

Barcelona Innova: Strategy for Boosting Urban Innovation in Barcelona

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Quality score: 76/100

Evidence strength: Descriptive / self-reported

Summary

This government measure formalizes and shapes the strategy of promoting innovation in the city as a means of leverage for transformation and acceleration to improve people's quality of life, fight climate change and foster urban resilience.

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Transferability / demonstrated replication	2/3
Scalability	2/3
Evidence of impact / measured results	1/3
Sustainability / continuity	3/3
Innovation	3/3
Inclusiveness / equity	2/3
Multi-stakeholder collaboration	3/3

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

[C-NAPSE City Innovation Library research](#) — accessed 2026-08-14

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