

Digital Maldives – National Digital ID and Connectivity for Climate-Resilient Public Services

Digital Inclusion · Good practice · Maldives

Quality score: 52/100

Evidence strength: Moderate

Summary

A \$10M World Bank-backed programme is building the Maldives' first national digital ID (eFaas) and expanding broadband competition to remote atolls, aiming to cut costly inter-island travel for health, banking and social-security access.

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Innovation level	3/5
Sustainability (ongoing)	1/1
Evaluation evidence	0/1
Demonstrated reach	1/1
Documented learning	0/1

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

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