



See evaluation come to life

Our webinars showcase practical examples and demonstrations that demystify the evaluation process. These live, interactive learning events feature the expertise of experienced evaluators and successful project leaders. Information-rich handouts summarize key points and include links to learn more.

Use data for ATE research, development, and evaluation

The annual survey of ATE grantees has generated almost 20 years' worth of data about ATE project and center activities and achievements and the students and faculty served through ATE programming. You can use the results to learn about the program and for your own research, proposal development, and evaluation purposes.



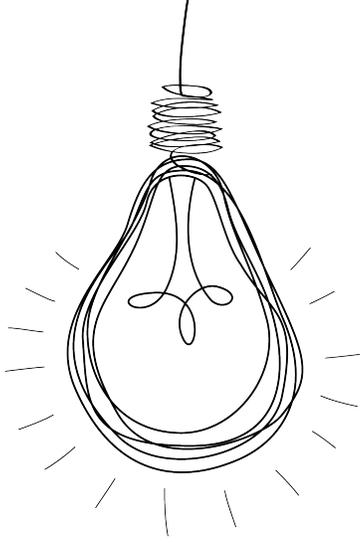
Improve your evaluation work now

Our resource library houses an array of checklists, templates, guides, and other resources to help you improve your evaluation work immediately. Tools such as the ATE evaluation planning checklist, logic model template, and data collection planning worksheet help shorten the evaluation learning curve.

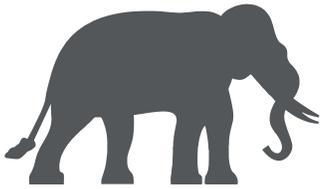
Learn from your peers

The EvaluATE-curated blog features the wisdom, experiences, and perspectives of a wide range of ATE community members, including project leaders, evaluators, researchers, and grants specialists. Blog authors share their real-world examples and lessons learned so that you can benefit from their evaluation experience and get ideas for your own practice.





GETTING STARTED WITH YOUR ATE EVALUATION

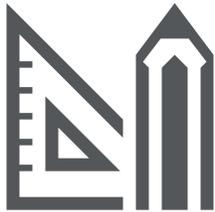


EVALUATION BASICS

- **Ask important questions** about the project's processes and outcomes
- **Gather evidence** that will help answer those questions
- **Interpret findings** and answer the evaluation questions
- **Use the information** for accountability, improvement, and planning
- **Continue** this process throughout the life of your project

Resource:

Data Collection Planning Matrix (bit.ly/data-matrix)

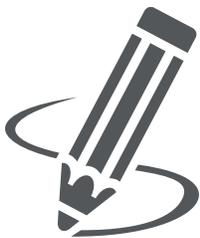


USING EVALUATION

- **Improve** your project
- **Inform** stakeholders
- Fulfill grant **requirements** (annual report)

Resource:

Expectations to Change (E2C) (bit.ly/Adams-E2C)



WORKING WITH YOUR EVALUATOR

- Make sure your evaluator's **contract** is in place
- Assign a **point-person** on your project team for evaluation matters
- Schedule a **recurring meeting** with your evaluator
- Make an appointment with your college's **data person**
- Set up a **timeline** for your evaluation
- Commit to **using** your evaluation results

Resources:

Principal Investigator "To Do" Checklist: Before Launching Your Project Evaluation (bit.ly/ToDoChecklist)

Communication Plan Checklist for ATE Principal Investigators and Evaluators (bit.ly/checklist-commplan)

LEARN MORE

- Resources to help you and your evaluator
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