

NOW THE FUTURE IS NOW

Future Bricks



A Collaboration Playbook



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Future Bricks brings to life the conversations, insights, and themes captured at the PIEF 2025 EVOLVE Conference. It turns collective reflection into shared action.

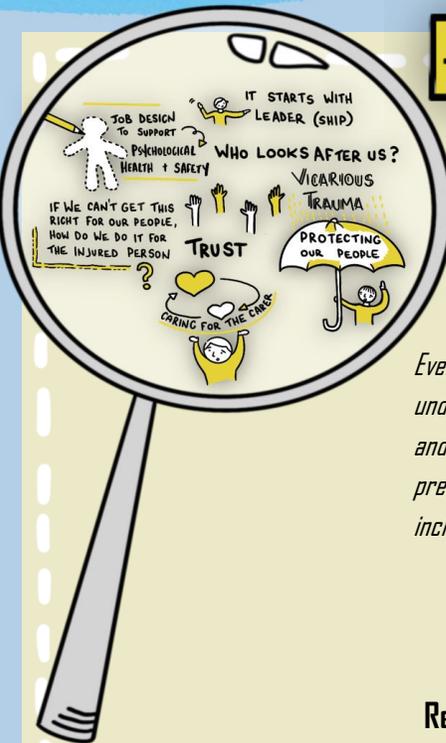
How to use it

Each page explores one of the six key themes that emerged from the conference. Use the visuals to spark reflection and the prompts to identify opportunities in your own organisation.

Follow the Future Bricks process to shape your ideas, test them, and share them back with the PIEF community. Together, we're building capability, connection, and collaboration.

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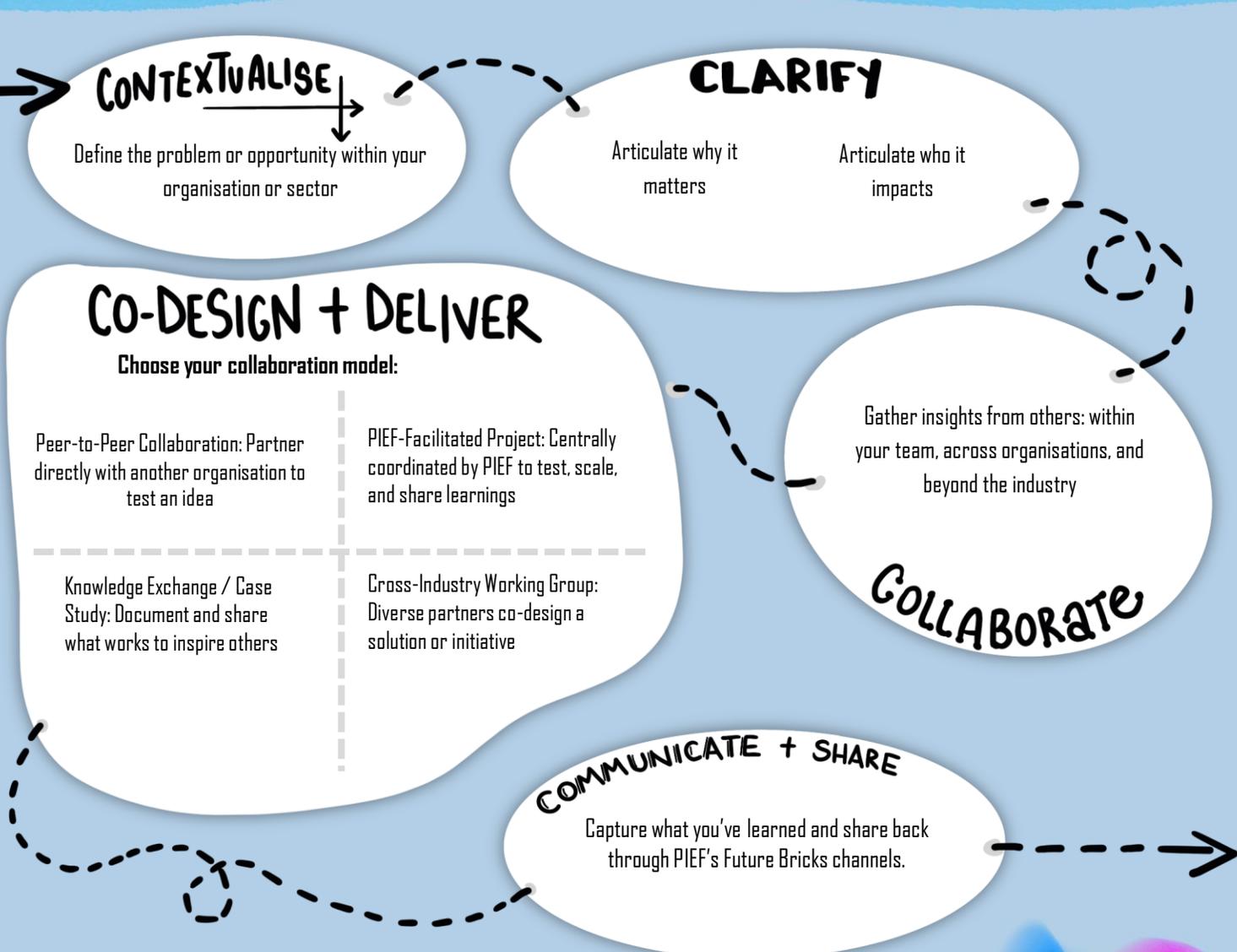


