

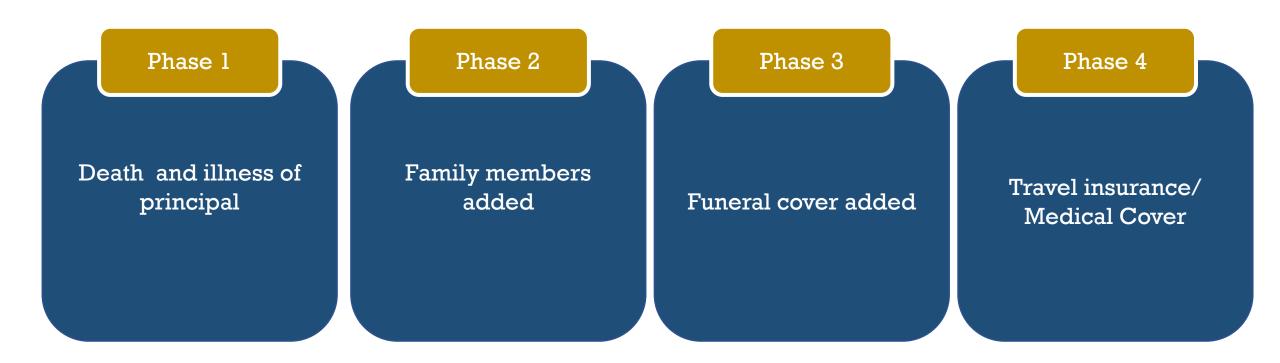


Making Inclusive insurance work in Zambia **THE MLIFE EXPERIENCE**

Agnes Chakonta, Managing Director Madison Life Insurance Company Zambia Limited



- Formal micro insurance began in 2000.
- Madison's interest began with a request from an MFI.
- MFIs' support insurance for protection of the loans under Partner Agent Model.
- Death and illness were the two primary risks that were covered.
- Informal or unregistered insurance activities still there.
- Micro insurance has evolved over time , the under privileged
- Inclusive Insurance -2015 on wards SM, SME'S

