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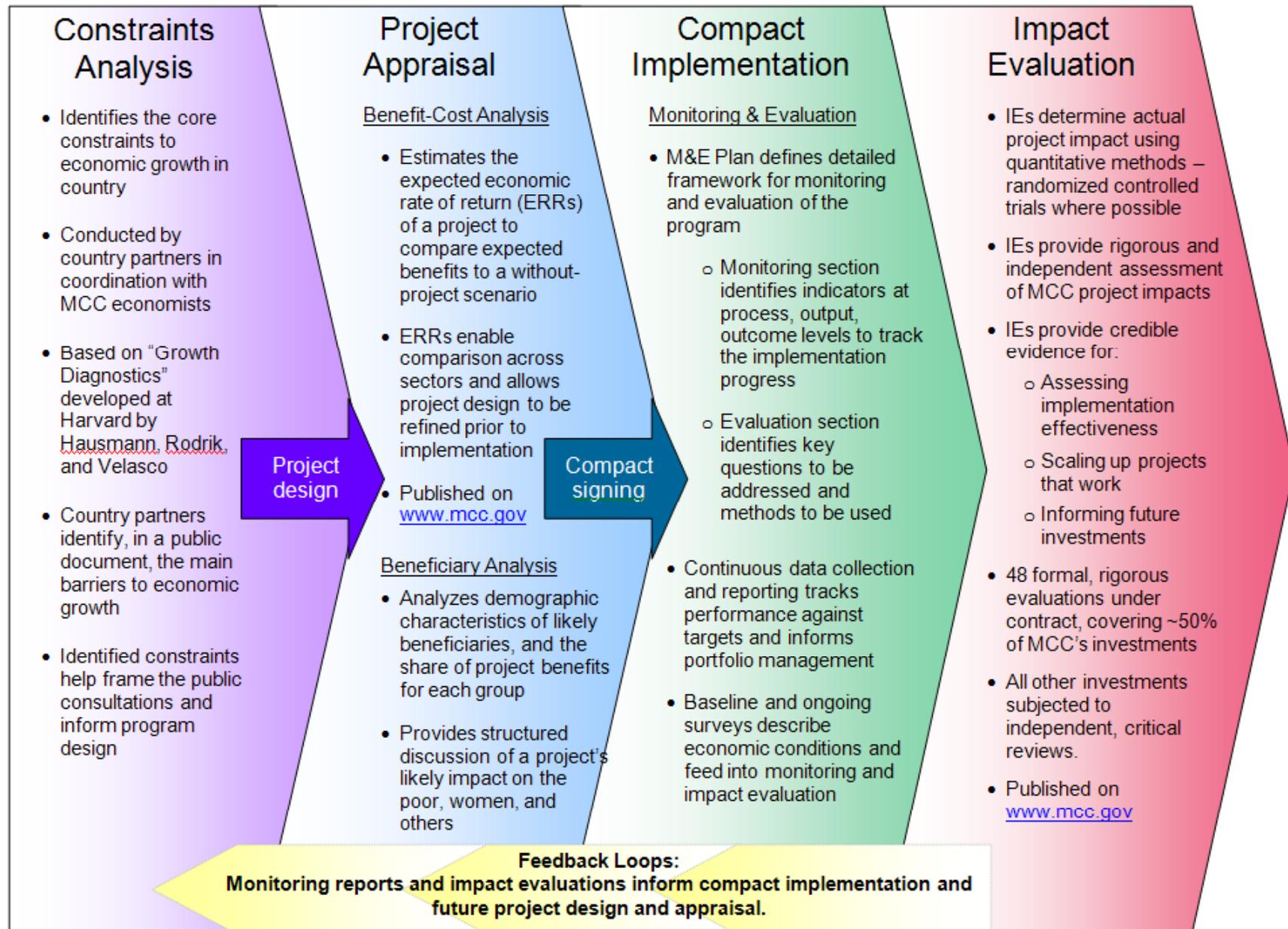


IE Challenges and MCC's Responses

Challenge 1: Ensure that MCC Uses Experience to Improve

- Document investment decisions
- Compile key questions from prior decisions
- Design Evaluations to address compiled questions
- Convene evaluators to draw lessons from recurring experience

MCC's Framework for Results



Challenge 2 - Drawing general lessons from project evaluations?

- ❑ Embed theory-based experiments in broader evaluations
 - Randomized electrical connection subsidies w/in selected TZ T&D affected communities
 - Study community risk-pooling behaviors within Namibia's Community-based Rangeland Management project

Challenge 2 - Drawing general lessons from project evaluations? (cont'd)

- Cast a wide net to ensure ample future evidence
 - Maintain and share detailed project monitoring data
 - Evaluate and share outcome and evaluation data from virtually all investments

Challenge 3: Operations: IE obstructs project impacts

- Implementer Resolution: Often resolved through improved clarity and planning in procurement and contracting. (But exceptions persist.)
- Internal Operational Resolution: Requires balancing multiple institutional objectives.

Reducing Poverty Through Growth