

IMAC Subcommittee Update

November 19, 2015

Upcoming 2015 and 2016 IMAC Subcommittee meetings have been scheduled as followed:

Training	January 25
Workload and Finance	December - Date TBD
FSET	December 8
Program Coordination	January 20
PPACA/Health Care Reform	Inactive
CCA	November 30
IT	December 4
Performance Monitoring	January 20
Process Support	December 14
Fraud and Program Integrity	January 12
IM Operational Analysis	December 3

The following subcommittees and work group have met since the November IMAC meeting:

Training

The Training Subcommittee met on 10/26/2015. The subcommittee discussed recent training projects that have been published as well as upcoming training projects. The subcommittee provided feedback on the mandatory FS ABAWD refresher training as well as the Real Time eligibility training that was recently published.

DHS showed updates to the DHS Learning Center including quick links for the IM Refresher Trainings and Enhanced New Worker Training sessions on the DHS Learning Center Home page. Also, a new training announcements section and Enhanced New Worker Training calendar were shown. The group also had a roundtable discussion sharing training strategies to help workers who are struggling. The group decided to keep meeting via Adobe Connect with having the option to meet in-person when needed.

The next Training Subcommittee meeting is planned for Monday, January 25th from 1PM-4PM via Adobe Connect.

IM Operational Analysis

The IMOA subcommittee met in Stevens Point on 11/06/15. At that meeting, the group:

- Confirmed intent to meet monthly and discussed regular schedule of meeting dates (Subcommittee will meet on December 3 and then on first Friday of each month thereafter and will rotate meetings between Stevens Point, Milwaukee and Madison)
- Reviewed IM Enhancement Plan template, including inclusion of “smart goals” for goal/outcome section; asked DHS to provide examples of “smart goals”

- Discussed the intent to have initial plan template submitted to DHS by mid-February with quarterly updates and enhancements provided thereafter
- Heard presentations and discussed focal topic “Enhancing Use of Team and Task Based Processing or Other Case Leveling Strategies”; heard Power point presentations from Tony Sis of Capital Consortium and Doreen Lang of Northern Consortium
- Determined that additional discussion on this topic should occur at December meeting with a presentation from MiLES and then sharing on the topic by other consortia
- Identified a second topic for December meeting – “Integration and Collaborative Opportunities between ADRC and IM agencies.” Division of Long Term Care staff will also be in attendance.

The next meeting of this subcommittee will be December 3 in Stevens Point.