

# Dynamically Duplicate Input Elements

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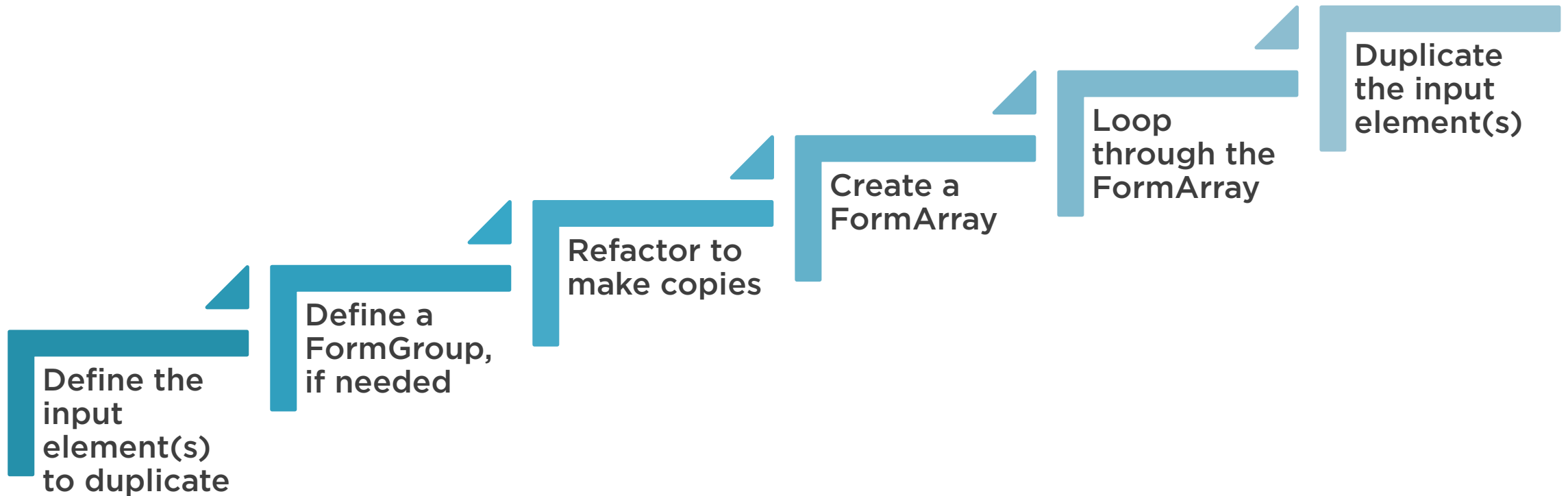
# Module Overview

