

Evaluation Inventory

Worksheet #1

1. The "Big Picture" . . . Who cares about my program?

Stakeholders	What do they want to know?
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Stakeholders can include*:

- 1. Persons involved in program operations (e.g., sponsors, collaborators, coalition partners, funding officials, administrators, managers, and staff);
- 2. Persons served or affected by the program (e.g., clients, family members, neighborhood organizations, academic institutions, elected officials, advocacy groups, professional associations, skeptics, opponents, and staff of related or competing agencies); and
- 3. Primary users of the evaluation (e.g., specific persons in a position to do or decide something regarding the program).

(Source: CDC Evaluation Working Group, http://www.cdc.gov/eval)

2. Who currently receives evaluation findings for your program?



Evaluation Leadership Self-Assessment

Worksheet #2

Evaluation Planning:
Completed Logic Model for Program Planning & Evaluation
Discussion(s) of evaluation planning with key stakeholders
Identification of Short-Term Outcome Indicators
Identification of Medium-Term Outcome Indicators
Identification of Long-Term Outcome Indicators
Inclusion of explicit output and outcome indicators in planned program for
reporting through AIMS
Evaluation Collaboration & Support:
Written evaluation management plan with roles, methods, and timelines
identified and formalized
Instruments/sources of data identified & communicated
Training related to protocols provided to evaluation team members (persons with
roles in the collection and reporting of evaluation data)
Data reporting guide/e-mail provided to evaluation team for data collection &
reporting for federal fiscal year
Evaluation Implementation:
Identification, collection, and reporting baseline data
Measurement & reporting of Short-Term Outcome Indicators
Measurement & reporting of Medium-Term Outcome Indicators
Measurement & reporting of Long-Term Outcome Indicators
Periodic data review and monitoring for identification & correction of errors
Analysis of data
Dissemination of evaluation findings to stakeholders
Modifications to program planning based on evaluation data for process
improvement

Data Quality = Evaluation Management based on Uniformity of:

- 1. Indicators (What will be measured)
- 2. Tools/Roles (How and Who will measure)
- 3. Data Collection Plan (When)
- 4. Uniform Reporting (Where)
- 5. Contextual Interpretation