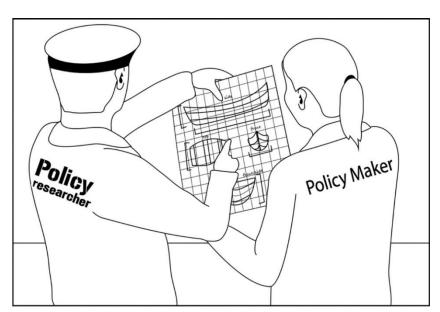
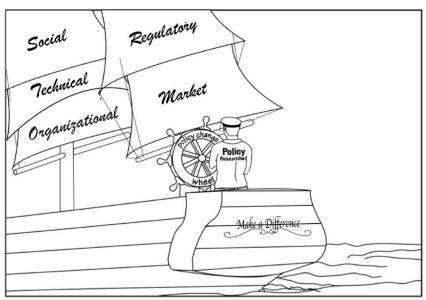
# **National Fisheries' Policy 1998 Revision**



### Methodological and Data Analysis Framework for WorldFish Contribution





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# **Policy Research Methods**

Policy analysis uses both qualitative methods and quantitative methods

Quantitative research includes survey, data analysis and model building (which we are not conducting for this research)

A common practice for **Qualitative** is to define the question and evaluation criteria and indicators; identify and evaluate alternatives; and recommend a certain policy accordingly.

We will follow the qualitative method which includes consultation meetings with sectoral experts



# Qualitative policy analysis

### 3 key Phases



### Best agenda



Define the problem or the question;



Priori assessment - product of careful "back-room" analysis of policies

 Identify and evaluate alternatives;



Posteriori evaluation – product of careful "front-room" analysis of consultation meeting results

 Recommend a certain policy to solve defined problem or the raised question without negative side effects



Describe existing evidence in line with the problem or the question in a manner that changes minds for acceptable recommendations

WF projects' outcomes can act as existing evidence to recommend a certain policy



#### Phase 1: Priori assessment - product of careful "back-room" analysis of NFP 1998

- To define the problem/questions/Issues



- No nutrition relevant objective or clause within the 1998 policy; Health is mentioned in the objective to improve public health, however, within the policy it is stated within transportation and marketing of fish section to abide by the approved government regulations for human health and fish quality control and to provide encouragement and support to the private fisheries sector for health services. So Nutrition and Public health relevant policy input is required for aquatic foods in NFP 1998 revision.
- Climate resilience or climate adaptation or environmental sustainability is entirely absent within the 1998 policy. Environment is there for water pollution relevant matters, exotic species, rice-shrimp production, semi-intensive shrimp farming, and biodiversity in marine environment, environment friendly fish and shrimp culture technologies, co-ordination among different govt. departments. This also reveals the urgency for inclusion of relevant clauses in line with climate resilience or adaptation or environmental sustainability for aquatic food systems in NFP 1998 revision.
- Regarding the socio-economic inclusion, two objectives were focused on poverty alleviation
  through improvement of socio-economic conditions of the fishers and achieving economic
  growth by exporting fish and fisheries products. Besides, gender and youth have been stated
  in terms of only encouragement, prioritize, training and unemployment. Food loss, waste,
  availability, accessibility and affordability relevant directions are entirely missing.

Phase 1: *Priori* assessment - product of careful "back-room" analysis of existing policy documents - To define the problem/questions/Issues *Contd*.

### To review

World

- Eight strategies relating to fisheries and aquaculture of Bangladesh
- 8<sup>th</sup> Five year plan of Bangladesh: July 2021 to June 2025 Promoting Prosperity and Fostering Inclusiveness
- Perspective plan of Bangladesh 2021-2041
- FAO and WF-SUCHONA programme paper/document on Nutrition sensitiveness of the policies
- Bangladesh delta plan 2100
- Document of the detail review of Chattam house Policy and public expenditure opportunities to support implementation of BMGF livestock and aquaculture strategy\_ Bangladesh case study
- WorldFish research project documents

