



State Clean Energy-Environment Technical Forum

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Best Practices in Evaluating Energy & Demand Savings

Welcome	Julia Miller, US EPA Clean Energy-Environment State Partnerships State & Local Branch, Climate Protection Partnerships Division, Catherine Morris, The Keystone Center	5 min
Overview of EM&V	Nikolaas Dietsch, EPA Clean Energy-Environment Partnership	10 min
New York EM&V	William Saxonis, Program Evaluation Manager, NY Department of Public Service	10 min
Massachusetts EM&V	Mike Sherman, Director of EE Programs, MA Department of Energy Resources	10 min
Regional EM&V Forum	Julie Michals, Director, Regional EM&V Forum, Northeast Energy Efficiency Partnership	10 min
Facilitated Discussion	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What are the primary drivers for conducting program evaluation in your jurisdiction (e.g., documenting progress toward state goals, improving programs, measuring contribution of EE as an energy and/or demand resource)? Have these drivers changed over time and why? 2. Who conducts EM&V in your jurisdiction, what types of evaluation do they undertake (i.e., impact, process, market), and what are the key questions they are trying to answer? 3. Is evaluation planning initiated at the early stages of program development, and are evaluation results used to inform and improve the design and delivery of future programs? 4. How do you distinguish between gross and net savings of programs, i.e. identifying the savings that are attributable only to the program incentives or measures? 5. What are the emerging policies that require evaluation of demand savings? What have been the challenges? 6. What have been the challenges of measuring and reporting co-benefits (avoided emissions, health benefits, job creation, energy security, and water savings)? 7. How frequently does EM&V occur and what percentage of program budgets is allocated to evaluation? 	40 min
Wrap-up		5 min

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