Using Evaluation: Learning From Low-Cost Federal Evidence-Building Activities

October 30, 2019 | 9:30 AM – 11:30 AM

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9:00 am   **Check-in**

9:30 am   **Welcome**

9:45 am   **Learning from Low-Cost Evaluations: New Results from OES and Partners**

How agencies are applying new evidence from low-cost evaluations in diverse program areas, including patient-generated health data, wage reporting, and vaccine uptake.

> **Stephanie Garcia** - Office of the National Coordinator for Health IT, HHS
> **Hassan Ahmed** - Inova Health System
> **Pompa Debroy** - Office of Evaluation Sciences, GSA
> **Bob Weathers** - Office of Retirement and Disability, SSA
> **Elana Safran** - Office of Evaluation Sciences, GSA
> **Lucas Tickner** - Veterans Benefits Administration, VA
> **Dennis Kramer** - Office of Evaluation Sciences, GSA
> **Vincent Marconi** - Atlanta VA Health Care System, VA and School of Medicine, Emory University
> **Pompa Debroy** - Office of Evaluation Sciences, GSA

10:15 am   **Learning from Unexpected Results**

How to plan for unexpected results and use them to make policy decisions, develop learning agendas, and support ongoing evidence-building.

> **Rekha Balu** - Office of Evaluation Sciences, GSA
> **Calvin Johnson** - Office of Policy Development and Research, HUD
> **Susan Wilschke** - Office of Research, Demonstration, and Employment Support, SSA

10:45 am   **Learning from Administrative Data**

How administrative data can be used to answer priority questions and generate evidence in key cross-agency priorities.

> **Jagruti Rekhi** - Office of Policy Development and Research, HUD
> **Michael DiDomenico** - Office of Evaluation Sciences, GSA
> **Adam Sacarny** - Office of Evaluation Sciences, GSA and Mailman School of Public Health, Columbia University
> **Alan Sim** - Enterprise Intelligence and Data Solutions, DoD
> **Elana Safran** - Office of Evaluation Sciences, GSA

11:15 am   **Closing**