Diversity, Equity, Cultural Safety + Wellbeing & Psychosocial Resilience

Everyone deserves to feel safe, respected, and understood. Strong leadership sets the tone for wellbeing and clarity of role. When we protect our people from pressure, fatigue, and trauma, we strengthen trust, inclusion, and outcomes for injured people.

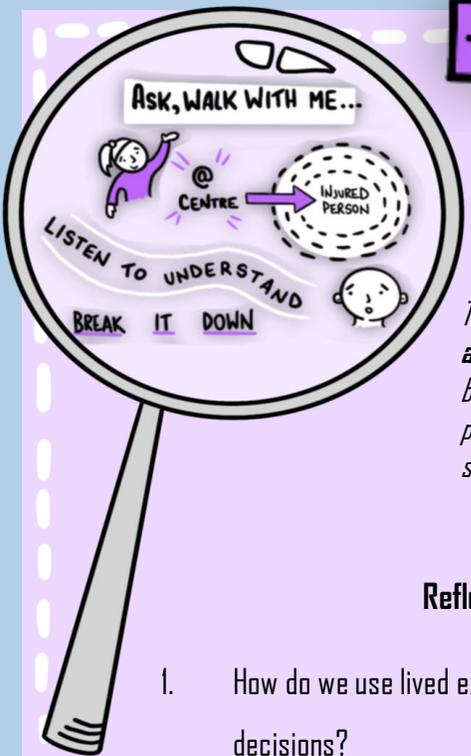
Reflection Prompts:

1. What supports or safeguards do we have for staff wellbeing?
2. How do we build cultural safety and trust in daily interactions?
3. Where can leadership show empathy in action?