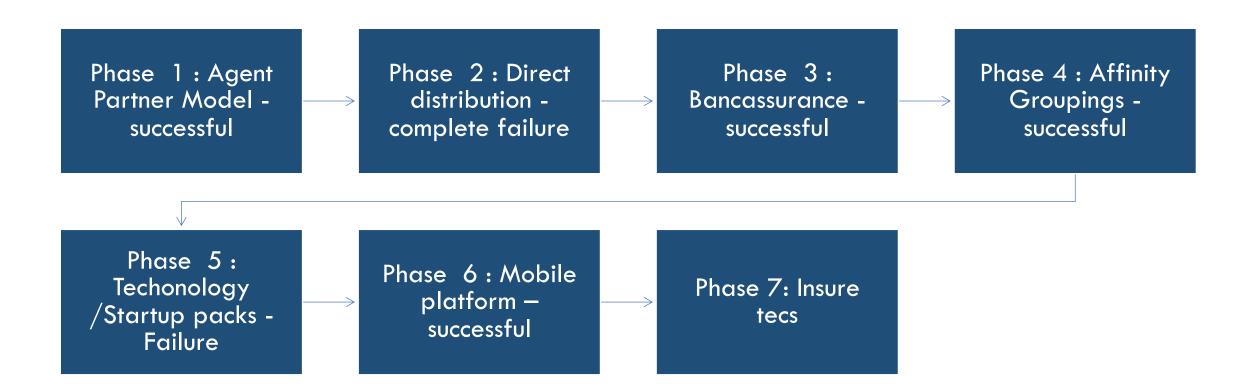


PRODUCT LINES



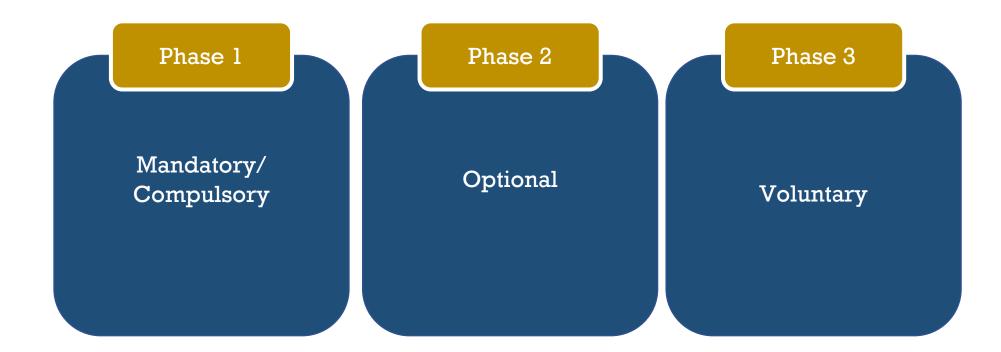
DISTRIBUTION CHANNELS





Nature of Demand





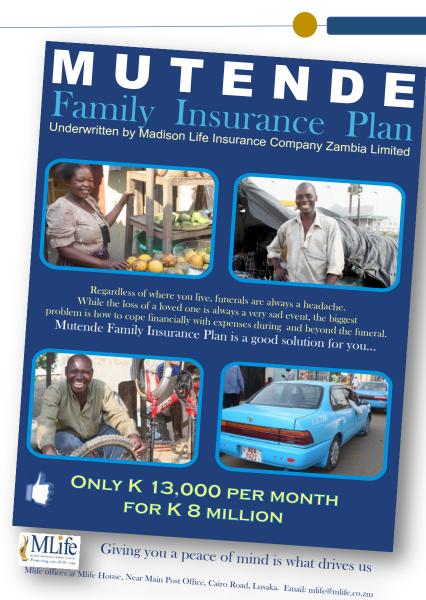
Experience: Product: Family funeral cover



Phase 2

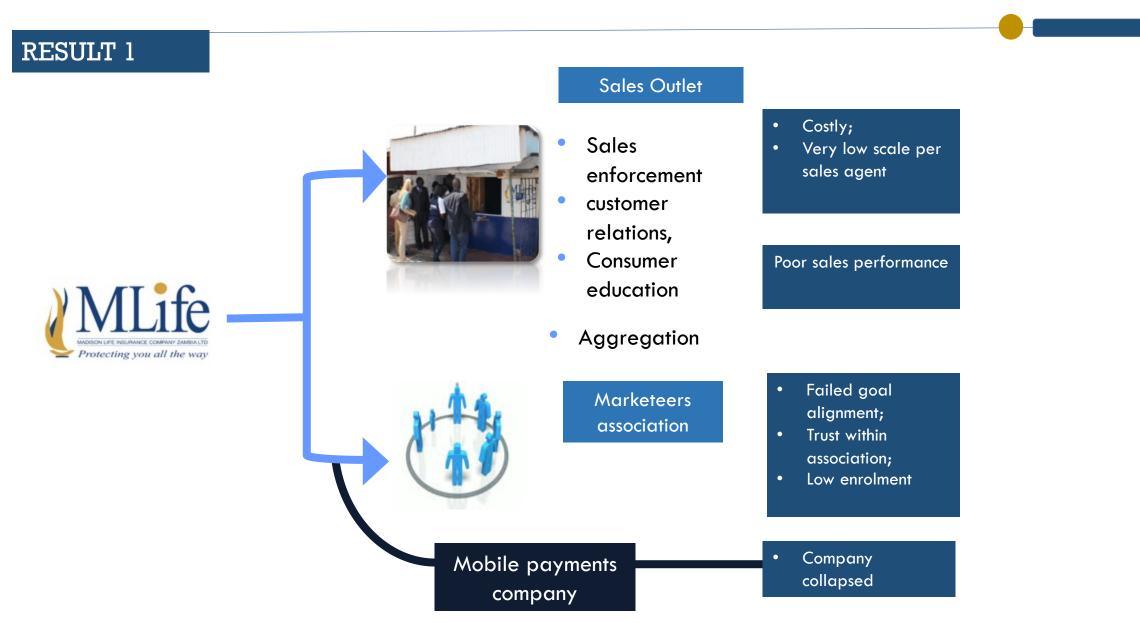
- Distribution strategy: Direct sales i.e. one to one selling through micro enterprise associations
- Selling points at Major Markets .
- Premium range: Monthly minimum =
 US \$ 2
- Sum assured minimum: = US \$ 1,300