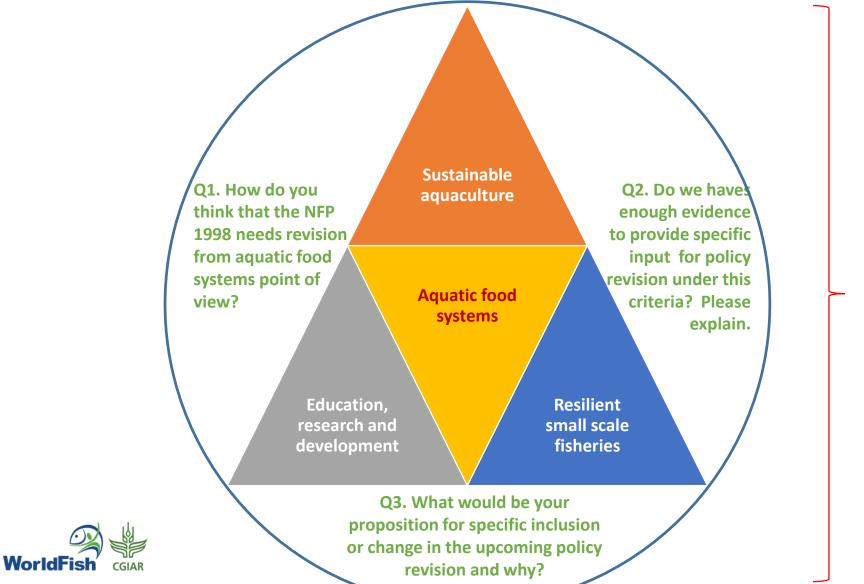
## **Evaluation criteria, indicators and objectives**



Criteria/Theme	Indicators	Objective
1. Aquatic food systems	<ul><li>1.1 Sustainable aquaculture</li><li>1.2 Resilient small scale fisheries</li><li>1.3 Education, Research and</li><li>Development</li></ul>	To enable sustainable aquatic food production and ensure resilient aquatic food systems
2. Social and Economic Inclusion	<ul> <li>2.1 Gender equality, youth and social inclusion</li> <li>2.2 Digital transformation</li> <li>2.3 Market system approach</li> <li>2.4 Private sector engagement/Business model development</li> <li>2.5 Extension, dissemination and capacity building</li> </ul>	To transit from research to impact based on the lessons learned and new ideas for sustainable livelihoods, decent work and well being with an inclusive people centered blue economy
3. Nutrition and Public Health	<ul><li>3.1 Fish for Nutrition</li><li>3.2 Diversified, Safe and healthy aquatic foods for human consumption</li><li>3.3 Prioritize nutrition and health for vulnerable and marginalized people</li><li>3.4 Nutritional Governance</li></ul>	To advance and increase scientific knowledge and public awareness and understanding of the nutrition, safety and health benefits of aquatic foods
4. Climate Resilience and Environmental Sustainability	<ul><li>4.1 Climate adaptation</li><li>4.2 Environmental health and biodiversity conservation</li><li>4.3 Enhanced climate resilience and reduced green house gas emissions</li></ul>	To discover, develop, test, adapt and promote science-based innovations, technologies and practices that reduce climate risk through sustainable use and management of aquatic resources

### For both Aquaculture and Fisheries

### Consultation meetings in line with aquatic food systems for NFP 1998 revision





























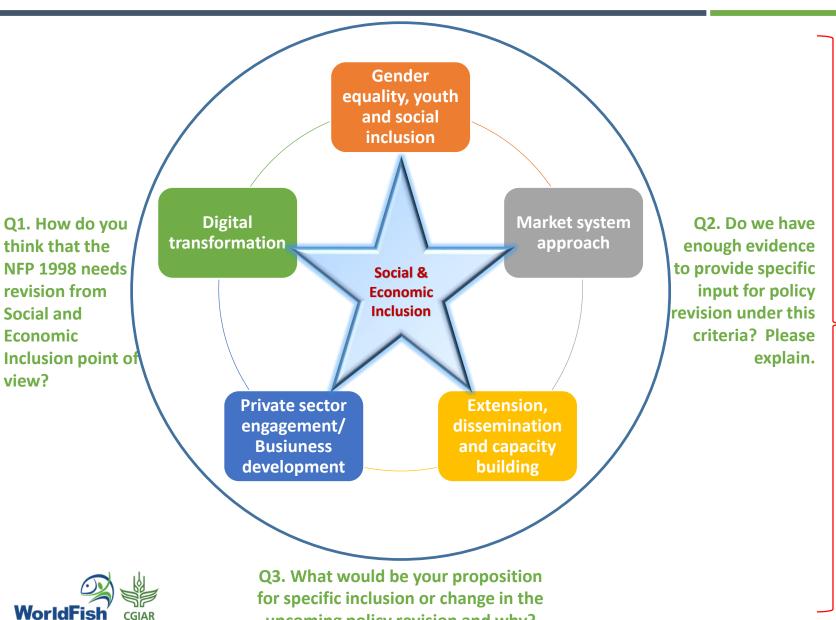


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# Consultation meetings in line with Social and Economic inclusion for NFP 1998 revision