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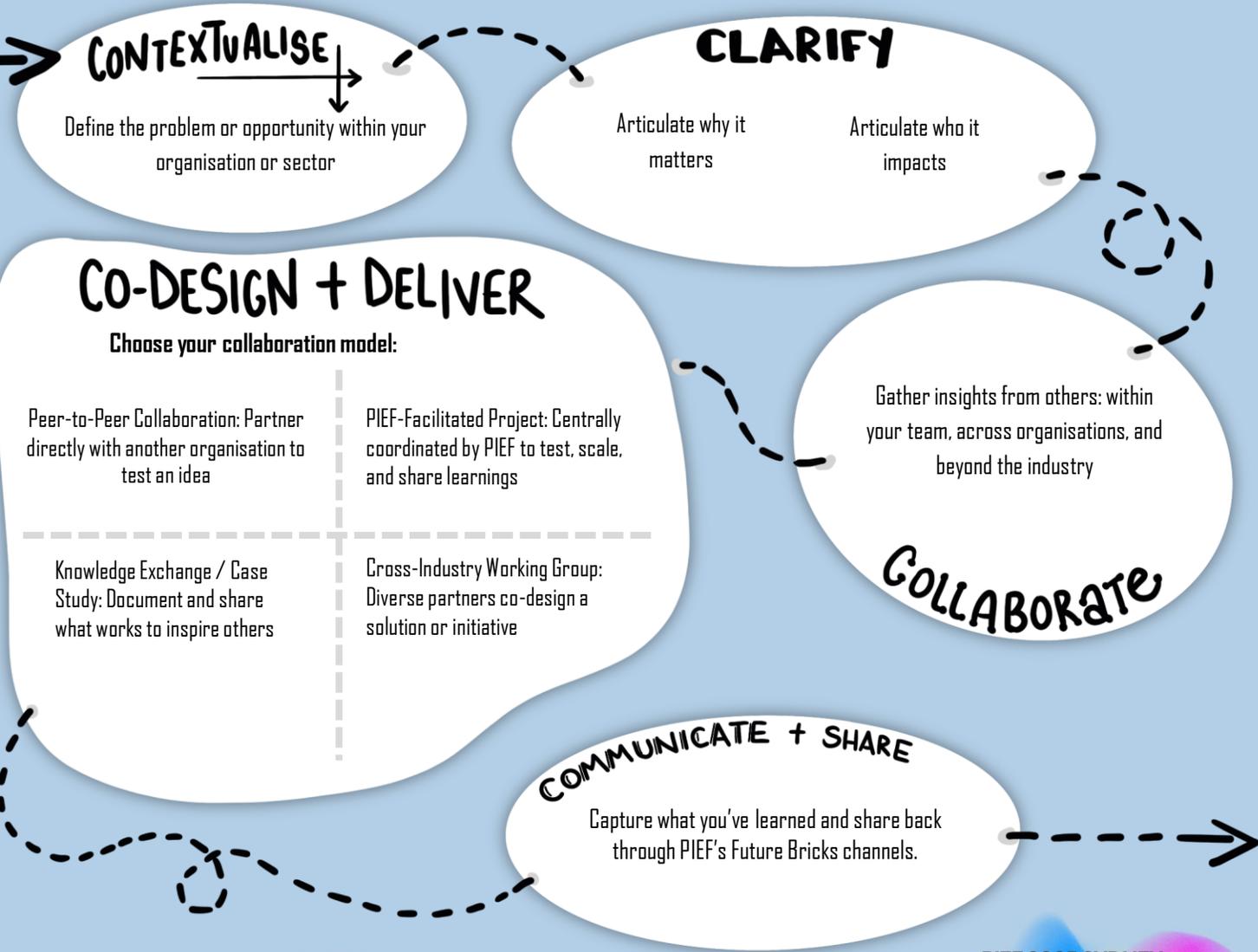


Injured Person + Lived Experience

The injured person must remain at the centre; always. Simplifying complexity removes barriers and supports recovery. Recovery is a partnership built on listening, empathy, and shared decisions.

Reflection Prompts:

1. How do we use lived experience to inform design and decisions?
2. What barriers can we remove for injured people?
3. How do we ensure empathy drives every interaction?



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Define the problem or opportunity within your organisation or sector

CLARIFY

Articulate why it matters

Articulate who it impacts

CO-DESIGN + DELIVER

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Injured Person + Lived Experience





Workforce Capability, Career Pathways + Professionalism

Skilled, passionate people are the heart of this industry. Clear roles, structured onboarding, and defined pathways create confidence and retention. Professionalism is built through both technical and human skills.

