

## **Data Quality Work Group**

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### **Notes**

Introduction of key personnel who are involved in the project and will be updating us today: Mickey Garrison, Ron Hoppes, Megan Monson, Josh Klein for Joel Robes, and Barbara Wolfe.

#### **Megan on communications:**

She demonstrated the web site analytics and the data we can get from that. News coverage is provided for other groups. Mickey got the data leader of the year award. Ed Week did a story. Please send us local stories. NCES is featuring this project this spring. OEA publication will talk about the program in the spring. There have been 22 WebEx events since the first of the year. Statewide events for up to 200 people. This group gets informed of these webinars.

The Data Quality Campaign has ten actions. Action 9 is increased use of data. States must self assess. There are PPTs and conference submissions. OSBA and COSA are standard conferences where the project is presented. There is an outreach database of requests from other states and a Master calendar on the website.

Kudos to Megan.

#### **Mickey on project:**

Implementation sustainability effort for districts includes sub coverage as an important component. Collecting survey data now. Some districts are rescheduling to find common planning time. We need to shut the door of participation to focus on deeper grown. Discussion about wanting districts to “go deep” in sustainability, and how can that be done? Idea: close the window for joining the regional sustainability plan in June. Table talk: what are the pros and cons of closing the window? Comments: Accepting more schools is optional, there could be staffing issues if it is left entirely open, going deep is a great model and will take commitment. Agreed to close the window.

Mickey is working on an IES grant. She’s working on university involvement involving administrative courses at the five public universities. There is a lot of OACTE support. Looking at administrative and special education courses. Private universities are even interested in general ed pre-service courses.

OSBA has been a great partner.

Evaluation information—outside evaluator. Reports will be available soon. All information coming to Mickey will be analyzed. Time and money is the focus. Evaluators will be coming to Oregon.

#### **Ron on Technical Training—Lessons Learned:**

See handouts. He stayed with the handouts fairly well and focused on the data. He referred to more information on the website. Table talk: guidance on next steps. See questions on his handouts. The emphasis was on data reporting and organization as next steps.

**Josh on KIDS:**

Josh is Chief Information Officer at ODE. See his handouts (posted on the project website). The goal of the system is to have collections nightly or weekly rather than occasionally at a point in time. This is because of an agreement the governor signed. The federal government has adopted all the components of the Data Quality Campaign, and the governor signed an agreement. See the website.

**Barbara on Essential Skills Tool Kit:**

She did an overview of resources on the website and what the project entails. Mickey indicated this may become Strand 4 because it gives a hook to secondary teachers and administrators.

Thanks to all who presented.

Next meeting was originally May 5, but will be changed due to a conference conflict. Watch your email for an update.