## Steps

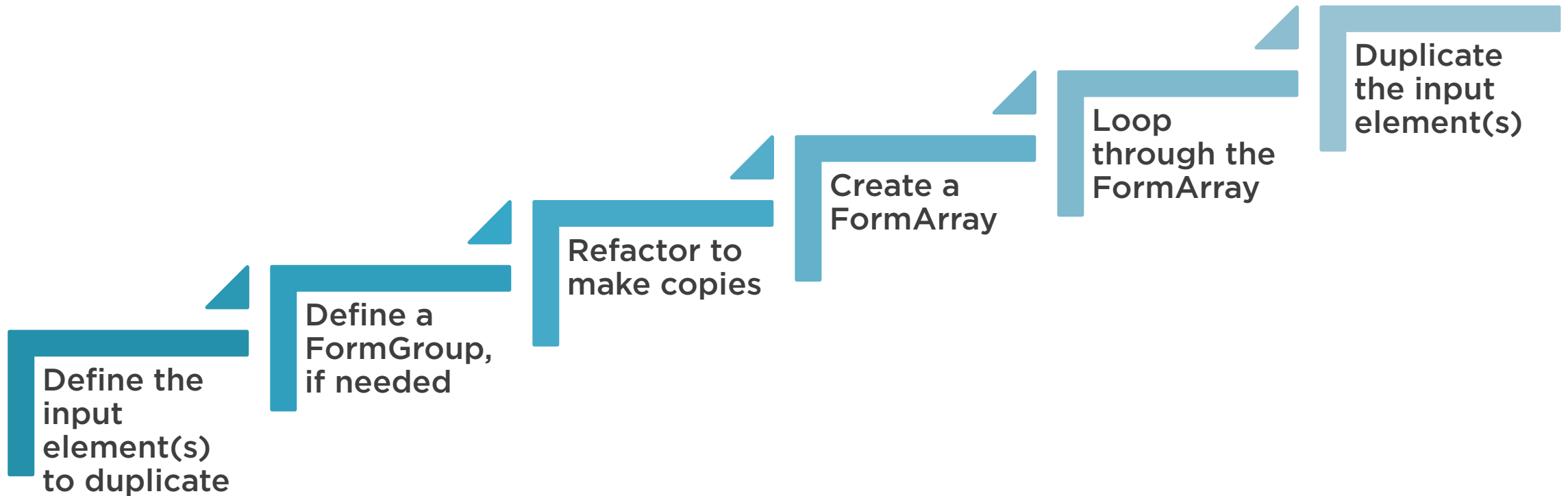
### Perform Each Step

- FormArrays

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# Sign Up!

**First Name**

First Name (required)

**Last Name**

Last Name (required)

**Email**

Email (required)

☒ Send me your catalog

**Address Type**

☒ Home ☐ Work ☐ Other

**Street Address 1**

Street address

**Street Address 2**

Street address (second line)

**City, State, Zip  
Code**

City

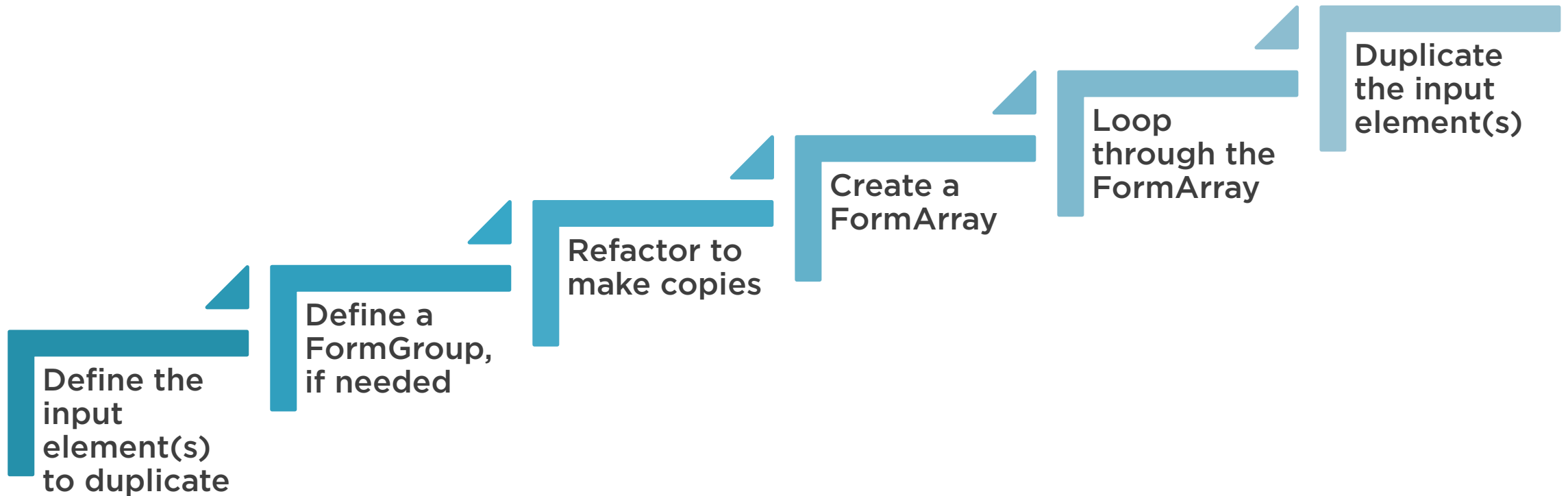
Select a State...

