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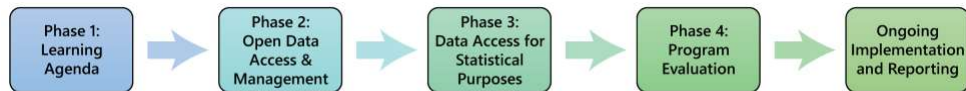**Progress and opportunities for using evidence to drive program decisions**

Moderated by: Mary Goldsmith

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Evidence Act

- Implemented in 2019
- Requires federal agencies to develop evidence to support policymaking
- Active in: Evaluation Policy, Learning Agenda, Capacity Assessment, Data, Planning and Budgeting, Statistics, and Stakeholder Engagement
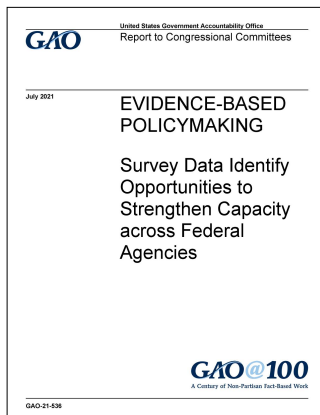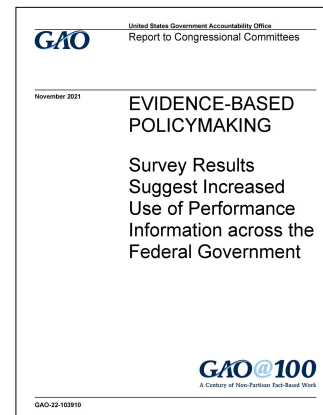
The Evidence Act | US EPA

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GAO's Findings from 2020 FMS Results

United States Government Accountability Office
Report to Congressional Committees

July 2021

EVIDENCE-BASED POLICYMAKING

Survey Data Identify Opportunities to Strengthen Capacity across Federal Agencies

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A Century of Non-Partisan Fact-Based Work

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Reports in July and November 2021 analyzed evidence-related topics and the use of performance information.

Survey of federal managers on various performance and management topics.

Results are used to provide insights on processes, practices, and cultures and implementation of various management laws.

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EVIDENCE-BASED POLICYMAKING

Survey Results Suggest Increased Use of Performance Information across the Federal Government

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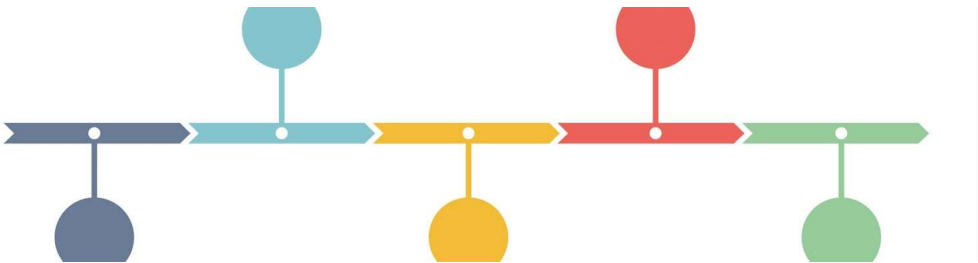Office of Management and Budget

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Data & Evidence as building blocks for success

Discuss the importance of building evidence in from the start.

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Service Delivery

Evidence for service delivery and operations

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Challenges

What challenges exist around competing priorities in a data-driven culture?

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Collaboration

How do we promote collaboration across functions?

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Opportunities

What opportunities are there for the future of data & evidence?

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Q&A

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