

Sustainable Development

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Outline



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Objectives

- In the end of this part student will be able to:
- Define SDGs
- Recognize the importance of SDGs.
- Identify SDGs objectives.
- Determine the barriers of SDGs.

Introduction



• The term "sustainable development" gained even greater attention since the United Nations Conference on Environment and

Development (UNCED) held in Rio de Jenerio in June 1992.



Sustainability



Despite its simplicity, however,

sustainability is a concept people have a

hard time wrapping ___their minds

around.





If you could give one word – what would that word be?





For me it is the Word: Enduring which best sums it up.



History of Sustainable Development



In 1987, The World Commission on Environment and Development published

its famous report "Our Common Future" where the concept of

"sustainable development" was defined for the first time as follows:

- Sustainable development
- "Make development sustainable to ensure that it meets the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own."







Sustaining Our Common Future

Chapter 10 From the Periphery to the Core of Decision Making – Options for Action



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We all understand "environment" Going Green!

But what is meant by Development?

Meaning of development

the gradual growth of something so that it becomes more advanced, stronger, etc.



 a baby's development in the womb the development of <u>basic skills such as literacy and</u> <u>numeracy career development.</u>

- (biology) the process of an **individual organism growing** organically; a purely biological unfolding of events involved in an organism changing gradually from a simple to a more complex level
- "he proposed an indicator of osseous development in children"
- the **process of producing or creating something new or more advanced**; a new or advanced product *the* **development of vaccines against tropical diseases developments in aviation technology**
- a piece of land with new buildings on it *a commercial/business/housing development*



environment & development

Have merged into sustainable development.....

Defintion



 The Brundtland report (Our Common Future) defined sustainable development as "development that meets the needs of the present without compromising we the ability of future generations to meet their own needs."

"The Sustainable Development Goals are the world's action plan for a fair globalization and a better future for all.



How Sustainability Works



• Sustainability encourages businesses to frame decisions in terms of environmental, social, and human impact for the long-term, rather than on short-term gains such as next quarter's earnings report.

Cont: How Sustainability Works



- It influences them to consider more factors than simply the
 - immediate profit or loss involved. Increasingly, companies have issued sustainability goals such as commitment to zero-waste packaging by a certain year, or to reduce overall emissions by a certain percentage.

Cont: How Sustainability Works



 These companies can achieve their sustainability needs by cutting emissions, lowering their energy usage, sourcing products from fairtrade organizations, and ensuring their physical waste is disposed of properly and with as small a carbon footprint as possible.



Objectives of Sustainable Development

- Economic growth
- Environmental protection
- Social inclusion

BENEFITS OF SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT











It will help to lower pollution, which will benefit our climate change efforts

This would boost people's health while also protecting the environment.





It assists us with noise reduction, which is beneficial to general health.

It will assist people in using all the natural resources.



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Introduction



• We all know the famous quote by Mahatma Gandhi,

"Be the change you wish to see in the world"

and, while it is a great sentiment, we are constantly being made to feel **guilty** for not doing our part.

Nurses, through the profession they have chosen, make sacrifices and day out to help others.

We are often held up as **angels**, **role models**, **kind-hearted**, **giving**, **caring people**.

Cont: Introduction



• In 2017 the **INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL OF NURSES (ND2017)**, has chosen the theme Nurses:

(A Voice to Lead, Achieving the Sustainable Development Goals).

- Does this mean ICN wants nurses to do more?
- Are nurses really expected to go out and solve all the world's problems when we are overworked, underpaid, under-resourced and exhausted!
- The answer quite simply is: nurses are already doing it!

• 1.1 The Sustainable Development Goals And Nursing



• The Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) were adopted by the United

Nations in 2015 to replace the Millennium Development Goals (MDGs).

Millennium Development Goals 2 PROMOTE GENDER ACHIEVE UNIVERSAL ERADICATE EXTREME REDUCE EQUALITY AND PRIMARY EDUCATION CHILD MORTALITY **POVERTY AND HUNGER** EMPOWER WOMEN COMBAT HIV/AIDS. ENSURE GLOBAL IMPROVE MATERNAL MALARIA AND OTHER PARTNERSHIP FOR ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH DISEASES SUSTAINABILITY DEVELOPMENT

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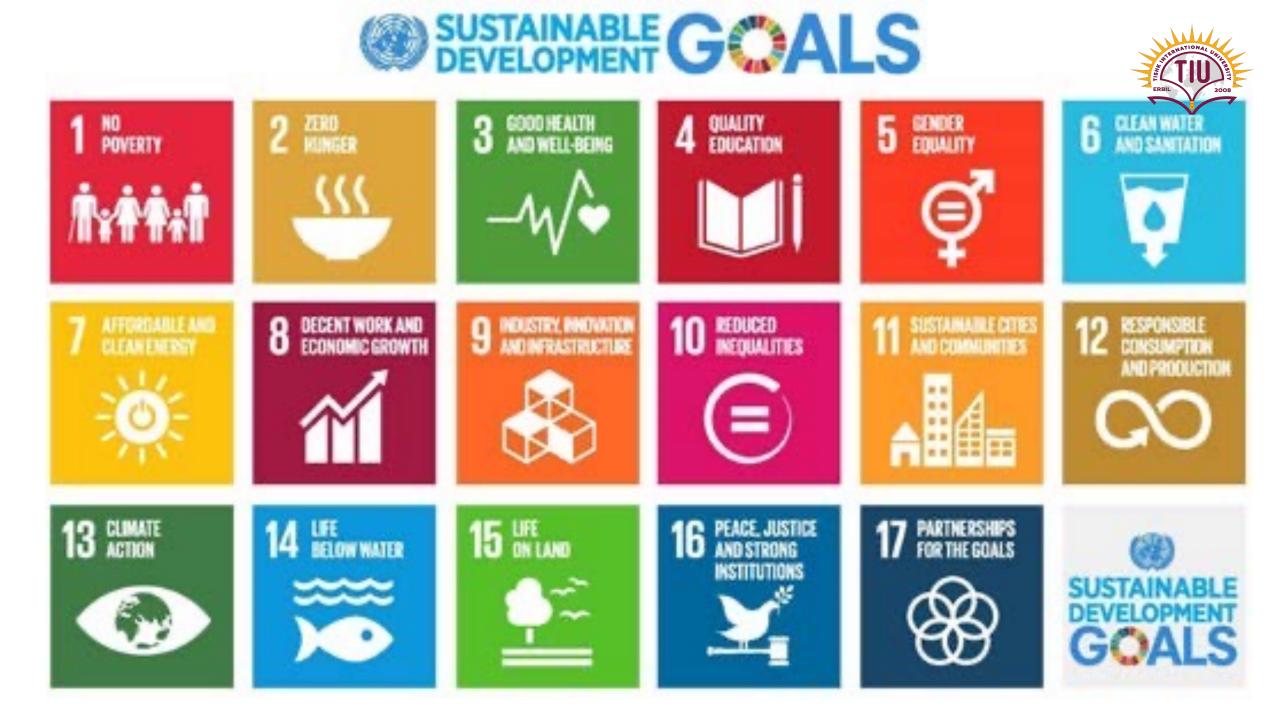