Zip Code

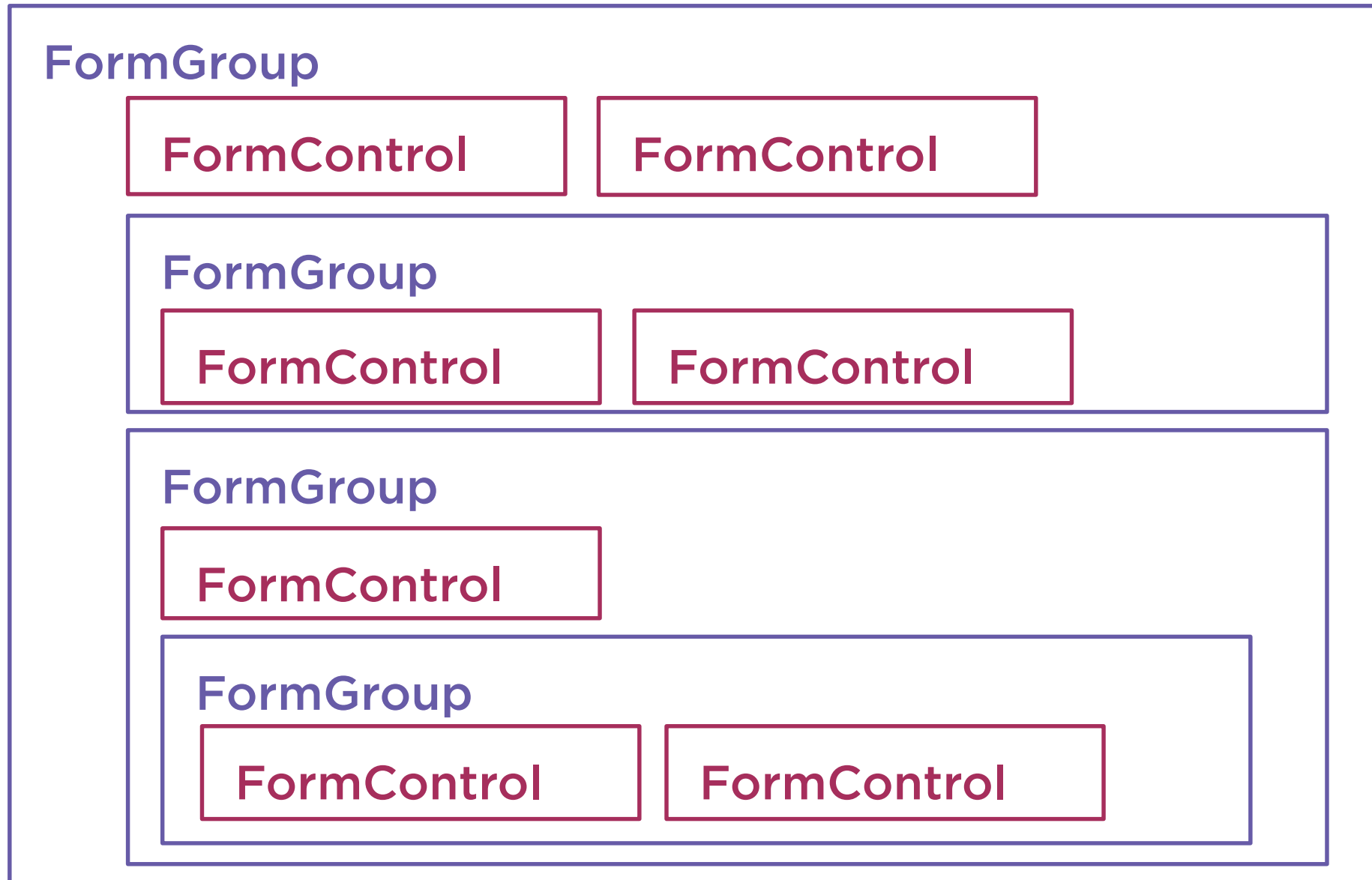
Save



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# FormGroup



# Benefits of a FormGroup

Match the  
value of the  
form model to  
the data model

Check  
touched, dirty,  
and valid state

Watch for  
changes and  
react

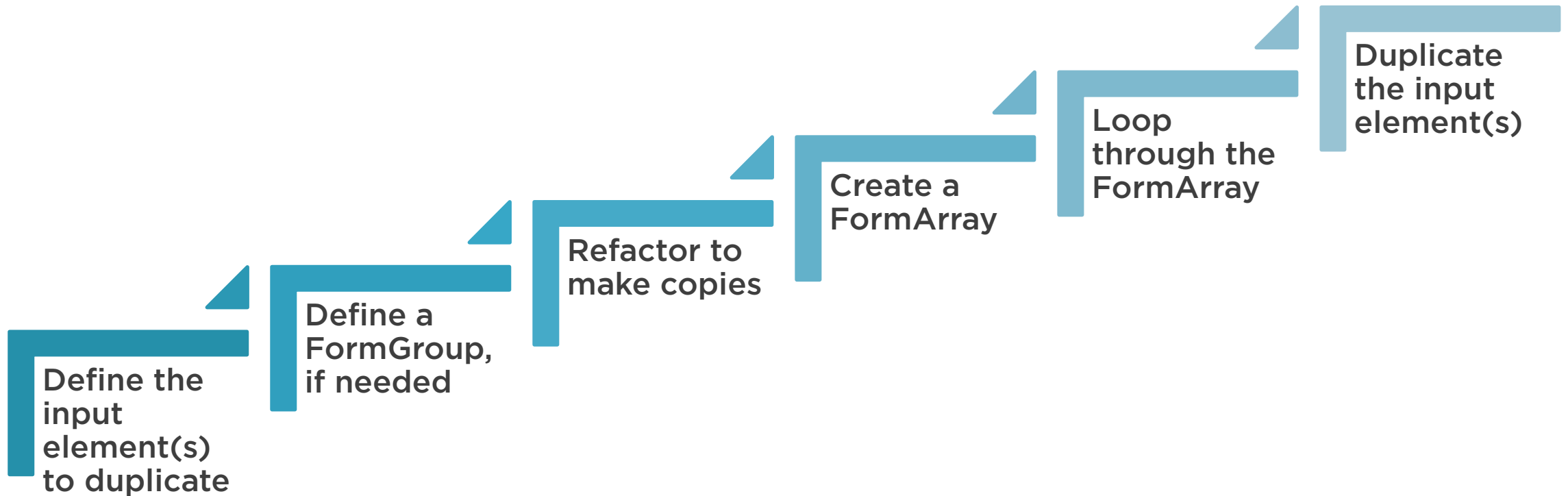
Perform cross  
field validation

Dynamically  
duplicate the  
group





