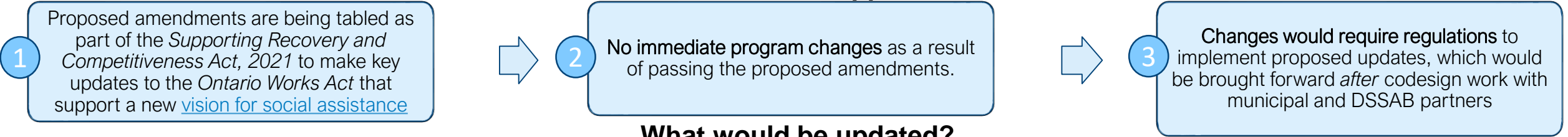


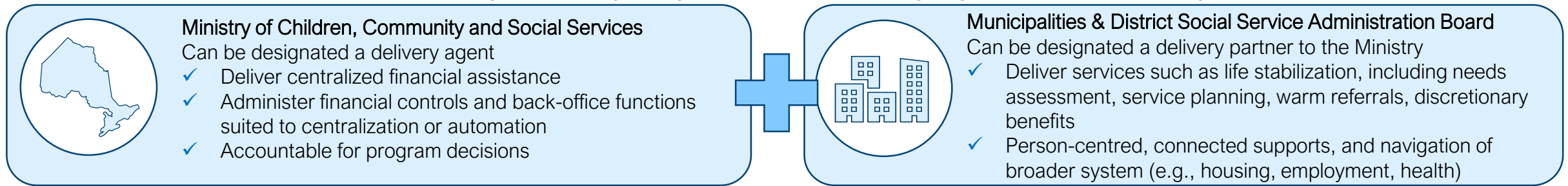
Proposed Ontario Works Act Amendments

What would happen?

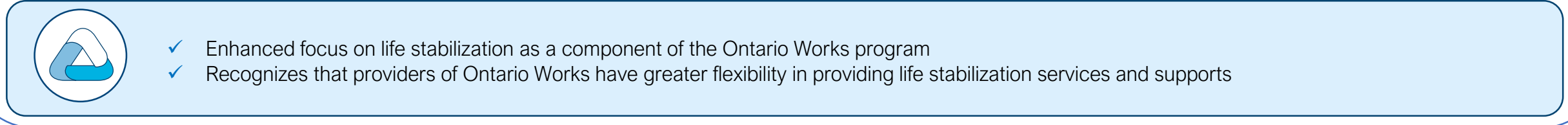


What would be updated?

Proposed Updates to program delivery designations to enable realigning Ontario Works delivery functions



Proposed Update Employment Assistance to Employment and Life Stabilization Assistance



What is not changing?



The Program

The focus of the proposed changes is on changing the program's delivery to improve efficiency and better help clients.

No supports or services in the program's legislation would be taken away



Cost Sharing & Apportionment

The program costs would continue to be a shared responsibility and it would be the ministry's expectation that cost-sharing arrangements and apportionment for administration would be maintained (including 100% provincial components)



First Nations

In acknowledgement of the unique needs and priorities of First Nations communities, the province will continue working with First Nations on a separate plan to renew social assistance for First Nations.