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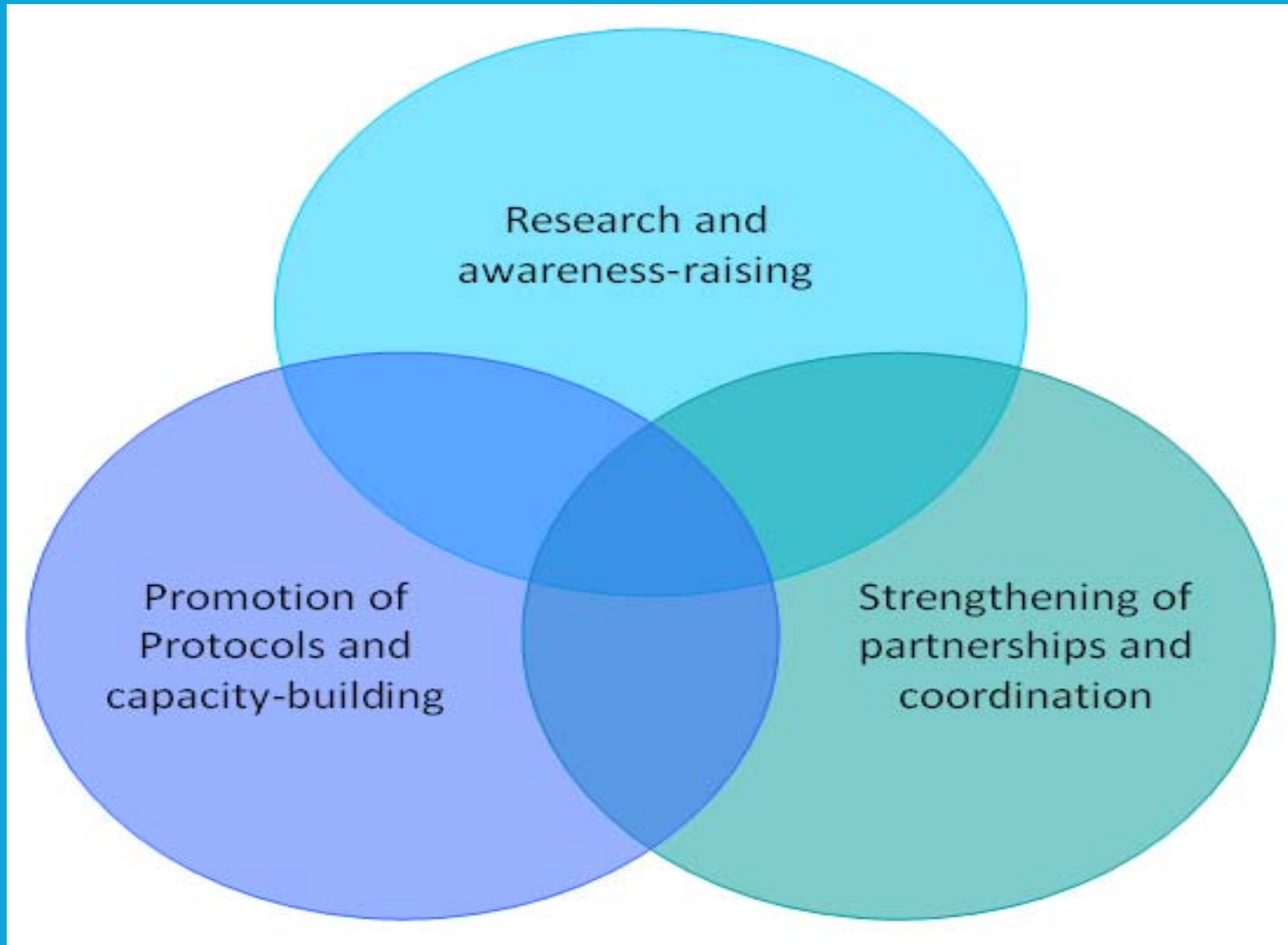
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A COMPREHENSIVE STRATEGY TO COMBAT TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS AND SMUGGLING OF MIGRANTS



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Research and Awareness-Raising

- Improve the quality and availability of information on trafficking in persons and smuggling of migrants, allowing for the development of a more effective, evidence-based response.
- Raise awareness of the crimes and their consequences to mobilize the international community to prevent and combat human trafficking and migrant smuggling.





Promotion of the Protocols and Capacity-Building

- Promote the Organized Crime Convention and its Protocols on Trafficking in Persons and Smuggling of Migrants as the primary international legal response to human trafficking and migrant smuggling.
- Promote the ratification and full and effective implementation of the Protocols, both at the policy-level and through the delivery of technical assistance and capacity-building.



