



# Linking Freedom of Information and Open Data for Better Access to Information

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## Open Data at the Sub-national level – Session 8 E

- Dynamic comes from the sub-national level/districts.
- The expansion of ‘Document Information Management Offices’ (PPID) needs to go along with the engagement of CSOs, who work with communities/citizens and lead them through the lobbying process
- Package/Build information needs into public service delivery issues.
- Set standard for data quality.
- Conduct a media campaign on FOI and the services provided by PPID.

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- Conduct research and get better knowledge on data needs of CSO and citizen and assess their data usage.
- Establish incentives and encourage LG to innovate (competitions)
- Conduct Good Practice Documentation and Analysis
- Feed empirical experience into National and Regional Policy Papers
- Establish regional forums and replicate through province
- Encourage peer-to-peer learning.