



Population-Level Outcomes Review for House Commerce

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[2017 Population-Level Outcomes Report](#)

[Overview of the charge to the Government
Accountability Committee](#)

[History of the enabling legislation and changes
to the indicators over time.](#)

2018 GAC Recommendations

1. Revise indicators used in population-level outcomes report.
2. Use Results-Based Accountability in the legislative process.
3. Place performance notes in bills: issue, impact, measurement.
3. Work w/Executive Branch to align on 5 year strategic plan and PIVOT.
4. Use EB5 failures as a cautionary tale.

The 10 Population-Level Outcomes

- (1) Vermont has a prosperous economy.
- (2) Vermonters are healthy.
- (3) Vermont's environment is clean and sustainable.
- (4) Vermont is a safe place to live.
- (5) Vermont's families are safe, nurturing, stable, and supported.
- (6) Vermont's children and young people achieve their potential.
- (7) Vermont's elders live with dignity and in settings they prefer.
- (8) Vermonters with disabilities live with dignity and in settings they prefer.
- (9) Vermont has open, effective, and inclusive government.
- (10) Vermont's State infrastructure meets the needs of Vermonters, the economy, and the environment.

An indicator should...

- Be easily understood.
- Says something of central importance to the outcome.
- Be based on quality data that is timely, reliable and consistent.

3-5 indicators in each area.

Existing indicators for “Vermont has a prosperous economy”

- (A) percent or rate per 1,000 jobs of nonpublic sector employment;
- (B) median household income;
- (C) median house price;
- (D) rate of resident unemployment per 1,000 residents;
- (E) annualized unemployment rate;
- (F) average wage;
- (G) percent of population living below the federal poverty level and below 200% of the federal poverty level (children, adults, people with disabilities of working age, and adults over age 65);
- (H) gross domestic product;
- (I) gross domestic product per capita;
- (J) increase in gross working lands income over previous year, for grantees of Working Lands Program;
- (K) percent of total farm sales;
- (L) percent of fruit and vegetable farms by sales outlet; and
- (M) number of farmers’ markets.

Proposed Indicators

- (A) percent or rate per 1,000 jobs of nonpublic sector employment;
- (B) median household income;
- (C) rate of resident unemployment per 1,000 residents;
- (D) percent of population living at or below 185% of the federal poverty level; and
- (E) gross domestic product.

Legislation - Continued

