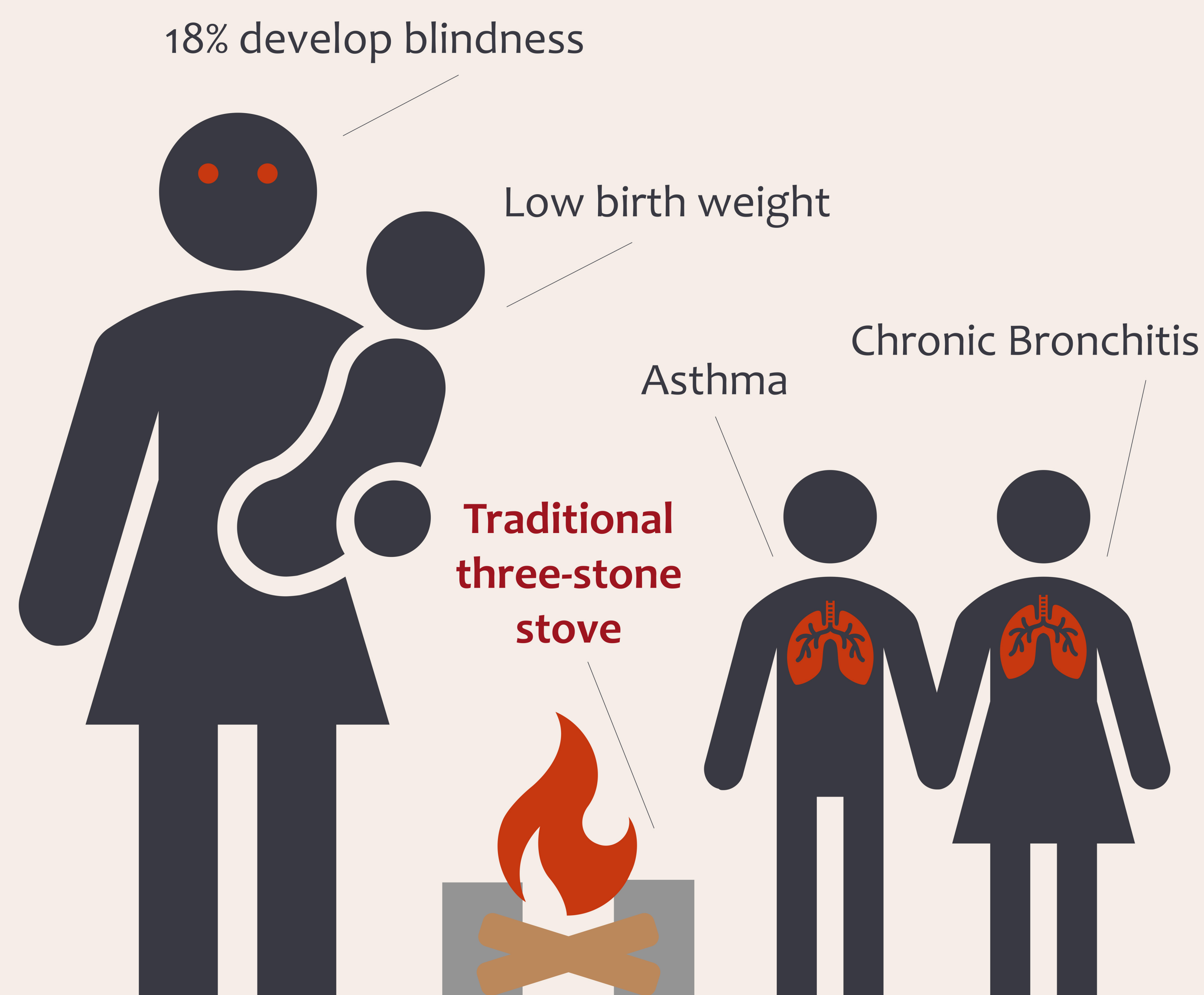


Problem

76% of Kanpur's Rural population is reliant on solid biomass fuel for cooking. The traditional stoves have a low thermal efficiency and cause negative side effects because of the excess of fuel burned.



