THE OECD DECLARATION ON PUBLIC SECTOR INNOVATION ?

WHAT IS THE OECD DECLARATION ON PUBLIC SECTOR INNOVATION?

The OECD Declaration on Public Sector Innovation is a set of five principles, and associated actions, that governments or public organisations can use to inform (or enhance) innovation and its management.

Provides common principles, concepts and language

Legitimises innovation as a core strategic function and an activity in which every public servant can have a role

Supports the expansion and improvement of innovation so government can address all kinds of challenges, routine or complex, and take advantage of opportunities

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WHO CAN USE THE DECLARATION?

Anyone can use the OECD Declaration in ways that best suit their context. Countries can 'adhere' to the OECD Declaration. Interested organisations can 'endorse' it. To understand more about what this means in practice visit :

https://oe.cd/innovationdeclaration



HOW CAN PEOPLE USE THE DECLARATION ?



Public sector leaders are politicians or leaders of public organisations

They can use the Declaration to :

- Affirm that innovation is important to addressing a variety of challenges and leveraging opportunities
- Embed innovation as a core strategic function
- Reflect on the barriers to innovation and find ways to overcome them
- Define priorities and actions to support innovation better

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Public managers are people who work in public organisations and are responsible for achieving policy objectives and delivering services

They can use the Declaration to :

- Start conversations about how innovation can help the organisation meet its goals
- Legitimise innovation as a part of core business
- Reflect on the barriers to innovation and find ways to overcome them
- Develop innovation capacity
- Encourage collaboration and sharing

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Public officials are people who work in government or for a public organisation

They can use the Declaration to :

- Think about what role they could play in fostering or supporting innovation
- Test and trial new things and ways of working
- Connect with others locally or internationally, to learn, share and develop innovation practices