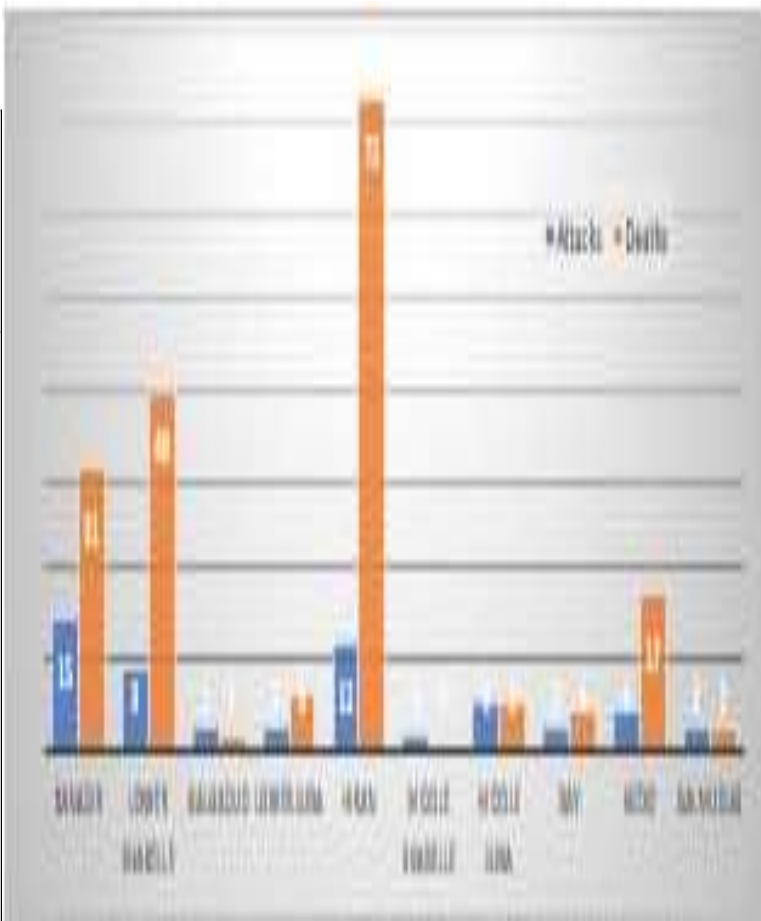
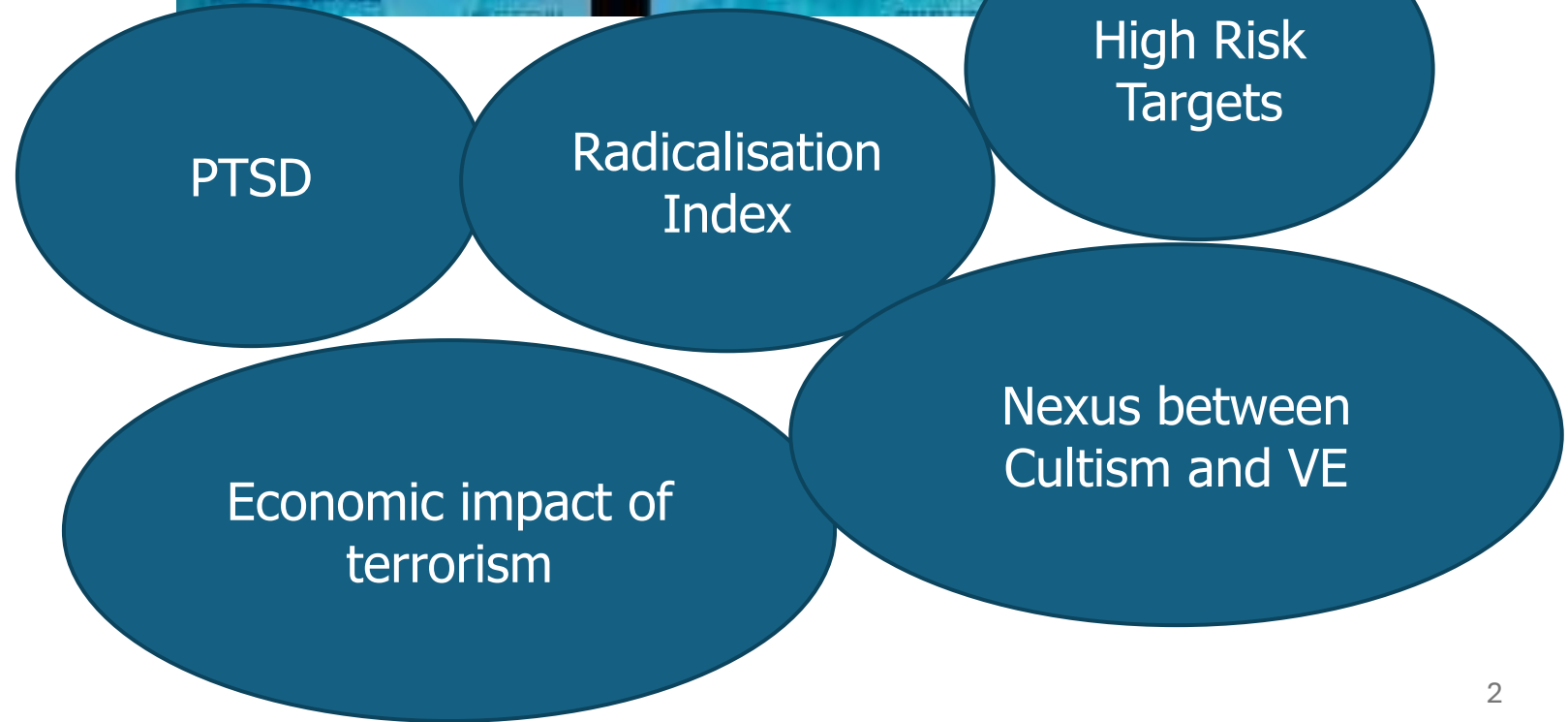