Reflection Prompts:

1. How do we build clarity and confidence through onboarding?
2. What development pathways help attract and keep great people?
3. How do National Standards support consistency and pride in our work?



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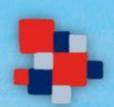
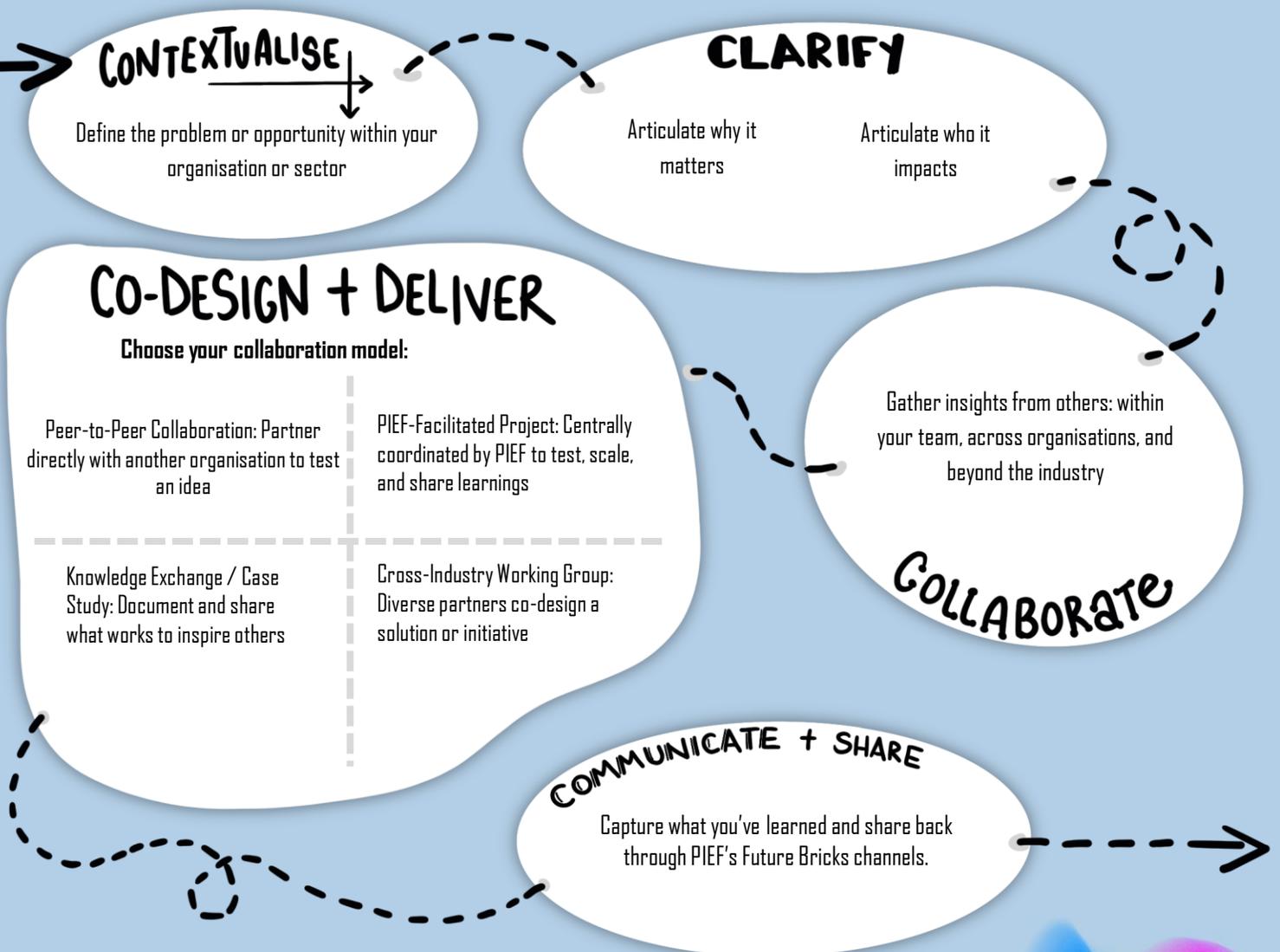


Rural, Remote + Underserved Contexts

Every person deserves fair, consistent support; no matter where they live. Access gaps persist, but technology and collaboration can bridge them. A holistic approach includes family, community, and culture in recovery.

