

CNIL's AI Sandbox for Public Services — Piloting Guardrails for Government AI Before Deployment

AI in the Public Sector · Good practice · France

Quality score: 73/100

Evidence strength: Descriptive / self-reported

Summary

France's data-protection authority ran a 2023-24 regulatory sandbox pairing four public bodies — including France Travail and RATP — with AI projects, then published recommendations in April 2025 on bias, oversight and human review before nationwide rollout.

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Evidence of impact / measured public value	1/3
Transparency, fairness & accountability	3/3
Transferability / demonstrated replication	2/3
Scalability beyond pilot	2/3
Governance, capability & sustainability	3/3

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

[C-NAPSE web research](#) — accessed 2026-07-24

[CNIL \(Commission Nationale de l'Informatique et des Libertés\)](#) — accessed 2026-07-24

[CNIL official summary](#) — accessed 2026-07-24

[Archimag - independent analysis](#) — accessed 2026-07-24

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