A nighttime cityscape featuring several palm trees in the foreground and a prominent clock tower in the background. The scene is illuminated by city lights, with a large, brightly lit cylindrical building and a clock tower visible. The sky is dark, and the overall atmosphere is urban and modern.

IMPLEMENTING EVIDENCE-BASED POLICING IN COUNTERING VIOLENT EXTREMISM

Interventions derived from objective research, evaluation and analysis

5 Evidence-based research to guide CT/CVE interventions in 2022-2023



- Production of Weekly, Monthly and Quarterly terror threat analytical reports to inform CT patterns and trends

Relationships with local communities

- County policing authorities
- Nyumba Kumi, Sub-County Peace Committees, and Cohesion Committees
- County action plans
 - Male and female mentorship programs
 - Security-community dialogue
 - Victims-survivors-ambassadors



SUCCESS

- **Women empowerment – victims-ambassadors-survivors**
 - **Youth empowerment**
 - **Trust building**
 - **Mentored youth**
 - **Increased and accurate reporting of VE incidents (good intelligence)**
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- A group of women, many wearing hijabs, are gathered together. Some are holding microphones, suggesting they are speaking or performing. The women are dressed in various styles of hijabs and clothing, including a prominent yellow and black patterned hijab. The background is a plain wall with a window.

challenges

- Mistrust
- Cultural barriers
- Insufficient resources
- Fear of retaliation by the extremists
- increased online radicalisation



MI S T R U S T

LESSONS LEARNT

- 1. That we have to use research to generate solutions that recognise the local dynamics that contributed to the evolution of violent extremism**
- 2. That communities are key to building resilience, both as active participants and partners in information sharing, need to continually build trust**
- 3. That the whole of society must be included and emphasis on human rights encompassing the social, economic, civil and political facets**
- 4. International partnerships on trans-national and cross-cutting issues paramount**