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*Note: *Evaluation Practice* has now been incorporated into *American Journal of Evaluation.*

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Websites on Logic Modeling

*Americorps Logic Model Puzzles*
This fun, interactive site allows you to learn and develop logic modeling skills using puzzles.


*Centers for Disease Control and Prevention*
A brief and basic, 2-page document is about constructing logic models.


*Innovation Network*
This is a comprehensive guide on understanding logic modules. The document provides detailed examples for each step of formulating a logic model. It also discusses logic models’ relationship to theories of change.

Insites
This brief paper describes how to make logic models more systematic. It provides several examples of a comprehensive logic models.


University of Wisconsin-Extension
This website includes templates for creating logic models, examples of existing logic models and a self-guided tutorial on how to enhance program performance with logic models.


Websites on Needs Assessment

Center for Applied Linguistics
PDF document describes the basics of needs assessment and its relationship to evaluating an ESL program.


Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
Although the site is targeted toward public health, the information provided, including a brief explanation of needs assessment and its relationship to program evaluation, is useful for all disciplines.


Dawson Education Service Cooperative
The document provides a step-by-step process for conducting a needs assessment. The material is specific to education research and includes an appendix with examples of needs assessment checklists, a survey, brief reference list, and possible sources of data for education needs assessments.


North Dakota State University Extension
This provides a brief definition and outline of needs assessment. The site also has a FAQ section that is useful. The page also contains links to other informative program evaluation sites.


Penn State Cooperative Extension
This brief, 2-page PDF document outlines the basics of a needs assessment and its utility.

Websites on Formative and Process Evaluation

Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development
This 33-page document by Barry Beyer describes how to conduct a formative evaluation.


Evaluation Wiki
This webpage provides a basic definition and examples of formative evaluation.


Round World Media
Resource provides a cogent argument and definition of formative evaluation. The page also provides links to examples of formative evaluation reports.


Websites on Summative Evaluation

The World Bank
This article provides an overview of impact evaluation. It also provides useful information such as why, when, and how to conduct impact evaluation. There is also a link the World Bank’s *Impact Evaluation Handbook* (available in several languages).


U.S. Office of Management and Budget
An archive of documents regarding the Program Assessment Rating Tool (PART), developed by the U.S. Government to assess and improve program performance in a variety of fields.


Websites on Program Evaluation Standards

Joint Committee on Standards for Educational Evaluation
Links to program evaluation standards developed by the Joint Committee on Standards for Educational Evaluation.