Information for organisations who want to use the iEtD

If your organisation would like to use the iEtD tool, please send an email to ietd@epistemonikos.org with the name you would like to call your organisation in the tool, and the name of the person who will be the iEtD administrator for your organisation. We will set up an organisation for you.

The interactive Evidence to Decision tool (iEtD) is being developed by DECIDE, a research project funded by the EU. It is based on the GRADE Working Group’s approach for going from evidence to recommendations.

The tool is free to use and is currently available for use online. We are considering making it possible to use offline. If this is important to your organisation, or if your organisation needs to be able to use it on their own server, please let us know (ietd@epistemonikos.org).

- **Security for your work**
  The iEtD is programmed by Epistemonikos and maintained on their servers. Information that you enter into the iEtD is saved as soon as it is entered and the servers are backed up hourly. You have full control over who has access to the information that you enter.

- **Support**
  **Technical support**
  Epistemonikos will provide technical support. Please contact radagabriel@gmail.com. In the near future the iEtD will be incorporated in the GRADEpro Guideline Development Tool (see below). Epistemonikos will also continue to host and maintain a complete stand-alone version of the iEtD. Existing users will be able to continue using the iEtD as usual or through GRADEpro. Your work will be secure, and you will be able to access technical support. You will also be able to export at any time frameworks, reports or interactive presentations that you have prepared.

  **Methodological support**
  Please contact ietd@epistemonikos.org if you have any methodological questions.

- **Feedback**
  This version of the iEtD is a test version. The iEtD is still under development. We would be very grateful for your feedback and may contact you with specific questions. After using the iEtD please complete a feedback form found here on the front page and in the menu on the left in the iEtD. This will help us improve the EtD and the iEtD to make them more useful for people like you.

- **The GRADEpro Guideline Development Tool**
  The GRADEpro Guideline Development Tool (GDT) currently includes an EtD framework without some of the functionality of the iEtD. The iEtD functionality will be incorporated into GRADEpro GDT in the near future. This will allow seamless development of recommendations from question generation, to decision making, to generation of mobile applications. All the technical requirements of the iEtD (regular backups, data security) will be met in this version, extended by features specific to the GDT, such as offline mode and real-time editing capabilities. You will have full control over who has access to the information that you enter.
  Full technical support will also be provided by the GRADEpro GDT team for issues arising as part of GRADEpro GDT.