

Conclusion

Unit 1: Understanding Social Entrepreneurship



Congratulations on completing Unit 1 of the Community Capacity Builders program for social entrepreneurs.

The focus of this unit has been on understanding what is social entrepreneurship. We have highlighted in this unit that the question 'what is social entrepreneurship' is not an easy question to answer as there are a range of social entrepreneurship approaches.

Learning Objectives

- Participants:
 - Explore six different social entrepreneurship perspectives
 - Appreciate how concepts, tools and techniques from the six social entrepreneurship approaches can be recombined to increase social impact.



In addition to exploring six different social entrepreneurship perspectives in this unit, we have also seen how we can recombine concepts, tools and techniques from these 6 approaches in order to increase our social impact.

Social Entrepreneurship Approaches

- Social innovation school
- Social enterprise school
- Participatory governance approach
- Communitarian approach
- Marketisation approach
- Complexity approach



The 6 approaches to social entrepreneurship practice that we have looked at during this unit are.

- The social innovation school
 - The social enterprise school
 - A participatory governance approach
 - A communitarian approach
 - A marketisation approach, and
 - A complexity approach
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- Now that we have an understanding of the different social entrepreneurship, approaches we can use concepts, tools and techniques from these approaches to develop initiatives that create systems change.