOH and PSU

# Support Supervision Structure



# Strengthening Regulation

## Ensuring enforcement of standards

- Should do both accreditation and inspection
- Support supervision tools should be developed with the involvement of the NDA
- **Revocation or denial of license/accreditation certificate in next issuance;** Certification should be **revocable** or **next issuance** of accreditation certificate in cases when standards (HR, premises, practice) are not upheld. Specifically tag the recommendations by the association, local monitors, DADI, SDSI coordinator and the RID to denial of Accreditation certificate if recommendations not worked upon.
- **Incorporate ADS in existing laws and regulations;** specifically rescheduling the expanded list of medicines, standards of premises and practice to improve medicine regulation within the legal realms of Uganda.

# Strengthening Regulations

- ***Self regulation;*** Strengthen the association .
  - Borrow provisions from success full shop associations like MITYANA district.
- ***Community policing;*** Community sensitization e.g. radio talk shows will institute community policing so as to uphold the ADS standards

# Strengthening Regulations

## Crosscutting

- ***Constant Supplies for accreditation(Dispensing logs, reference books and job aids, referral books, white coats);*** be developed, updated, and issued by NDA at a reasonable fee or through the association at a further subsidized fee. This will ensure standardization.
- ***Foster Multi-sectral linkages;*** NDA, the district local governments, MOH, drug sellers associations and development partners is critical since the interventions proposed are not under one core regulatory body.
- ***Gender sensitive planning, ethics & integrity ; Should be considered when recruiting local regulatory personnel.***

**THE END**

Thank you for listening