

# I4W methodology

Training presentation



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# Stage 1. Setting up the framework for good practice identification and transfer and to facilitate the implementation of exchanged good practices

- Organisational approach: Involvement of key regional actors in innovation, and health and safety policy.
  - Advisory Group consisting of high-level regional decision-makers will be actively informed on the progress and results of the project, and meet at project major joint events.
  - Involvement of regional policy experts, participating in joint exchange of experience seminars and a policy workshop.

# Stage 1. Setting up the framework for good practice identification and transfer and to facilitate the implementation of exchanged good practices

- Activities and events:
  - Regional seminars between relevant actors at policymaking and implementation level;
  - Interregional joint exchange of experience seminar between regional policy experts;
  - Site visits to all six regions involved, to identify and benchmark good practices policies - both from the partners regions as well as other regions - that address these policy issues.
- Output
  - A policy framework document that will be part of the documentation for the open call for proposals in Component 4, stating the most relevant good practices addressing key policy issues that can be the subject of further analysis, development and transfer between regions within the subprojects

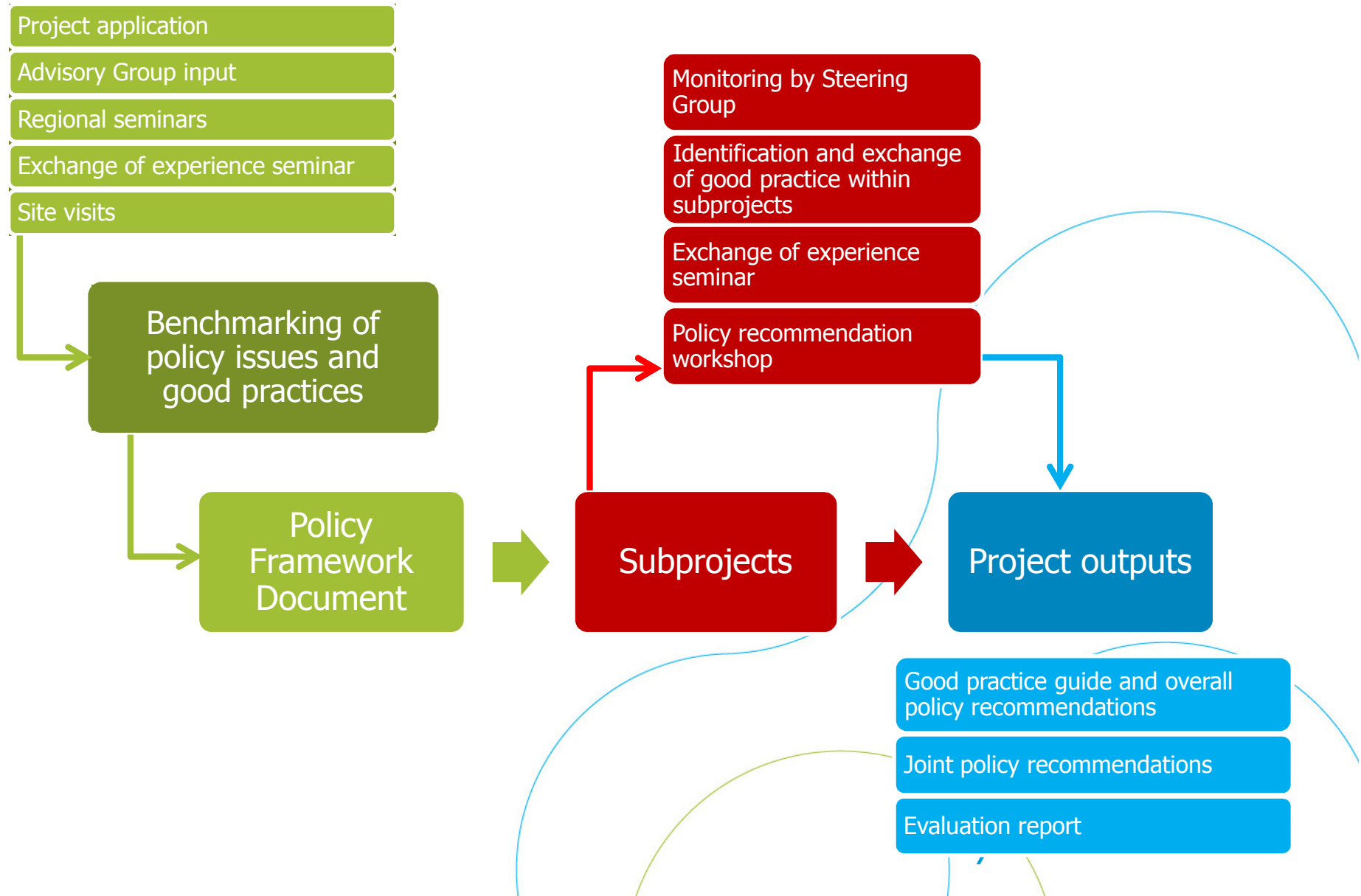
## Stage 2. Identification and exchange of good practices by the subprojects.

- Organisational approach:
  - Steering Group will closely monitor the exchange of experience at a subproject level in C4.
  - Subprojects to supply the project partners with evidences of the good practice identification and exchange.
- Activities and events:
  - Joint exchange of experiences seminar. Subproject participants will discuss their preliminary results and exchange ideas with regional policy-makers and experts.
  - Joint policy recommendations workshop to discuss and finalise the policy recommendations proposed.
  - Final dissemination event in Brussels to pro-actively disseminate to regional decision-makers the good practices developed in the subprojects.

## Stage 2. Identification and exchange of good practices by the subprojects.

- Final outputs:
  - Good practice guide and overall policy recommendations, based on the good practice methodologies and policy recommendations developed in the subprojects as input
  - Joint policy recommendations , after discussion at the policy recommendations workshop
  - Evaluation report, with suggestions on how to durably implement the results of the project as a whole in future regional policy, especially through ERDF-funded initiatives (using external experts)

# Methodological structure



# Methodological tools

- Policy framework document.
  - Identify the most relevant good practices addressing key policy issues to be subject of further analysis, development and transfer between regions within the subprojects, to be used in the open call for proposals:
    - Identification of key policy issues, related to integrated innovation-oriented approaches targeting health and safety issues through policy that stimulates the development and implementation of innovative technologies and processes.
    - Identification of good practices in stimulating innovation in health and safety
- Good practice guide and policy recommendations
  - Project proposes good practice identification and exchange to be implemented at subproject level,
    - Subprojects will develop and transfer good practice methodologies in at least 3 policy areas per region.
    - Subprojects will produce at 8 good practice documents, supplemented by specific policy recommendations.
    - Subprojects will yield improvements in at least 8 existing methodologies and strategies for welfare-related innovation policy.
    - At least 6 good practice policies to be transferred between regions in the project.
  - Then, I4W project will use subproject findings to produce project outputs
    - On the basis of the results and external evaluation of each of the subprojects, the partners will define a good practice guide and a set of overall policy recommendations to be disseminated.