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## Workshop 4: Single Outcome Agreements and sub-Scotland data sources

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Single Outcome Agreements:

Strategic, high-level documents signed by  
CPPs and SG Ministers agreeing the  
priority outcomes CPPs will deliver

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- SG want an outcome based approach...  
Not an indicators based approach
- But outcomes are rarely directly measureable
- *Indicators* give an *indication* of whether the *outcome* is being achieved



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## Improving Local Indicators Project

Led by SOLACE to:

Review and develop local outcome indicators

Address issues around the availability of useful and robust data at a local level

Consider wider related issues regarding the assessment of outcomes



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## Improving Local Indicators Project

Summer of consultation almost at and end

Messages being considered

Menu of indicators to be published soon

Next phase under consideration – how to  
improve data



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# **General Register Office for Scotland (GROS)**

**Contribute to Single Outcome Agreements through:**

- **Publication of data on GROS website**
  - population
  - life expectancy
  - vital events – for example, causes of death
  
- **Analytical advice**
  - share knowledge of data sources
  - discuss suitability of data for indicators
  - effect of random fluctuations on data trends



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## Where to find data on the [GROS website](#):

- By topic
  - [Publications and Data](#) page
  
- By sub-Scotland geography type (e.g. council areas)
  - [Sub-Scotland Data Sources](#) page



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- Similar Sub-Scotland pages on Scottish Government website
  - [Statistics](#) pages
  - Data sources and suitability pages
    - for example, [transport and travel](#)