

CORE INFORMATION:

Workgroup Members: **Leads:** Katharine Hayward ▪ Mark Polit

Members: Phil Bonnet ▪ Mike Clark ▪ Denyse Curtright ▪ Amy Westling

Workgroup Description/Purpose: Creating a data dashboard that can be utilized by professionals and families alike to track progress and explore underlying issues through data.

WORKGROUP PROGRESS SUMMARY (covering April 1 – Sep 30, 2013):

- 1) The work of CECY is to increase the number of youth and young adults with ID/DD in integrated competitive employment. **Data Nerds** contributes to this overall goal by developing data pictures to accurately show the state of employment for youth and young adults with ID/DD in California.
- 2) Toward this purpose, we have accomplished the following between April 1 and Sep 30, 2013:
 - a) Workgroup Meetings and Call:
 - 3 (Monthly) Workgroup Meeting: June 12, July 10, Aug 14
 - 2 In-Person Meetings: June 18 and Sep 26
 - Joint Meeting with Policy Change Artists to strategize data needed for policy brief(s)
 - b) Progress and Activities:
 - Established a Monthly Meeting Call time
 - Added Regional Center Director to Workgroup in June 2013
 - Established New Co-Lead in July-August 2013
 - Developing draft version of data dashboard by end of 2013
 - Identified data sources for each of the elements of our data dashboard
 - Data dashboard recognized at National PIE Meeting as to-be-watched strategy toward achieving ICE.
 - c) Completed Key Accomplishments
 - State Council on Developmental Disabilities sent a data request on employment of people with DD to the Directors of EDD and DDS in June 2013 to expand data sharing agreements to increase access and coordination of existing employment data.
 - Joint meeting with Policy workgroup and representatives from CDE
 - Identified the core key data elements to track progress.
 - Through SCDD request to EDD/DDS for increased data sharing.
 - d) Update on Status of Product(s) to be Disseminated:
Draft (beta version) of Data Dashboard scheduled for dissemination for feedback in Dec 2013.
 - e) Systemic Barriers Uncovered/Encountered in Our Work:
Some elements such as percentile ranges and analysis of employment outcomes by subgroups (ethnicity, disability type, etc.) require an expanded MOU between DDS and EDD. While we have been moving forward it takes time.

- 3) List the names of any individuals and/or agencies from outside your workgroup that you contacted to assist with your workgroup activities. This may include other members of CECY or external individuals or entities. For each instance, please list PERSON, AGENCY, PURPOSE & OUTCOME.
Dr. Dan Boomer-Department of Education

LOOKING AHEAD (covering Oct 1 – Dec 31, 2013):

1) KEY OUTCOMES:

- Beta version of the "Data Dashboard" on SCDD website
- Expanded MOU between EDD and DDS to obtain data on earnings distribution and analysis by subgroup

2) MILESTONES:

SCDD has agreed to be the host for Data Dashboard. Finalizing data elements, sources of data, and mockup of what Data Dashboard will look like

3) ACTIVITIES TIMELINE:

- OCTOBER: Finalize data elements, sources of data, potentially categorize different data i.e. state level vs. LECT data
- NOVEMBER: Share latest LECT data with Data Workgroup, Coordinate mock up with SCDD IT staff; Meet with policy workgroup
- DECEMBER: End of December, have beta version of Data Dashboard available or early review

WORKGROUP/JOINT MEETING SUMMARY:

Please list participating workgroup members and guests for your Sep 26-27, 2013, group meeting(s).

9/26/13 Joint meeting (with Policy Change Artists and Guests)

9/26/13 Data Meeting:

- Mark Polit
- Denyse Curtwright
- Mike Clark
- Katharine Hayward (telephone)
- Olivia Raynor
- Dan Boomer

Please summarize your work during your for workgroup meeting(s).

Purpose of the meeting: To improve coordination between the two work groups to ensure that data is being used appropriately and consistently to guide and inform CECY policy review and recommendations.

- Discussed additional elements may want to include in data dashboard, data needed by the Policy group for policy papers (from Education)
- Discussed need for a form request to the Council to host the Data Dashboard and next steps for making a beta version of the Data Dashboard

What key decisions or agreements did you make at your meeting(s)? What tasks did you complete?

- Additional educational data needed was identified, requests will go out, C2C relevant elements identified
- Ongoing joint meetings between Policy Change Artists and Data Nerds
- Work with Olivia Raynor to send a formal request to the Council to host the Data Dashboard (Letter was sent to Council and Council responded affirmatively)

If you had a JOINT MEETING ... Please summarize the benefit of your joint meeting, your outcomes, next steps, and any plans to meet again.

- Helped in determining other data elements of interest and what can be realistically gathered, such as additional info from CDE (Dan Boomer-contact)
 - Percentage of Certificate of completion vs. diploma vs. exit
 - Percentage of individuals Workability I, TPP (DOR)
 - Percentage students in Integrated education, nonintegrated education
- CDE will respond to specific education requests
- Policy and Data Workgroups will create ongoing, reoccurring joint meetings
- Added data elements on numbers in sheltered work and making subminimum wag

How will you use what you learned from the HPS panel presentations and group discussion within your workgroup?

Importance of data, knowledge of 2 regional centers with service innovation that we may want to look at their employment data in comparison to other regional centers.

Any additional information would you like the CECY Coordinating Team to know about?