

Panel Club 4 – #EIE2021

Evidence-based Policy: Intertwining science, policy and practice at the national level

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Topic

The Dutch National Health Care Institute (NHCI) is working to stimulate the implementation of effective, evidence based and appropriate health care. Our implementation experience stems from the use of a multidisciplinary methodology in which science, policy and practice are intertwined. In this panel debate, we will be sharing our experience with stimulating implementation with a focus on:

- selecting, using and combining implementation strategies
- navigating / solving problems and unforeseen events
- managing divergent perspectives among and conflict with stakeholders

We invite attendees to bring their own experience to this panel and to discuss with us how implementation stimulation looks and feels when viewed from a national and policy perspective – and how it can be navigated effectively.

Who is this for (target audience)?

This panel debate is for those with an interest in:

- evidence based policy
- intertwining science, policy and practices to stimulate national implementation
- learning about balancing competing values and interests among implementation stakeholders

Key discussion points

- How to combine common policy instruments, such as subsidies, regulations and conventions, with more co-creative and social ways of working such as reflective dialogue, relation management and process facilitation?
- How to combine different perspectives and values related to quality of health care, including a dynamic definition of this quality?
- How to work with science, policy and practice as a non-linear, messy and iterative process based on insights from complexity, implementation and improvement science?

