



SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT & BUREAUCRACY

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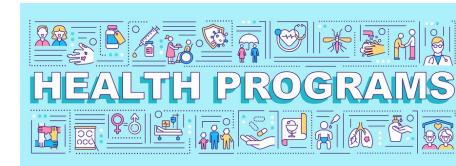
IRD PAKISTAN



Global health delivery
and research
organization



Global footprint in 15
countries

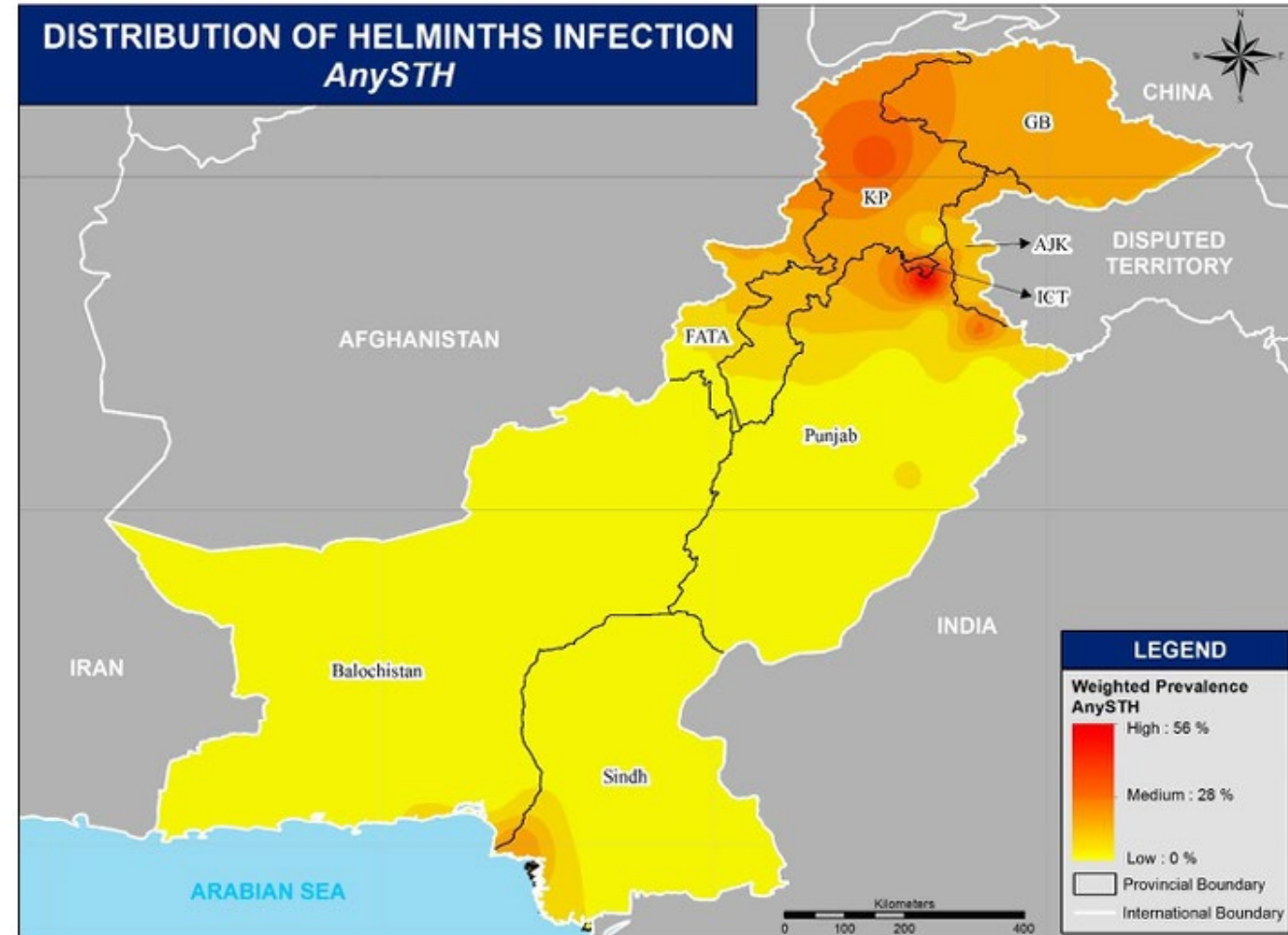


Works in infectious
diseases, non-
communicable diseases,
mental health, maternal &
child health

PAKISTAN DEWORMING INITIATIVE



- 44 districts in Pakistan
- Led by the Government of Pakistan
- Implemented as a Campaign



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Advocacy Challenges



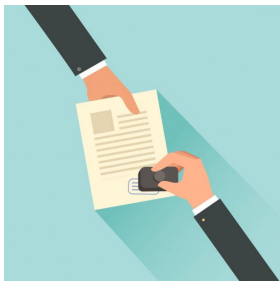
Competing priorities at the field level



Political Priorities



Covid-19 and social development programs



Bureaucracy and menial tasks

SOCIAL POLICY IMPLICATIONS

┌ Ill executed policies and fragmented work

┌ Disruption of long-term vision for tackling social issues

┌ Resource wastage

CONCLUSION



Dependency of development agencies on bureaucracy for large-scale development programs



Networking/maintaining contacts is critical

Bureaucracy is the death of all sound work

- Albert Einstein