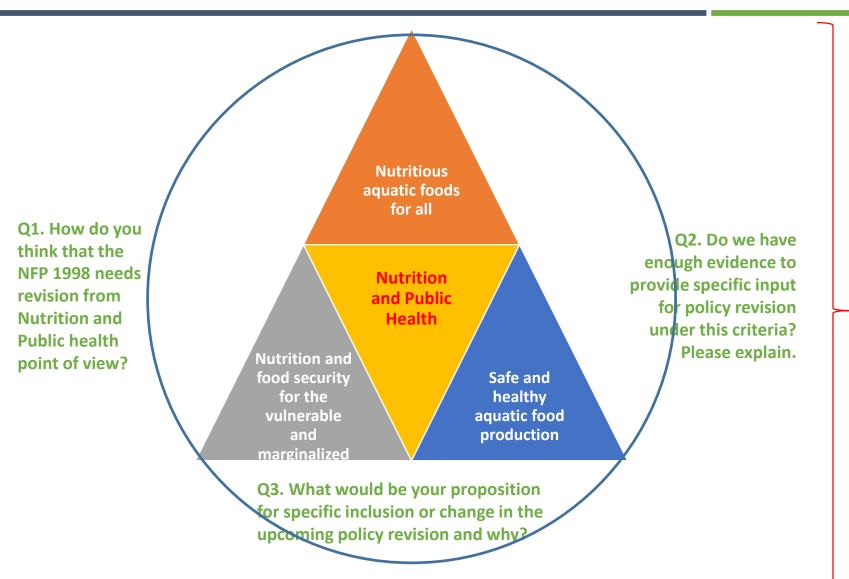
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upcoming policy revision and why?

# Consultation meetings in line with Nutrition and Public Health for NFP 1998 revision



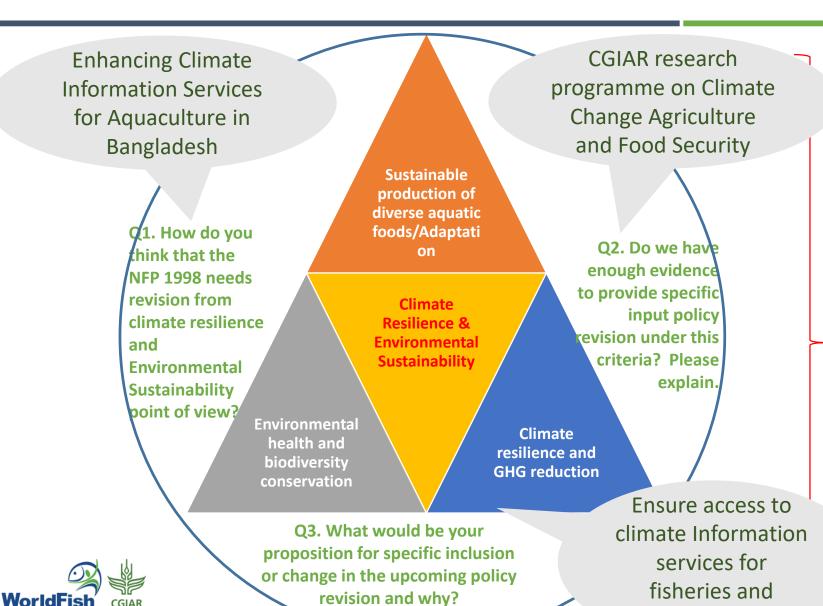




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# Consultation meetings in line with Climate Resilience and Environmental Sustainability for NFP 1998 revision