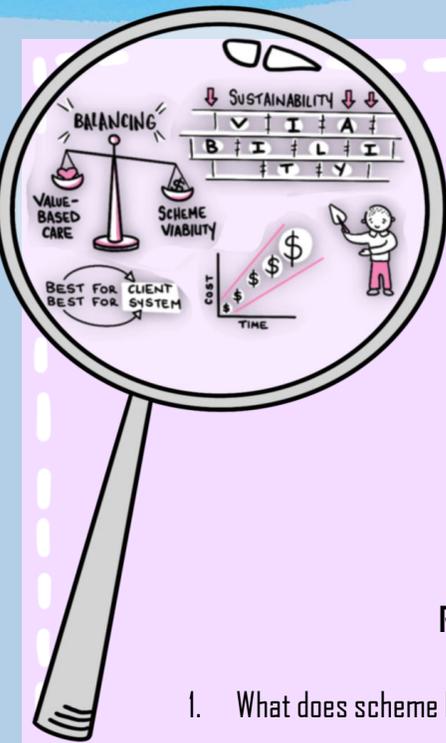
Reflection Prompts:

1. Where do access gaps exist for our customers or teams?
2. What partnerships can improve reach and equity?
3. How do we adapt services to reflect local or cultural context?



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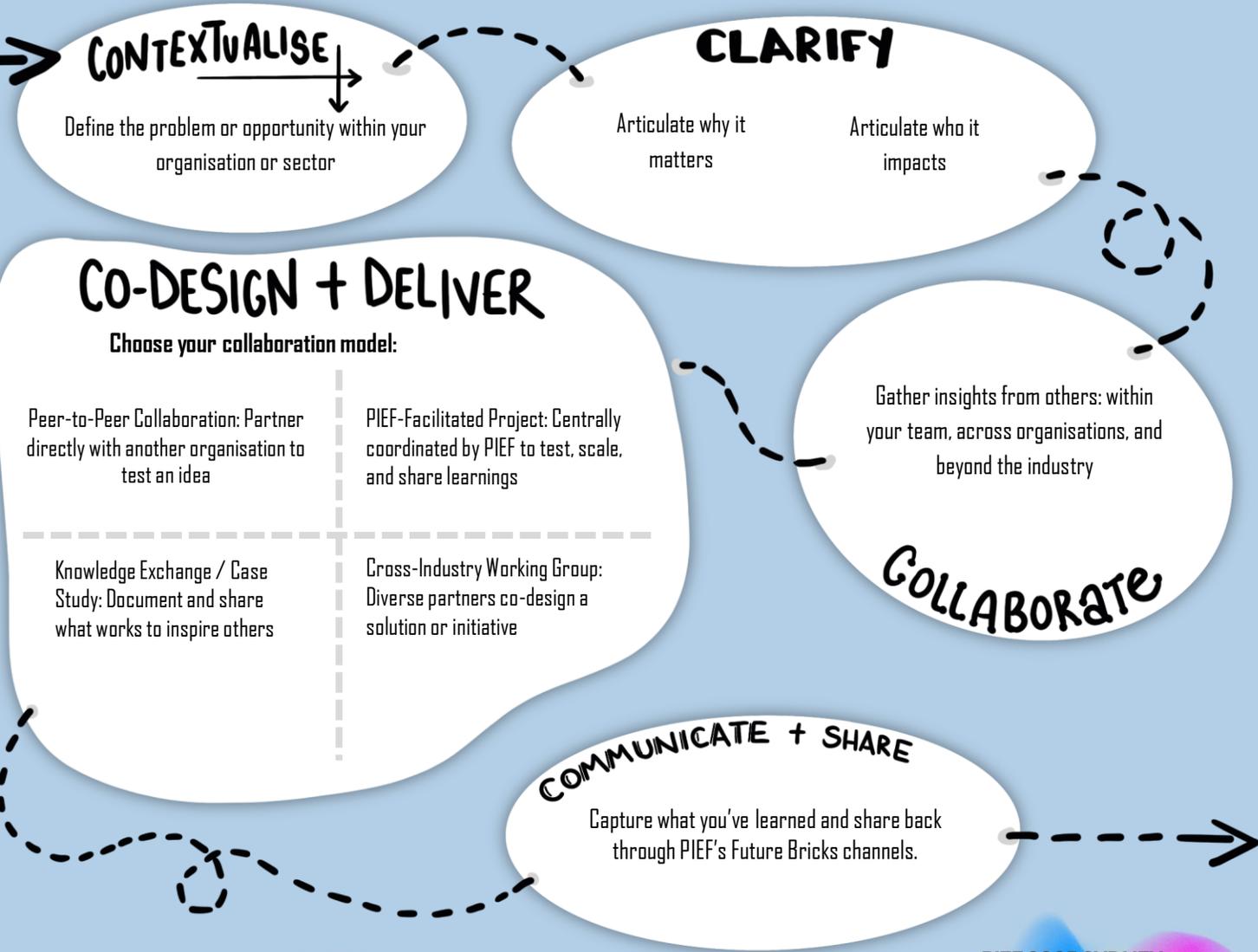


