



From Data to Results: The PEPNet Guide to Measuring and Improving Performance in Youth Programs

What's in this Guide?

“This guide addresses the elements of measuring results, step by step, and explains how to use the collected data to improve performance. It defines technical terms and concepts, explains calculations, provides specific suggestions about what to measure and how, and includes simple exercises to help understand the materials. And it goes beyond collecting and documenting results, exploring how to analyze results, how to communicate them and how to use youth results and other program data to improve program operations.”¹

Part I of this guide focuses on **Measuring Results**.

Part II of this guide explores how to use results and the corresponding data in **Improving Performance**.

Part III, the **Appendices** contains frequently asked questions about PEPNet, an annotated resource list, a step-by-step approach to developing a logic model, additional measurement instruments and measurement guidance and more.²

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¹ National Youth Employment Coalition. *From Data to Results: The PEPNet Guide to Measuring and Improving Performance in Youth Programs*. Washington, DC, 2005, p.5.

² National Youth Employment Coalition. *From Data to Results: The PEPNet Guide to Measuring and Improving Performance in Youth Programs*. Washington, DC, 2005, pp.5-6.