• They contain 17 goals covering a broad range of sustainable

development issues for the world, such as ending poverty, hunger, improving health and education, combating climate change, etc.

• The 191 UN Member States have agreed to achieve these new goals





Importance Of Sustainable Development 1. <u>Provides Essential Human Needs</u>



- The **explosion of population** means people will have to scramble for the limited life essentials like food, shelter, and water.
- Adequate provision of these <u>basic needs</u> almost entirely hinges on infrastructure capable of sustaining them for a long time.
- If governments insist on utilizing fossil fuel-based sources of energy instead of renewable and sustainable options, the cost and environmental effects of supplying these basic needs would become a tall order. مهة صعبة

2. Agricultural Requirement



- A growing population means agriculture must catch up. Finding ways to feed more than 3 billion people can be staggering. If the same unsustainable cultivation, planting, irrigation, spraying, and harvesting techniques are utilized in the future, they might prove to be financially burdening considering fossil fuel resources are projected to run out.
- Sustainable development focuses on sustainable agricultural methods such as effective seeding techniques and crop rotation to promote high yields while maintaining the integrity of the soil, which produces food for a large population.



3. Manage Climate Change

- Climate change can be mitigated by sustainable development practices.
- Sustainable development practices seek to reduce the use of fossil-based sources of fuel like oil, natural gas, and coal.
- Fossil fuel sources of energy are unsustainable since they will deplete in the future and are responsible for the emission of greenhouse gasses. انبعاث الغازات الذفينة



4. Financial Stability

- Sustainable development practices have the ability to create more financially sustainable economies across the globe.
- Developing countries that can't access fossil fuels can benefit from renewable forms of energy to power their economies.

• From the development of renewable energy technologies, these countries can create sustainable jobs as opposed to finite jobs based on fossil fuel technologies.



- <u>5. Sustain Biodiversity</u>
- Unsustainable development and overconsumption practices greatly impact biodiversity. The life ecosystem is designed in such a way that species depend on one another for survival.
- For instance, plants produce oxygen that humans need for respiration.
- • Humans exhale carbon dioxide that plants need for growth and production.
- Unsustainable development practices like emission of greenhouse gasses in the atmosphere kill many plant species resulting in the reduction of atmospheric oxygen.



Examples Of Sustainable Development

 Wind Energy Wind energy is energy harnessed from the motion of wind using wind turbines or windmills. Wind energy is renewable, which means it's never-ending and can be used to substitute energy at the grid. This makes it a good sustainable development practice.

Cont:Examples Of Sustainable Development

Solar Energy This is energy harnessed from the sun using solar panels. It's advantageous since it's absolutely free and its supply is infinite. These factors make it beneficial to consumers and good for Mother Nature because it doesn't contribute to the emission of greenhouse gasses.



Cont: Examples Of Sustainable Development

 Green Space Green spaces مستحت خضراء are locations where plants and animals are left to flourish. Parks also fall into the category of green spaces. Green spaces provide people a remarkable opportunity to take pleasure in outdoor recreation, more so in big cities, where resting space is hard to come by.



• Crop Rotation يتناوب المحاصيل

Crop rotation in contrast, is defined as "the successive planting of

different crops on the same land to improve soil fertility and help

control insects and diseases." This way of farming is not a new practice,

but rather a more ancient way of farming chemical-free, whilst

maximizing the long-term growth potential of land.

barriers of SD... What Prevents Sustainable Development From Happening?



- The first is that for many aspects of development, using sustainable methods and materials is expensive. While the long-term cost of sustainability does prove to be less expensive than traditional development, the creation of a sustainable project may be far more expensive in the first phase.
- **The second** major issue is that there is not a generally accepted need for sustainable development. This is an education issue that may take many years to resolve.





 Sustainable development is largely about people, their wellbeing, and equity in their relationships with each other, in a context where naturesociety imbalances can threaten economic and social stability.

Cont: Conclusion



 Because climate change, its drivers, its impacts and its policy responses will interact with economic production and services, human settlements and human societies, climate change is likely to be a significant factor in the sustainable development of many areas.

Cont: Conclusion



 Simply stated, climate change has the potential to affect many aspects of human development, positively or negatively, depending on the geographic location, the economic sector, and the level of economic and social development already attained.



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