

SIDS Partnership Quiz



What are some of the best practices that successful partnerships rely on?

NEXT QUESTION

- Sustainable funding
- Strong leadership
- Ownership, mutual trust, respect, transparency and accountability
- A high degree of participation with shared commitments and benefits
- A robust governance structure
- Support from the highest political levels
- A review and monitoring process
- A clear, mandate agreed upon by all partners, with focused science-based goals and objectives
- The ability to withstand shock
- Partnership champions

That is correct!

The best practices listed here came out of the Regional Partnership Dialogues ([Outcomes of the Regional Partnership Dialogues can be found here](#)), and were common characteristics of the successful partnerships that presented their results at the dialogues. In addition to these qualities, it was agreed that partnerships must be inclusive of all stakeholders, and an effort must be made to include marginalized groups so as to leave no one behind. Successful partnerships bring together all stakeholders from the very beginning, ensuring ownership in the process.

Partnerships need to be accountable to their beneficiaries and maintain dialogue with all partners, including communities, throughout the lifetime of the partnership. In order to have buy-in from communities, NGOs and civil society need to be involved. The involvement of academia can improve the scientific (including social science) basis of partnerships, as well as their design and monitoring. Partnerships must also work and cooperate with government and government entities. There is also a need to enhance the involvement of the private sector in all regions, including through the use of evidence-based information and data.