

Example: worksheet for Problem Analysis

<p>Problem: The number of 12 – 17 year old males coming to the health centre with respiratory problems in May – July of each year has progressively increased by at least 5% every year for the last 5 years</p>	
<p>Risk Factors What leads directly to or causes the problem.</p>	Smoking tobacco (45% of 12 –17 year old males in this community smoke tobacco)
	High dust levels
	Exposure to bacteria and viruses
	Overcrowding in houses
<p>Chosen Risk Factor: Choose one risk factor to address. Smoking tobacco (in 12-17 year old males).</p>	
<p>Goal: Goal addresses the risk factor. Reduce the number of 12-17 year old males who smoke tobacco to 25% (of the total in this age group) within 2 years.</p>	
<p>Contributing Factors: Factors which lead or contribute to the risk factors.</p>	
12-17 year old males unaware of linkage between smoking tobacco and respiratory problems.	<p>Objectives: Choose which contributing factors will be addressed. Write objectives to match the contributing factor/s.</p> <p>1. Within 6 months, 70% of 12-17 year old males will have increased their knowledge of relationship between smoking tobacco and respiratory problems by at least 50%.</p> <p>2. Increase compliance with NT tobacco legislation by store operators to 100% within 6 months.</p> <p>3. Reduce by 50% within 12 months the number of 18-24 year olds supplying cigarettes to under 18 year olds.</p>
Store operators not complying with NT tobacco legislation about selling tobacco products to under 18 year olds.	
Older people are supplying cigarettes to 12-17 year old males.	