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If governments offered universal benefits, **>1/3** of people would be lifted out of poverty.



Build universal social protection along the life course

Encourage the strengthening of health resilience, including accelerating efforts towards the achievement of universal health coverage by 2030



Affordable, quality healthcare



Healthy lives and promote well-being for all



Invest in a sustained recovery: Ensure sufficient fiscal space

Carbon Tax \$35 per ton = \uparrow 2-3% GDP



Explore innovative financing mechanisms to mitigate inequalities and support the climate agenda



Address risks of debt vulnerabilities in developing countries



1/2 the region's population remains offline.

Keep goods and information flowing

Boost regional cooperation to close connectivity gaps, accelerating investments in digitalization and strengthening regional supply chains



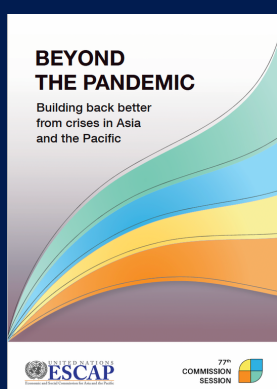
Digital economy



Sustainable, disaster resilient infrastructure & investment

Safeguard environmental health

Adopt a climate- and environment-responsive approach to COVID-19 recovery efforts and policies in support of the goals and objectives of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development



Enhance regional cooperation

Mobilize existing regional mechanisms and agreements to recover from this pandemic and plan for future crises by working regionally and interregionally to Build Back Better, aligned with the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development



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