

# Shared Service Characteristics

**Service Type: Supportive, Similar, Compatible, Common Elements, Duplicative**

**Service Area/Constituency: Distinct, Similar, Shared, Overlapping**

**Impact: Service Improvement, Cost Avoidance, Shared Costs, Cost Savings**

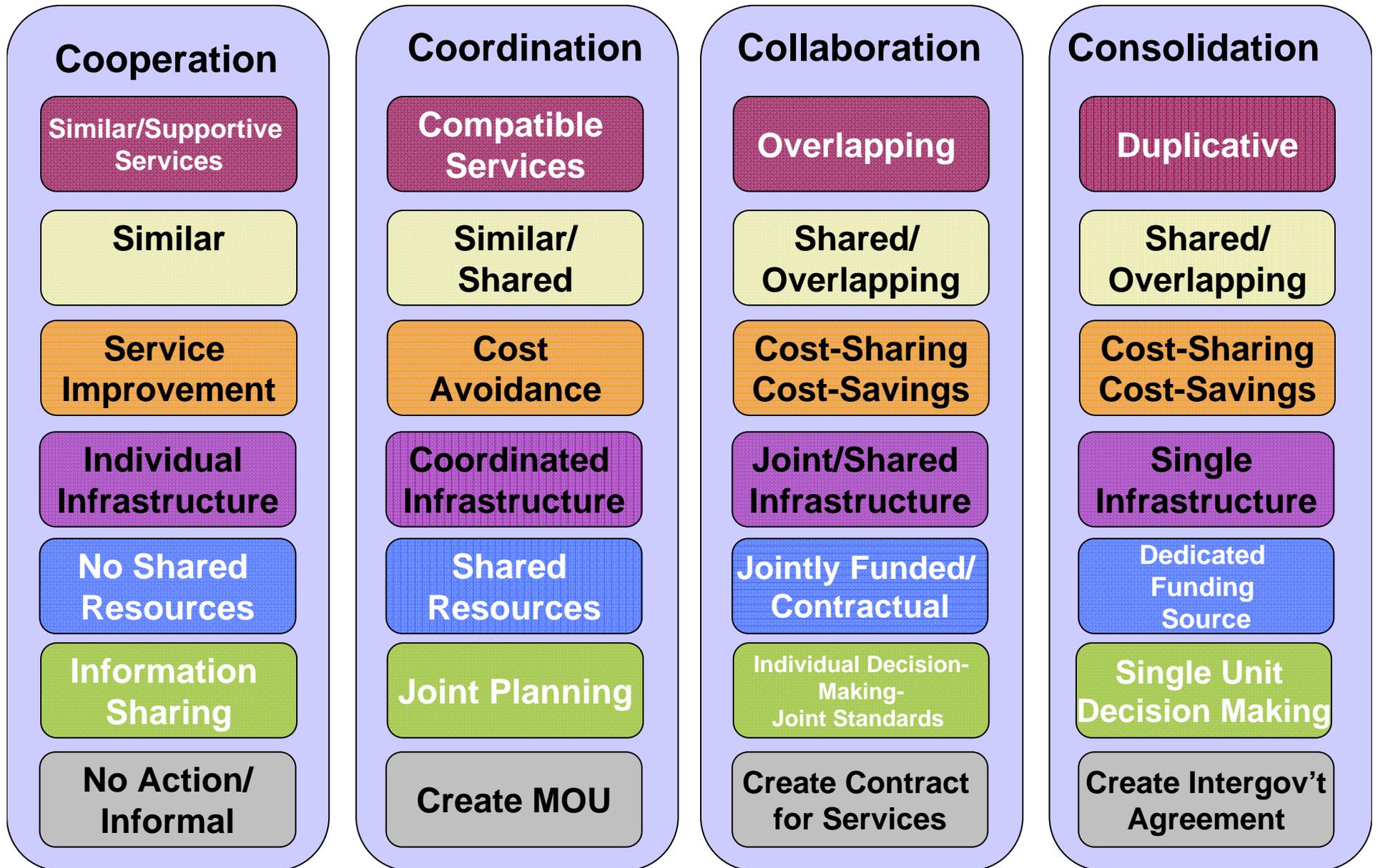
**Infrastructure: Individual, Coordinated, Shared, Merged**

**Funding: No shared resources, Jointly Funded, Contractual/Fee for service, Dedicated Resources**

**Decision Making: Information Sharing, Joint Planning, Joint Decision-Making**

**Formality of Relationship: Informal, Create MOU, Intergovernmental Agreement**

# Continuum of Service Sharing



Note: Not all characteristics may be equally weighted or operate at the same level in their individual continuum