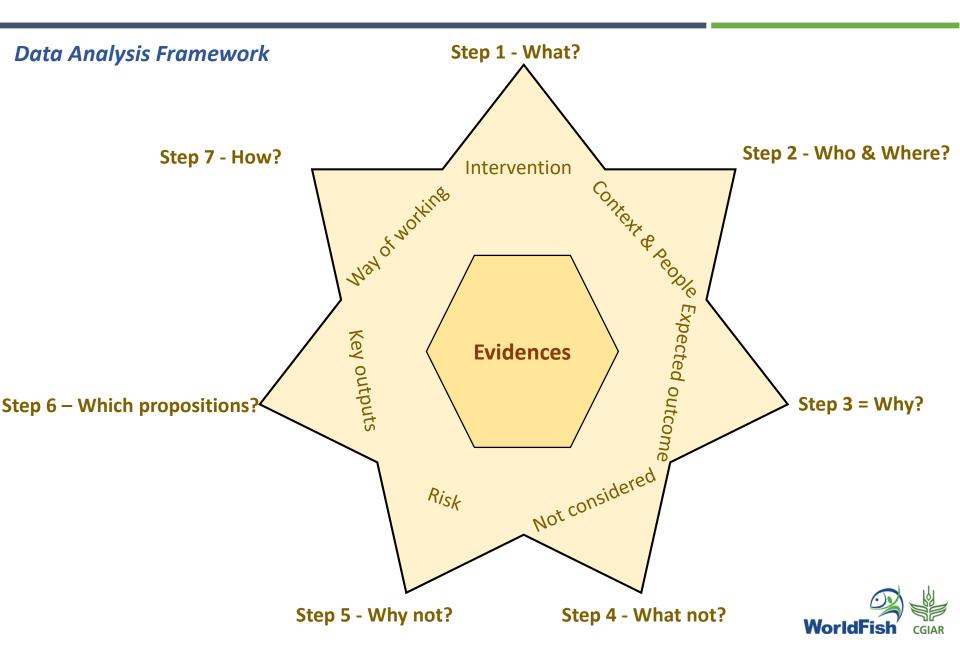




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aquaculture

Phase 2: *Posteriori* evaluation – product of careful "front-room" analysis of consultation meeting results - To identify and evaluate policy recommendations





From the stakeholder consultation workshops in Rajshahi and Rangpur

#### **Interventions**

# **Environmental Sustainabilit Climate adaptation Environmental health and Biodiversity Conservation** Climate resilience and **GHG** reduction

- To identify fish species which are viable to transforming environment
- Salt tolerate fish species introduce
- 3. Region wise project
- Ensure EIA for establishing every industry
- Climate resilient fish species introduce
- Enhancing climate information R & D 6.
- 7. Bio flock Technology
- 8. Fingerling production in rice field
- 9. Water holding capacity technology
- 10. Cropping diversity
- Re-excavation of water bodies 11.
- 12. Greenhouse model for winter season
- 13. Climate smart technology innovation and dissemination
- 14. High temperature and cold resistant species brood production
- Short culture period species selection for aquaculture 15.
- 16. Climate smart information services
- 17. Agua-zonation based on climatic sub-regions
- 18. Climate species aquaculture technology development and mass awareness <Flood prone, drought prone
- 19. Short duration(3/4) months cultivable variety development
- Fisheries/Aquatic zoning for sustainable development 20.
- 21. Fisheries genetic resource conservation
- 22. Fisheries breeding period rehabilitation
- 23. Source of pollution identification
- 24. Water treatment plant established
- Periodic excavation/re-excavation of silted wetlands
- 26. Local indigenous fish species cultivation with the G3 Rohu or other carp species

**Interventions** 



From the stakeholder consultation workshops in Rajshahi and Rangpur

Environmental Sustainability Climate Resilience and **Climate adaptation Environmental health and Biodiversity Conservation** Climate resilience and **GHG** reduction