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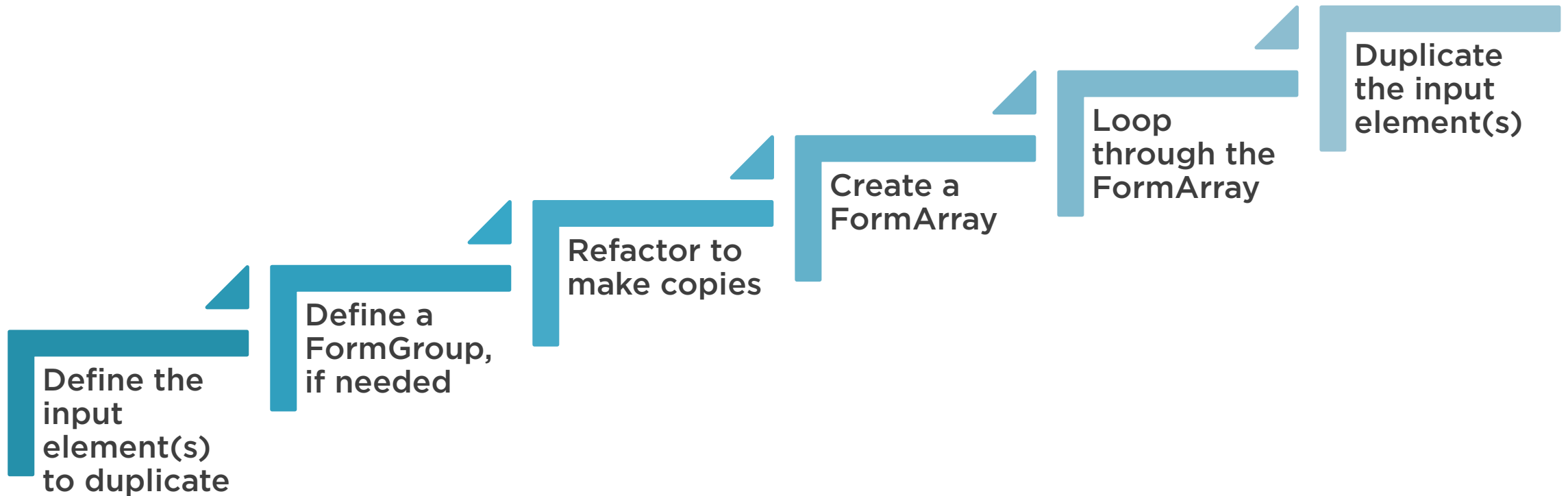
# Creating a FormGroup in a Method

```
buildAddress(): FormGroup {  
    return this.fb.group({  
        addressType: 'home',  
        street1: '',  
        street2: '',  
        city: '',  
        state: '',  
        zip: ''  
    });  
}
```

```
this.customerForm = this.fb.group({  
    ...  
    addresses: this.buildAddress()  
});
```