Project failed to generate the targeted interest and volumes



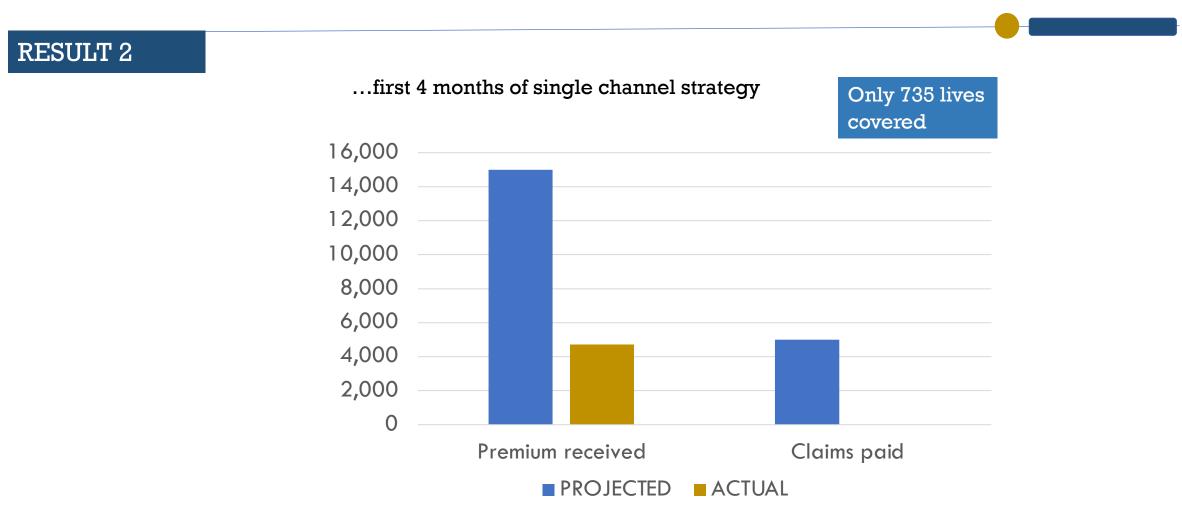
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Experience 1: Product: Family funeral cover





Product performance Aug – Dec 2012 [ZMW]

FAILURES IN INCLUSIVE INSURANCE

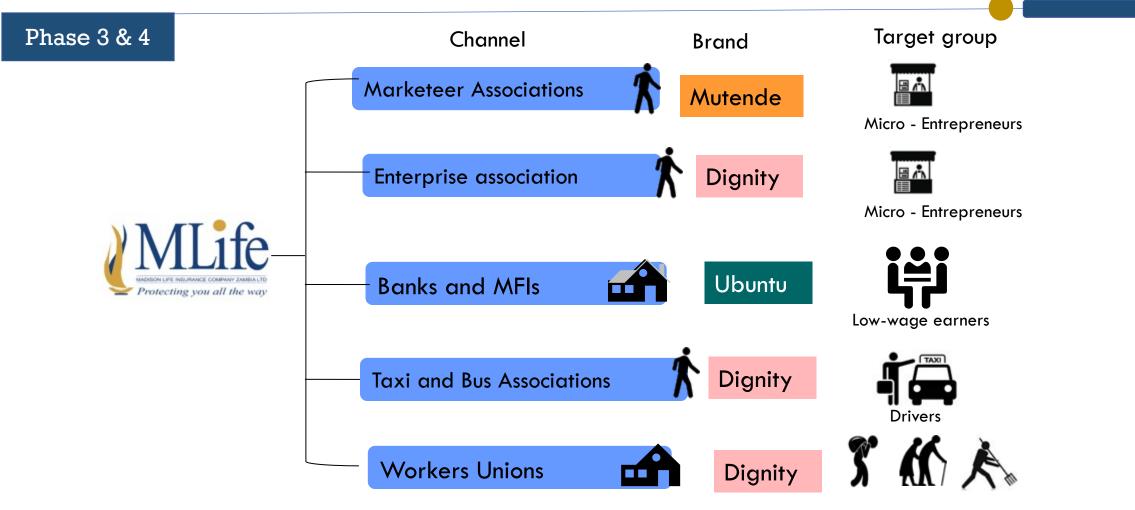


- Project failed to generate the targeted interest and volumes.
- •Product not accepted by the intended market.
- Overly Dependant on the Agent; project proved costly to the Agent;
- Failure to market Madison Life as a company and brand;
- ●Lack of Education /product Knowledge;
- Informal Protection Scheme working well.