- 1. Ensure fish natural breeding, nursery and habitat
- 2. Waterbody safe from industrial pollution
- 3. Fish sanctuary established
- 4. Conservation genepool more R &D
- 5. Encourage to culture SIS
- 6. Law enforcement for industrial effluent.
- 7. SIS Culture and Conservation
- 8. Brood Bank
- 9. Orchid net to reduce temperatures during high temperatures
- 10. Farm mechanization
- 11. Venami Chingri for Northern Region
- 2. Restriction of import of new fish species to save indigenous fish species biodiversity
- 13. Open water aquaculture/fingerling stocking program
- 14. No fishing zone identification
- 15. Residual management of commercial operation/Need technological innovation
- 16. Plastic free open water system-blockage the drainage system for plastic prevention
- 17. Use of bio pesticide in crop land
- 18. Fish meal must be free from heavy metal contamination
- To conserve biodiversity specific water body based management thought be developed
- 20. Identifying different resource on the basis of endangered species and reduce management
- 21. Public awareness against monofilament gill net
- 22. Stocking enhance for endangered fish species
- 23. Fish feed must be free from heavy metal contamination
- 24. Fish genetic resource conservation through cryopreservation
- 25. Increased public awareness against pollution
- 26. Optimum range of pesticides/herbicides would be maintained
- 27. Ensuring use of bio-pesticides in pond farming
- 28. Use of solar for irrigation and aeration



#### **Interventions**

#### **Climate adaptation**

**Environmental health and Biodiversity Conservation** 

Climate resilience and GHG reduction

- 1. Culture sea weed which species reduce greenhouse gas.
- 2. Climate vulnerable farmer received subsidy and mitigation training.
- 3. Ornamental Fish Culture
- 4. Water shed Management
- 5. GHG emission litter-to research
- 6. Climate information service
- 7. Isolation of aqua-ecological zone and specific technology research and promote for that zone
- 8. Promote technologies that may
- Carbon foot print analysis for every commercial for every commercially important culture species
- Aquaculture mechanization and culture intensity should be low on safe power based, such as incorporating solar energy on other safe energy and surface water
- 11. In pond raceway or other highly stock density technology adaptation
- 12. Sea flora cultivation
- 13. Promote technologies that may reduce greenhouse gas emission e.g rice-fish
- 14. Reforestation around wetland ecosystems
- 15. Training for the fishers and farmers to deal with climate risks

From the stakeholder consultation workshops in Rajshahi and Rangpur



### **Context and People**

**Climate adaptation** 

**Environmental health and Biodiversity Conservation** 

Climate resilience and GHG reduction

Drought prone zone

Northern and north western region of the country

Rangpur, Bagura, Rajshahi......

Climate issues – dry spell, cold spell, .....

Socio-economic context can be added



### **Expected outcome**

**Climate adaptation** 

**Environmental health and Biodiversity Conservation** 

Climate resilience and GHG reduction

Reduced climate risks and losses

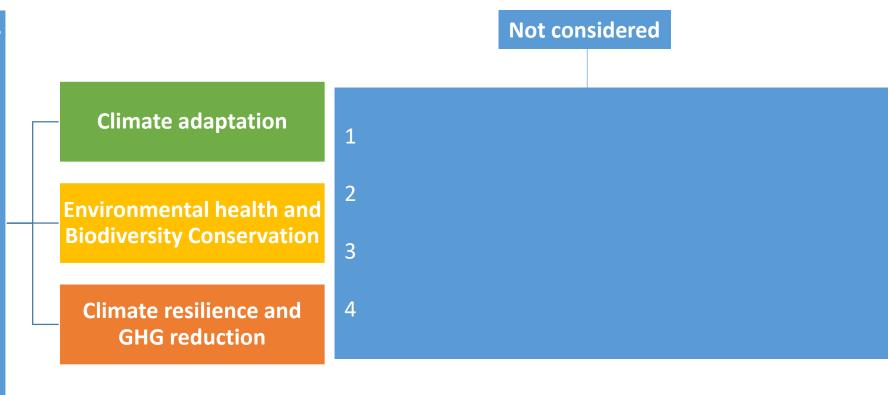
Sustainable use and management of aquatic resources

