



GOOD PRACTICE WORKSHOP

APPROACHES TO ASSESS SOCIO-ECONOMIC AND SECTOR RELATED RDP IMPACTS IN 2019

24-25 OCTOBER 2018

WSPÓLNA 30, WARSAW, POLAND

BACKGROUND

In 2019, the Managing Authorities of RDPs will submit the second enhanced Annual Implementation Report, which will include reporting on the progress towards the programme objectives and on the programme's contributions to achieving the Union's Strategy for smart, sustainable and inclusive growth. This will be done through the assessment of the programme's net contributions to changes in the CAP impact indicator values and through answering the relevant evaluation questions. The assessment of RDP impacts is as challenging task:

- How can a counterfactual be constructed?
- What can evaluators do if there is low up-take?
- How can data gaps be overcome?
- What are the most robust evaluation designs?
- How can qualitative methods support the evaluation?

OBJECTIVES

- Show and discuss practical examples of evaluation approaches for assessing the socio-economic and sector related CAP Pillar II impact indicators and for answering the related Common Evaluation Questions (CEQ) in 2019.
- Identification of specific challenges related to the application of the presented evaluation approaches covering CEQs 27, 29, 22 and 25.
- Exchange experiences among Member States and develop recommendations for evaluators and Managing Authorities to facilitate the use of robust evaluation methods for assessing RDP socio-economic and sector related impacts.



OUTCOMES

The outcomes of the workshop will be published on the website of the European Evaluation Helpdesk for Rural Development.

TARGET AUDIENCE

Managing Authorities, evaluators, representatives of evaluation units and other evaluation stakeholders.

Working language will be in English.

Please register by
27 September
by filling the following
form: <https://bit.ly/2vxqhvB>

Participation is subject to
confirmation via e-mail.

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W E D N E S D A Y 2 4 O C T O B E R

12:00 Registration of participants

Setting the frame

13:00 Welcome note by the hosting organisation (*Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development of Poland*)

Objectives and agenda (*Evaluation Helpdesk*)

Main focus and legal framework for evaluation (*European Commission DG AGRI*)

Guidelines: Assessing RDP achievements and impacts in 2019 (*Evaluation Helpdesk*)

Sharing experiences and developing practical recommendations

14:00 Evaluation approaches for assessing socio-economic impacts (case studies)

15:15 *Networking and Coffee*

15:45 Group work on the presented case studies

Plenary session to summarise the outcomes of the group discussions

18:00 *End of day*

19:30 *Social dinner (at own cost)*

T H U R S D A Y 2 5 O C T O B E R

Sharing experiences and developing practical recommendations

9:00 Introduction to Day 2

9:10 Evaluation approaches for assessing sector related impacts (case studies)

10:25 *Networking and Coffee*

10:45 Group work on the presented case studies

Plenary session to summarise the outcomes of the group discussions

12:50 Concluding remarks

13:00 *End of day*