Multiple branding and distribution

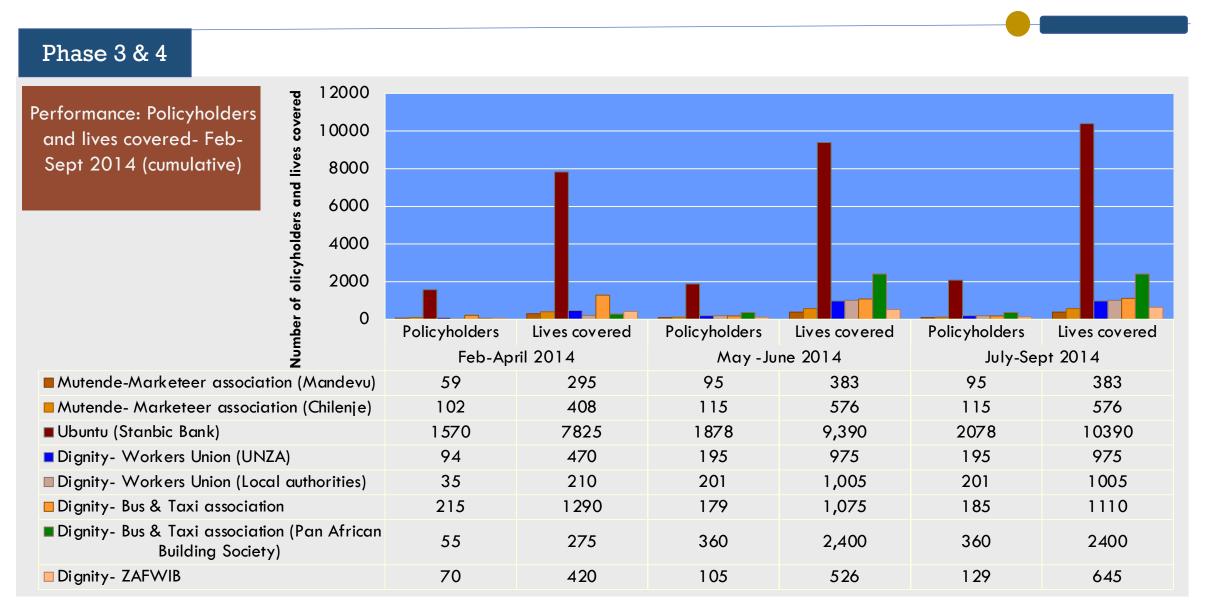




Low-wage earners e.g. Casual workers, Teachers, Civil Servants

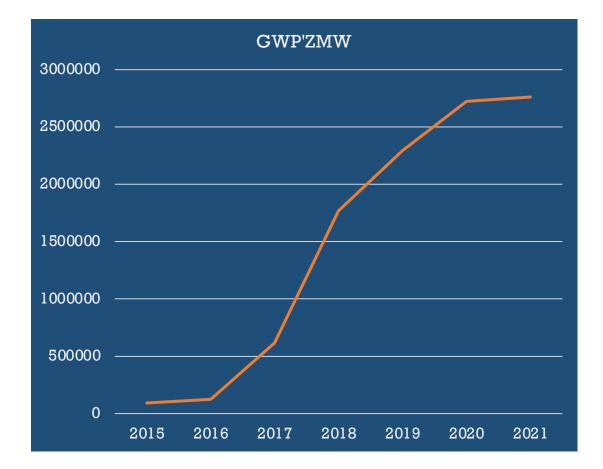
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SUCCESS FACTORS.



- Start with Achieving Client Confidence;
- Understand the culture and environment;
- Education of the clients is key;
- Product must be accepted by the intended market and generate desired volumes
- Aggregator should be able to woo large numbers;
- Aggregator must have necessary capacities; collect premiums and settle claims using cheap means.
- A win –win arrangement with the aggregator.
- Always work with simplified products;
- Add APPROPRIATE sweeteners;
- Good communication /interaction
- Take ownership