Current Solutions: Improved Stoves

Forced Draft

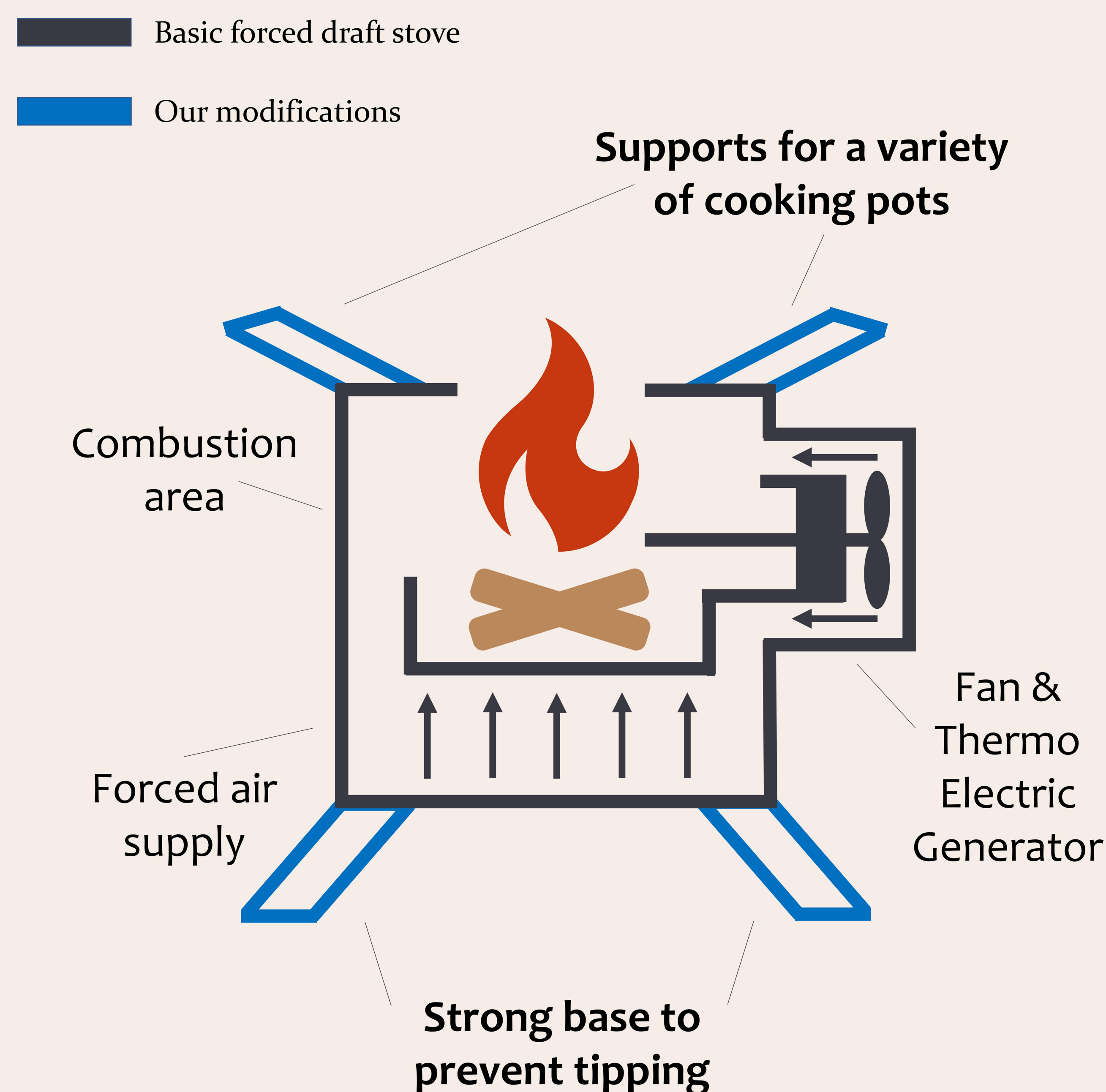
Natural Draft

Most thermally efficient of improved stove

Easy to tip and not adaptable to various cookware

Slightly more thermally efficient than traditional stoves

Our Solution: Modified Forced Draft Stove



CO produced (g/kg)



Implementation

- 1 Contact Heifer International and share stove plans
- 2 Heifer will send the design to their manufacturer
- 3 Heifer will conduct a study to measure effectiveness

Criteria for measuring the effectiveness:

1. Rate of adoption
2. Reduction in household air pollution
3. Cultural appropriateness
4. Rate of decrease in health symptoms
5. General satisfaction from trial group

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