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This News brief alerts you to the following recently issued report from the Urban Institute, "An Agenda for Action: Outcome Management in Nonprofit Organizations," Edited by Harry Hatry and Linda Lampkin. The Agenda seeks to encourage nonprofit organizations to focus their management practices and decisions on the results they intend to achieve for their participants. This focus goes beyond just measuring the results to actually using the results to increase the effectiveness of their services and improve their service outcomes.

This 32 page report is available from the Urban Institute, at:
<http://www.urban.org/nonprofit/ActionAgenda.html>

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