

May 21, 2015 Meeting Minutes for ANTM 10am-11am

Mission: *The purpose of our workgroup is to document, celebrate, and share effective strategies and practices that promote action leading to increased CIE on local level.*

We are currently working on documenting success stories for varying audiences and conceptualizing how we would communicate those stories via the State Council website and the data dashboard.

Link to meeting recording:

<https://tarjancenter-ucla.adobeconnect.com/p9fzh1n0qh4/?launcher=false&fcsContent=true&pbMode=normal>

Attendees: Linda, Richard, Denyse, Nelly, Gina, Mike, Rachel

Agenda:

1. 5/30/14 CECY Face to Face Workgroup Meeting – recap & approval of minutes **see attached document*
2. Revised Spotlight – feedback
3. Com Con Briefs & LECT Summary – update
4. Blueprint & Regional Center Surveys – update
5. What's next?

Meeting Summary: We want to utilize Tennessee Works' Success Stories website as a framework and link it to the more technical info (i.e. Spotlights) though the SC website. Our current work includes finalizing the LECT Spotlights and LECT Summary Report.

Meeting Highlights:

- *LECT Spotlights:* Gina & Mike continue working on them
- *LECT Summary:* Katharine and Wilda are clarifying the data. Gina & Mike are meeting with Katharine tomorrow to work on it. Gina will get Wilda an updated copy.
- There's a Work Services workgroup in OC that includes: DOR, RC, service providers, couple of school districts...going to approve a *workplace eval doc* that will carry over from school to adult service

provider...Linda will share at our next meeting...might be useful to include in Blueprint as a tool for statewide training

- There's an Irvine Adult Transition Program partnership b/w school district and DOR (Campisi helped develop) 18-22 y/o youth with ID...problem is with LOCAL DOR office who believe people aren't candidates (determining they should be served by RC)...Denyse thinks this is not just an OC DOR issue, but wants Linda help figure out what it is that local DOR offices need in order to decide what a youth needs in order for local DOR offices to determine eligibility for supported employment through DOR. Linda is going to meet with DOR & RC together to try and figure how to address issue.
- Richard says there are pockets throughout CA where DOR says clients are better served through RC
- Denyse says ARCA's RC surveys should all be in soon
- We reviewed www.talentknowsnolimits.com and agreed it was a very text heavy model.
- Nelly suggests having our own postings using SC website for EF
- Denyse suggests asking other sites (like CCEPD's talentknowsnolimit) to post our link to SC website.
- Richard says Workability Newsletter twice a year highlights success stories...it highlighted a local man working at the movie theater in Whittier.
- Gina proposes to just do success stories for self-advocates and families rather than to convert Spotlights into more accessible documents – might not be interesting info to families.
- Denyse says to add a link to the success stories that can take service providers to the technical spotlights
- We don't need to reinvent things!! We want our products to be web-based to emulate the Tennessee model:
<http://www.tennesseeworks.org/success-stories/>
- Gina will connect with Olivia to see how liberally we can borrow from Tennessee.
- We need pics of real people – most powerful
- Nelly will get *SC special web page photo release* document from her legal counsel to us so we can start gathering photos with the success stories
- Denyse suggests to include info on where the youth transitioned from in the success stories...i.e. came from high school, community college, etc. – what their PATH was...(Do we list the headings as:

from high school to employment, from voc training to employment, etc.?)

- Include cross links to supporting docs/items like the success stories in the bi-annual Workability newsletter (Richard emailed us the latest version)
- Rachel recommends a tie in with CECY branding with the header, “I want to work; I know I can” as a tie in for the success stories
- Nelly thinks we should keep our disability language broader for the materials targeting youth because they don’t necessarily identify as having ID/DD

Links to look at:

WIOA page: <http://www.dor.ca.gov/Public/WIOA-Information.html>

LINK to Blueprint MOU: [http://www.chhs.ca.gov/Pages/Competitive-Integrated-Employment-\(CIE\).aspx](http://www.chhs.ca.gov/Pages/Competitive-Integrated-Employment-(CIE).aspx)

NEXT MEETING: June 23, 2015 at 10 AM

Agenda:

1. May ANTM Workgroup Meeting Minutes – recap & approval
2. Product Progress: LECT Spotlights, Katharine’s LECT Summary, and ability to use Tennessee Works website as our framework
3. Blueprint update & preliminary results from ARCA’s RC survey on how each RC is moving forward on EF – Denyse
4. Share the updated Orange County Employment Skills Development workplace evaluation sheet – Linda
5. Next steps

ANTM Workgroup Names

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