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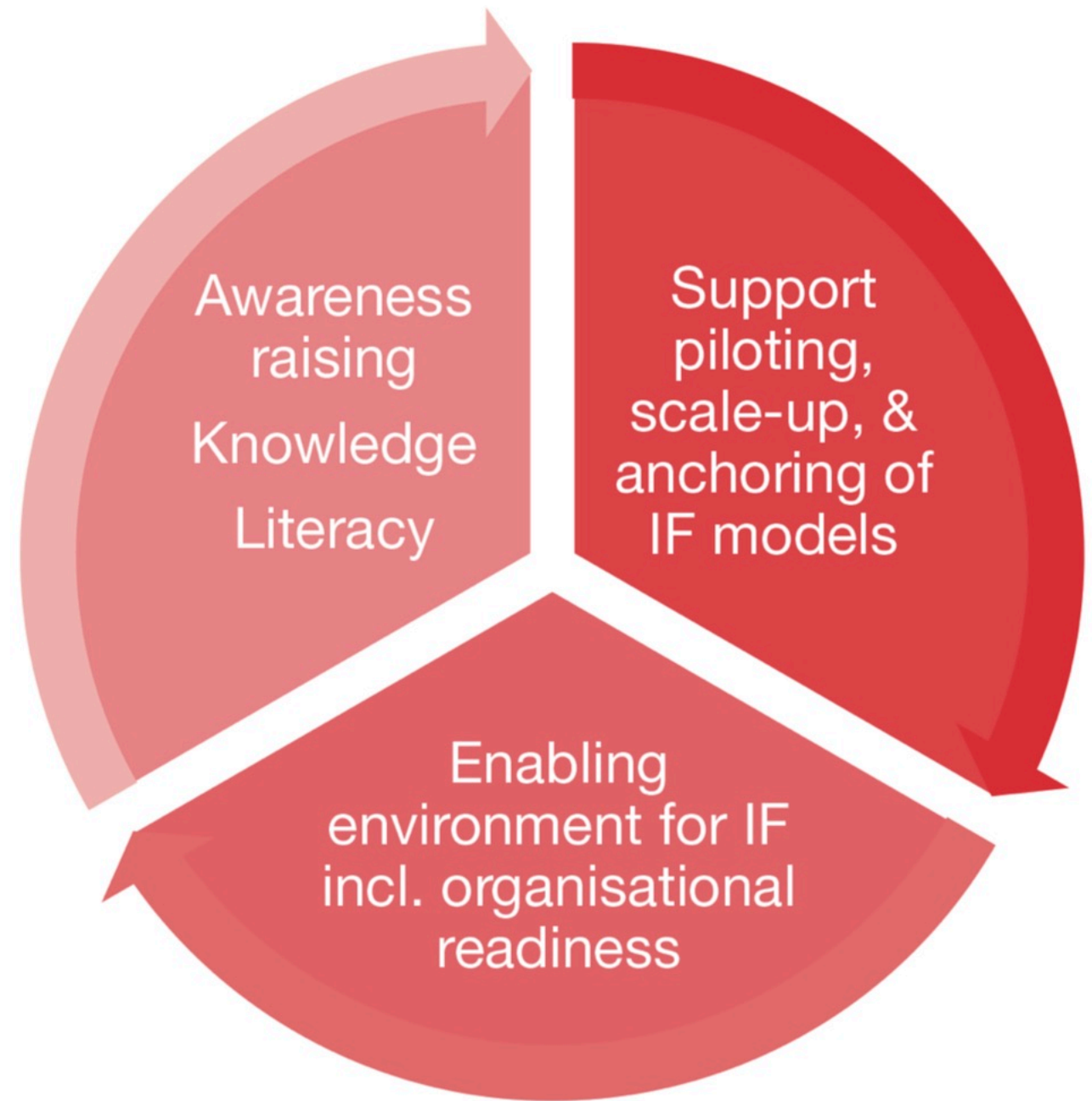
WHAT IS THE HIFHUB?

A centralised resource on innovative finance (IF) for the entire Red Cross Red Crescent Movement.

Our mission is to develop and support the greater use of innovative finance models within the Movement.

We do so for the benefit of individuals and communities in vulnerable situations.

OUR WORK



OUR APPROACH

- Collaboration: with partners within and outside the RCRC Movement
- Focus: humanitarian challenges all over the world
- Build, share, develop: knowledge and networks of IF colleagues and partners.

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WHAT IS INNOVATIVE FINANCE?

Innovative Finance covers a range of instruments well-known in other sectors. The innovative part is the application of these to pressing humanitarian and development problems.

Innovative finance often entails blending different - new and traditional - sources of funding and financing, such as government grants and investments from capital markets. For instance, through:

- **Insurance and catastrophe bonds** to preposition funds for disasters;
- **Impact investments** to generate financial returns while also creating a positive humanitarian impact;
- **Debt conversion**, aiming to redirect a country's debt into humanitarian country level investments.

Applying Innovative Finance entails new kinds of partnerships and ways of working for the humanitarian sector.

Supporting partners and RCRC National Societies in making the most of these is at the core of what we do!

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