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Translating Evidence to Policy: Who? Where? Why? And what does it mean for my research?

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Guess which country has the most entries in the HSG inventory

- ▶▶ USA – 24%
- ▶▶ India – 47%
- ▶▶ Lebanon – 0%
- ▶▶ Canada – 26%
- ▶▶ China – 3%

In fact one in three initiatives was Canadian, by far the largest number.




Do you agree: evidence-based policymaking in health systems is a myth?

- ▶▶ Yes is a myth – 29%
- ▶▶ No it is not a myth – 71%

Well this was a surprise! We were more skeptical than our attendees.

This question was inspired by Devaki's blog: [Is Evidence Based Policymaking in Health Systems a Myth?](#)



Do you have an initiative that you would be willing to contribute to the KT/CCE inventory going forward?

- ▶▶ Yes – 33%
- ▶▶ No – 66%

This was exciting! We had 45 participants so having ~15 people say that could contribute was great news.

Contribute to the inventory [with this Google Form](#). Also [available on the HFG website](#) and the Health Systems Global website.



Useful links

- ▶▶ <http://healthsystemsglobal.org/twg-group/2/Translating-Evidence-Into-Action/>
- ▶▶ <https://www.hfgproject.org/webinar-translating-evidence-policy-mean-research/>