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# FormArray

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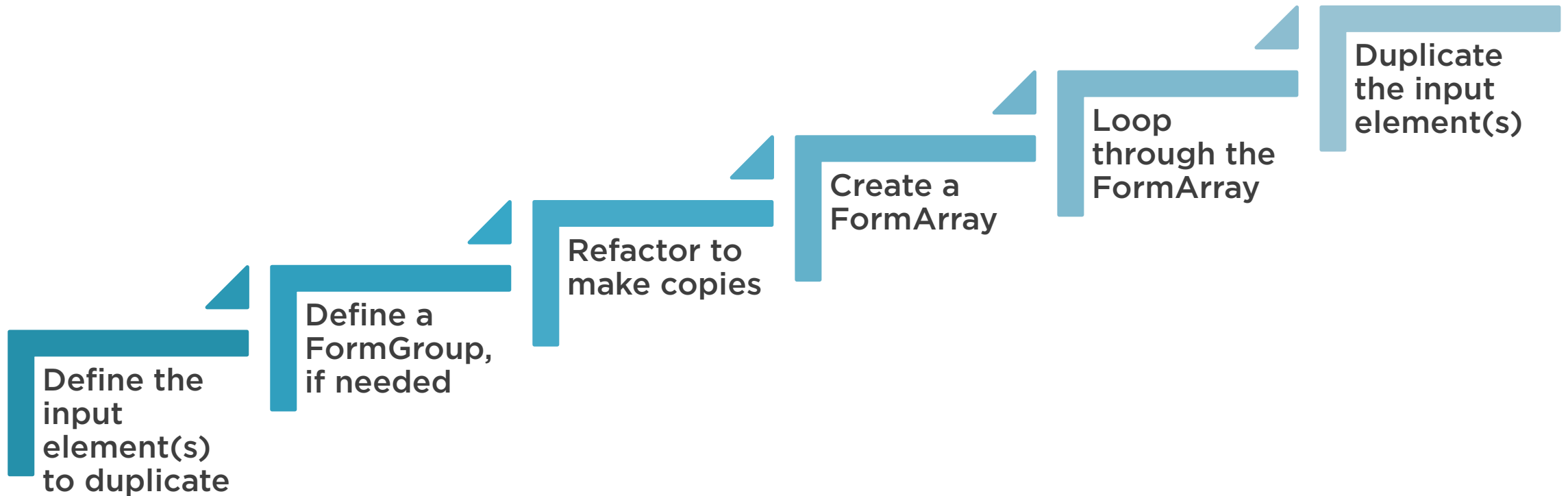
# Creating a FormArray

```
this.myArray = new FormArray([...]);
```

```
this.myArray = this.fb.array([...]);
```



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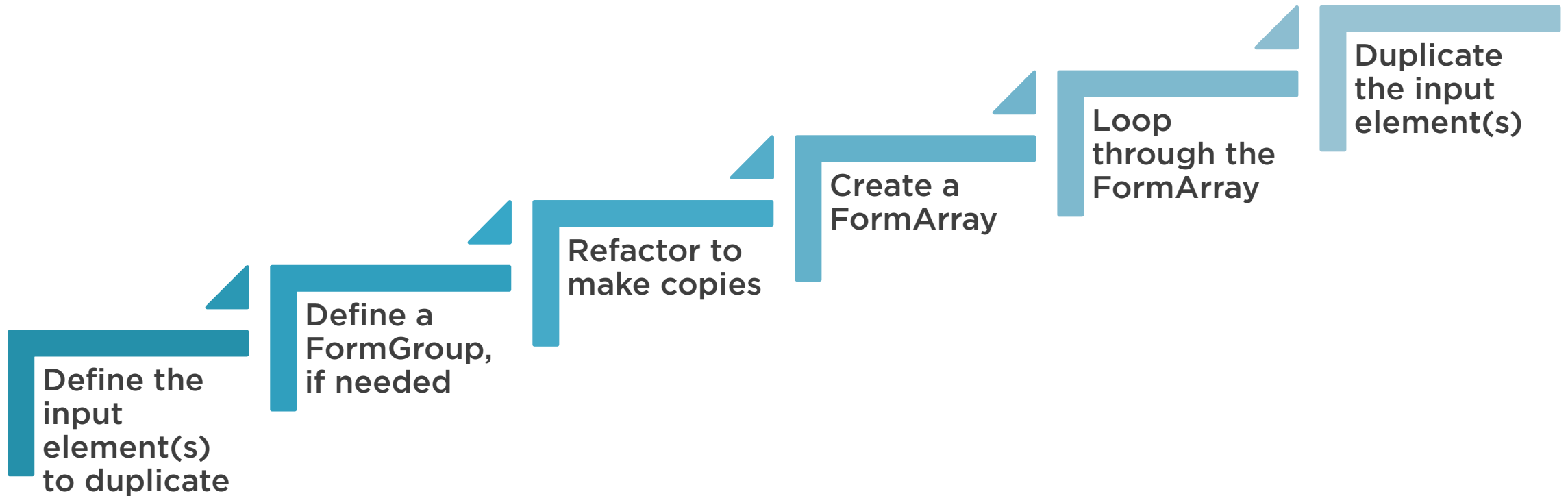


