

USAID Exploratory Programs and Innovation Competitions (EPIC): Post-advisory survey

Thank you for working with the Exploratory Programs and Innovation Competitions (EPIC) Team! It has been a pleasure working with you.

This survey will help the EPIC team assess whether our advisory services met your team's needs, expectations, and objectives. Your responses will help our team better understand what went well, what we missed, and what we can improve.

Thank you for your time and attention to this survey. Please feel free to contact us with any questions or concerns.

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USAID EPIC Post-advisory survey (1)

1. 1. Start date of your engagement with EPIC (estimates are fine):

Example: January 7, 2019

2. 2. Which type of open innovation competition (OIC) did your OU/Mission launch?
Select all that apply. (If other, then please specify.)

Check all that apply.

☐ Grand Challenge

☐ Challenge

☐ Prize

☐ Hackathon

☐ Other: _____

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3. 3. Overall, launching an open innovation competition (OIC) was...

Mark only one oval.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7

Very ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ ☐ Very easy

4. Please rate how helpful EPIC's services were to launching the open innovation competition (OIC)...

Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
Not	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Extremely helpful

5. Which knowledge products shared by EPIC did you find most helpful during the implementation of your OIC, if any? *Select all that apply. If other, then please specify.*

Check all that apply.

- ☐ Meta-Evaluation of Grand Challenges
- ☐ Grand Challenge Results Framework / Performance Indicator Reference Sheets
- ☐ Grand Challenge Monitoring, Evaluation, and Learning Plan Template
- ☐ Innovation Incentive Award Authority Fact Sheet
- ☐ Open Innovation Competition Overview
- ☐ Overview of Recent Prizes and Challenges
- ☐ Prizes and Pay-for-Results Toolkit
- ☐ Challenges Toolkit
- ☐ Scope of Work Templates
- ☐ Open Innovation Competition Mad-Libs
- ☐ Problem Definition Worksheet
- ☐ Case study (please specify which case study in text box below)
- ☐ Other: _____

6. Does your OU/Mission have the intention to launch another OIC again in the future?

Mark only one oval.

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ Not sure

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7. 7. Overall, I am satisfied with the service I received from the Exploratory Programs and Innovation Competitions (EPIC) team...

Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
Corr	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Completely agree

8. 8. How likely are you to recommend EPIC's advisory services to a colleague?

Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
Not	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Definitely

9. 9. What suggestions do you have for EPIC to improve its advisory services? [Please do not enter any personally identifying information for yourself or others in your response.]

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