Scheme Health + Sustainability

Healthy schemes balance value for the injured person with long-term sustainability. Complexity is rising; capability, consistency, and collaboration must grow with it.

Reflection Prompts:

1. What does scheme health mean in your context?
2. How can we collaborate to reduce duplication or inefficiency?
3. What evidence can help guide reform and innovation?



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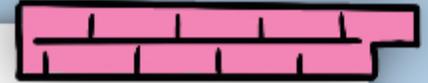
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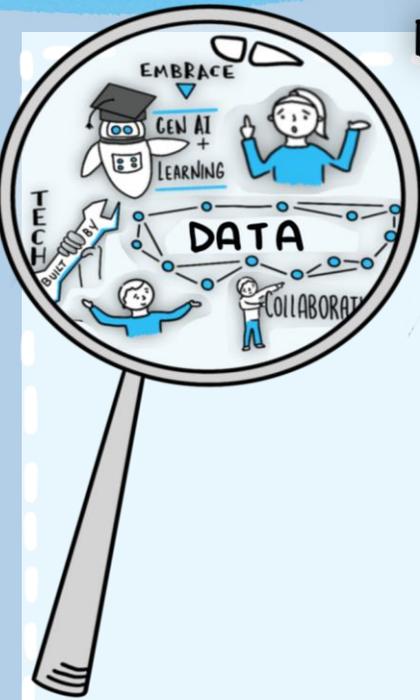
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Innovation, Technology, Future-Ready Systems + Co-Design

Technology should not remove human connection. Smart systems support faster, fairer decisions. When we co-design with the frontline, solutions work where they matter most.

Reflection Prompts:

1. Where can technology enhance human connection and decision-making?
2. How do we involve end users in co-design?
3. How are we preparing our systems and people to be future-ready?

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Share Your Future Brick

We'd love to see how you're bringing collaboration to life.

Email your ideas or project updates to info@pief.com.au with the subject line Future Bricks Submission.

Revisit the EVOLVE Insights Video at pief.com.au/evolve2025 to reconnect with the stories, voices, and visuals that inspired this playbook.

Together, we evolve capability, experience, and outcomes for every injured person.

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