



Catch of the Day Evaluator Certification

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Purpose

- Entities that hire evaluations consultants will know that evaluators or potential evaluators have the basic knowledge and skills to work on an evaluation.
- This will:
 - Give confidence to the people who are hiring evaluators.
 - Give confidence to people reading evaluation reports.
 - Allow evaluation companies to know that their future employee has basic skills.

Uses for a Certification

Possible Uses:

- ☐ Ensure a basic level of knowledge for evaluators
- ☐ Develop a process by which evaluation reports are “certified”
- ☐ Ensure a Code of Ethics is adhered to

Clean Power Plan – Federal Plan Requirements (Proposed)

“The EPA also recognizes that a skilled workforce performing the EM&V is important to substantiate the authenticity of emissions reductions.”

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“states are encouraged to include in their plan a description of how states will ensure that...workers who perform the EM&V of demand side EE and existing EGU performance will be certified by a third party entity...”

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IEPEC's Intended Role

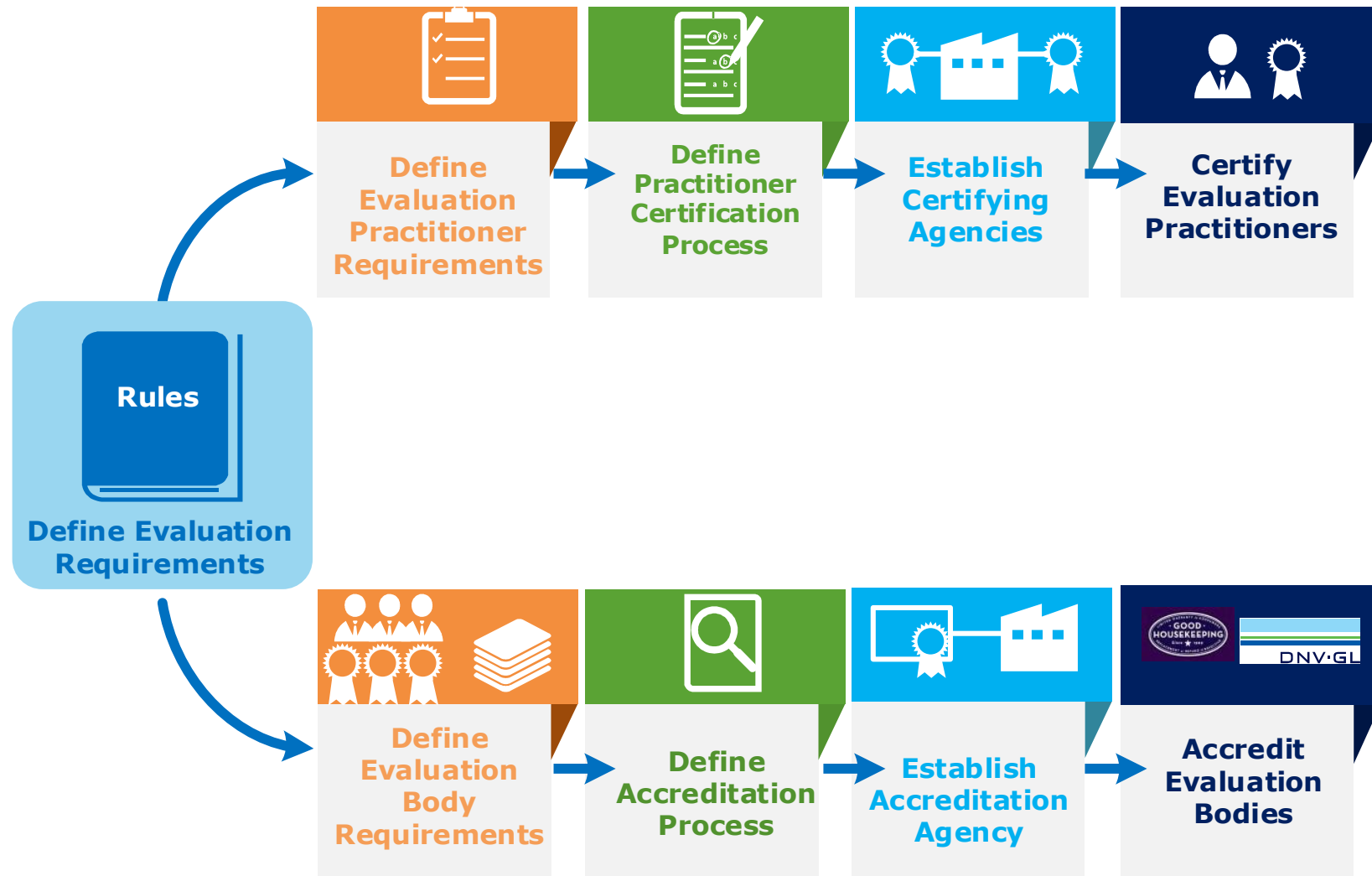
To ensure that the evaluator certification process, procedures, and subsequent criteria:

- Benefit from the institutional knowledge of IEPEC and the evaluation community,
- Are built on the industry's long history of embracing best practices, and
- Reflect the needs and interests of the practicing evaluation community and the consumers of their research.

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What Would It Take?





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Discussion & Questions

Axiologic Oath

I swear to fulfill, to the best of my ability and judgment, this covenant:

I will respect the hard-won scientific gains of all ~~evaluators~~physicians in whose steps I walk, and gladly ~~share~~ offer such knowledge as is mine ~~to those willing and able to pay for it~~with those who are to follow. I will apply, for the benefit of the ~~ratepayer~~sick, all ~~analytic~~ measures which are required, avoiding those twin traps of ~~overtreatment~~ self-selection and ~~threat~~ therapeutic to validitynihilism. I will remember that there is art to ~~measurement~~medicine as well as science, and that ~~economics, statistics~~warmth, sympathy, and ~~common sense~~understanding may outweigh the ~~engineer's~~surgeon's ~~worksheet~~knife or the ~~behaviorist's~~ chemist's drug. I will not be ashamed to say "I know ~~not~~," nor will I fail to call in my colleagues when the skills of another are needed for a ~~program's~~patient's recovery, ~~as long as they are a sub-contractor to me~~. I will respect the privacy of my ~~clients~~patients, for their problems are not disclosed to me that their ~~superiors~~world may know. Most especially must I tread with care in matters of ~~a measure's~~ life and ~~persistence~~death. If it is given me to save a ~~LED's~~ life, all thanks. But it may also be within my power to take a ~~CFL's~~ life; this awesome responsibility must be faced with great humbleness and awareness of my own ~~uncertainty~~frailty. Above all, I must not play at ~~regulator~~God. I will remember that I do not treat a ~~free-rider~~fever chart, a ~~rebound effect~~cancerous growth, but a sick ~~program administrator~~human being, whose ~~program's performance~~illness may affect the person's ~~target compliance~~family and ~~cost recovery~~economic stability. My responsibility includes these related problems, if I am to care adequately for the ~~NTG~~sick. I will prevent ~~free-ridership~~disease whenever I can, for ~~spillover~~prevention is preferable to ~~naturally-occurring conservation~~eure. I will remember that I remain ~~objective~~a member of society, with special obligations to all ~~legislators and policy makers~~my fellow human beings, those sound of mind and body as well as the infirm. If I do not violate this oath, may I enjoy life and art, respected while I live and remembered with affection thereafter. May I always act so as to preserve the finest traditions of ~~TRC~~my calling and may I long experience the joy of healing those ~~program administrators~~ who seek my help.