Evidence-based policies for sustainable housing and urban development

The role of evaluation and the experience of CEB

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The 17 SDGs are accompanied by 230 targets, each linked to multiple indicators.

- Promote measurability
- Harmonization
- Quality of data
- Capacity building

What
Where
How
Measurement is not enough
The Role of Evaluation in UN 2030 Agenda

Building on evidence, evaluation aims at assessing the merit, worth, significance of policies, programs, strategies and systems

Why did change happen?  
Structured process

Who benefited?  
National ownership

Are the changes sustainable?  
Setting the standards

Communication potential

Participatory process

Solution

Credibility
Promote evaluative thinking

Generate data and insights for policy making

Address the complexity of SDGs
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Holding the institution accountable to its social mandate

Use of evaluation knowledge to improve the quality and performance of its future operations

Evaluation of corporate tools and special themes

Promoting outreach and dissemination of relevant knowledge
Improved quality of interventions

Generate and systematize knowledge from past experience: what works? why?

Help the housing sector move away from an output-based approach to a more explicit definition of social success

Help clarify objectives and promote their measurability
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Understanding relationships, causalities, conditions
Providing broader strategic and policy reflections to the housing debate

Reaffirming the concept of affordability

Leaving no one behind

Is affordable safe?
Is affordable adequate?

How to ensure long term sustainable development