- Deliver high-quality, specialized technical assistance and capacity building to enable Member States to prevent and combat human trafficking and migrant smuggling, including:
 - Legislative assistance
 - Strategic planning and policy development
 - Criminal justice responses
 - Protection and support to victims of trafficking and smuggled migrants.



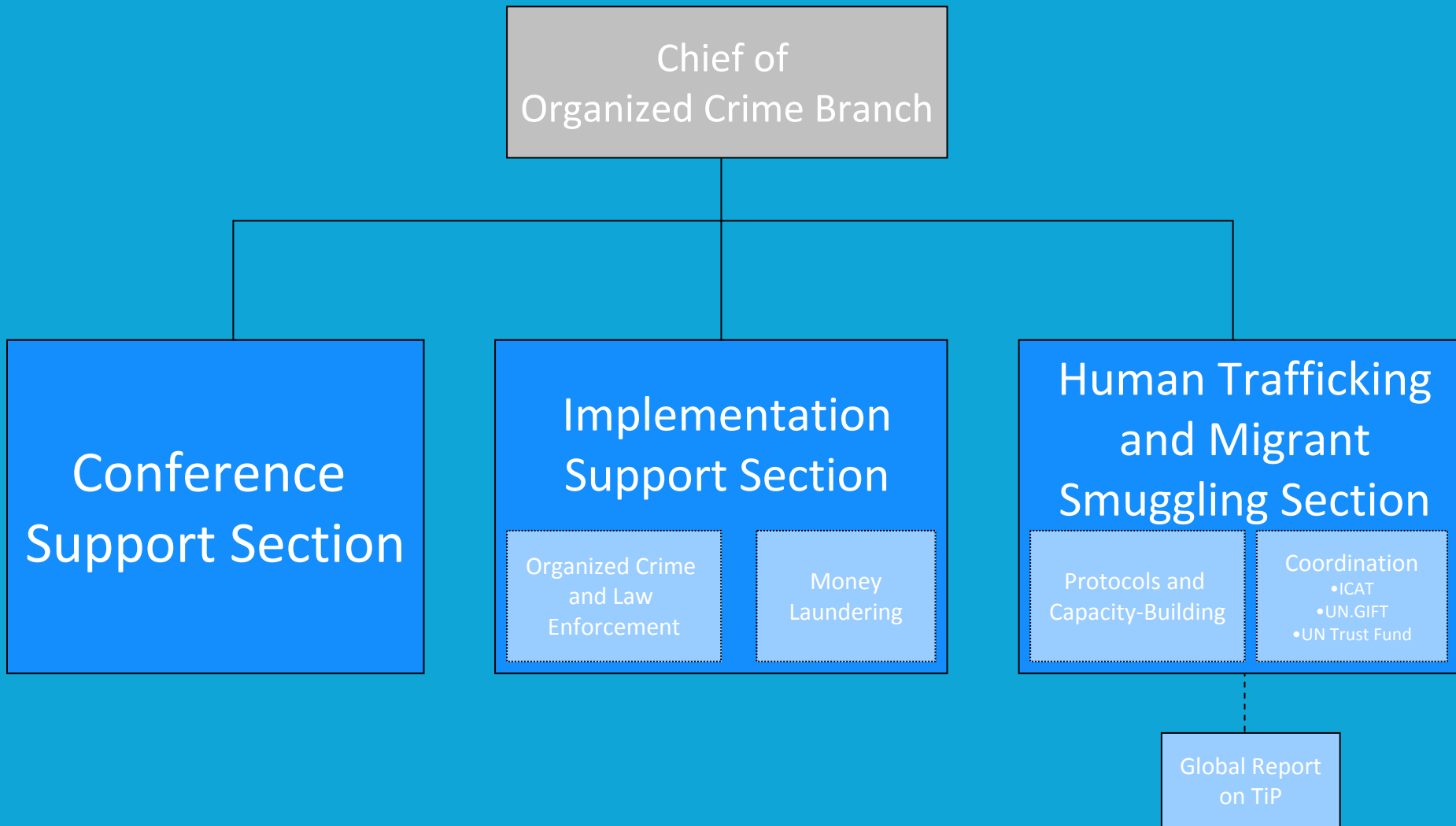
Strengthening of Partnerships and Coordination

- Play a leading role in ensuring cooperation and coordination amongst United Nations agencies in relation to human trafficking and migrant smuggling at both the policy and operational levels through ICAT, UN.GIFT and GMG.
- Strengthen partnerships with the broader anti-trafficking community, including with international and non-governmental organizations, civil society and the private sector.
- Promote and manage the Trust Fund for Victims of Trafficking in Persons, operating neutrally, independently and transparently, and ensure that the Trust Fund can disburse significant funds to deserving organizations that provide real and effective assistance to victims of trafficking.



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