# Looping Through a FormArray

```
<div formArrayName="addresses"  
  *ngFor="let address of addresses.controls; let i=index">  
  
  <div [formGroupName]="i">  
    ...  
  </div>  
  
</div>
```



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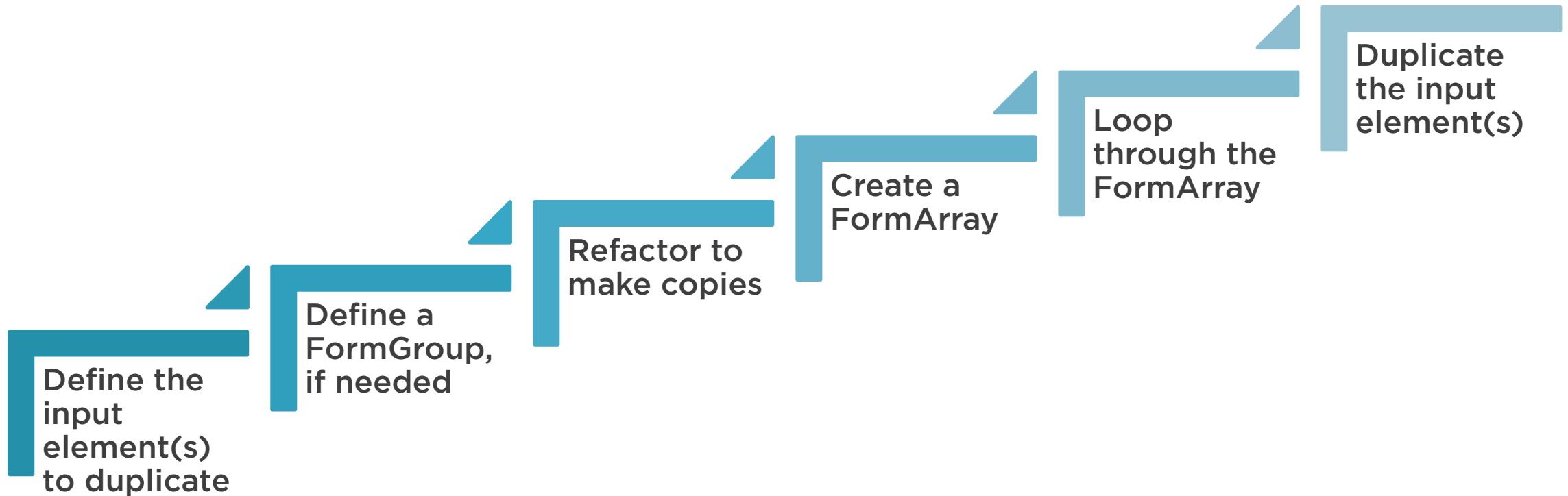
# Duplicate the Input Elements

```
addAddress(): void {  
  this.addresses.push(this.buildAddress());  
}
```

```
<button class="btn btn-primary"  
        type="button"  
        (click)="addAddress()">  
  Add Another Address  
</button>
```



# Checklist: Dynamically Duplicate Input Elements



# Summary

## Steps

### Perform Each Step

- FormArrays