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HIGHLIGHTS

The section provides a brief summary of the main conclusions and highlights the most relevant recommendations.

Background (max. 0.5 p.)

Body - The section discusses the current policy approach and initiatives, emphasising its strengths, limitations and needs. It highlights how different stakeholders are affected by the issue and current policy context. The reflection is made from GDC projects’ perspectives and their experiences with the project implementation. The section should be clear on why and what elements of the policy require changes.

Key findings (max 1p.)

The section provides the reasoning behind the policy recommendations. It presents an overview of the research conducted on the topic and the research findings[[1]](#footnote-2).

This section should introduce the urgency and importance of the problem and links it with the current policy context, to convince of the necessity of policy action.

Ideally, visuals to be included to highlight the key results.

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Policy recommendations (max. 1 p.)

The section is more detailed than highlights; it draws a conclusion and presents an explanation of the concrete steps to be taken to address the policy issue. It indicates by whom these steps should be taken, their potential implications and if relevant, how urgent certain actions/ recommendations are (e.g., taking them into account for a specific policy context like negotiations, consultations, etc.).

The recommendations are developed in light of the limitations outlined in the policy context section as well as in connection to the research presented.

REFERENCES

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