Enhanced production and ensuring good profit

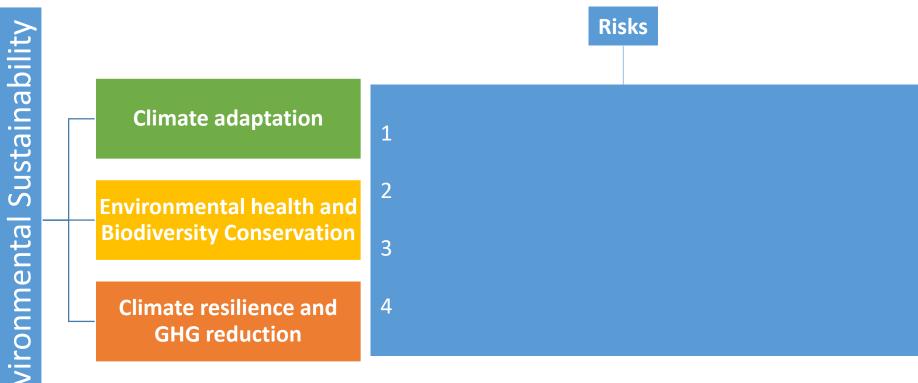
Enabled climate resilient aquatic food system

Ensured livelihood, food and nutrition security











### **Key outputs**

**Climate adaptation** 

**Environmental health and Biodiversity Conservation** 

Climate resilience and GHG reduction

**Climate resilient Fish species** 

Water holding capacity technology

Re-excavation of water bodies

Climate smart technology innovation and dissemination

Fisheries breeding period rehabilitation

Introduce resource based fisheries management policy

instead of revenue based lease system

**Establish Brood Bank** 

No fishing zone identification

**Establish reserve wetlands for wetland biodiversity** 

conservation

Emphasize on use of bio pesticide in pond aquaculture

**Watershed management** 

Climate information service

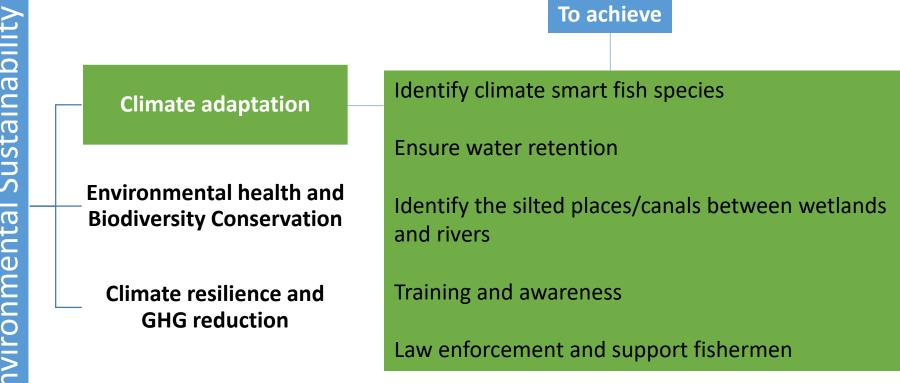
Climate vulnerable fishermen and fish-farmer to receive

subsidies/support

Promote technologies that reduce GHG emission

Farmers friendly climate curriculum should be developed







**Climate adaptation** 

To achieve

**Environmental health and Biodiversity Conservation** 

Climate resilience and GHG reduction

Present lease system needs modification

To declare selected natural waterbodies as brood bank

To establish brood bank in selected govt. fish farms
Identify the hotspots for different fish species
Declare and maintain the reserve wetlands
Grow public awareness through training for increasing
use of bio pesticides in pond aquaculture
Optimum usage of chemical pesticide/herbicides in
aquaculture and agriculture
Water treatment plant should be developed



**Climate adaptation** 

**Environmental health and Biodiversity Conservation** 

Climate resilience and GHG reduction

To achieve

To bring under social safety net umbrella
To develop a database of climate affected
fishermen and fish-farmer
A manual on climate should be developed and
disseminate to farmers

### Phase 3: To recommend a certain policy

1. Coding/Grading

 The policy research team will send the key outputs to the meeting participants for coding the propositions as good (+), very good (++) and Excellent (+++) based on the reason and evidence for a particular proposition

2. Verification

• The graded/coded propositions will be verified with the selected Criteria/Theme, Indicators and Objectives and will be annotated as V (if the proposition matches with the TIO) or X (if the proposition does not match with the TIO)

3. Developing key propositions

 Listing out key propositions based on the grading and verifications

4. Design Policy recommendation

 The research design team will then share the policy recommendations with the county team, where the country team will provide their feedback for any final changes

5. Report & evaluation

 In the final step, the research design team will produce a summary report on WorldFish Research on BFP 1998 revision. This will be shared with the Regional Director-SA for review prior to finalization.



### Systematic analysis of the propositions in line with evidence to design recommendation



