



Innovative Prosecution Solutions (IPS)
Learning Community:
Implementation Evaluation Webinar

July 17, 2019



Goals for the Implementation Evaluation Webinar

- Describe goals and importance of implementation evaluations
- Discuss common implementation measures
- Discuss implementation measures used by sites
- Share with peers:
 - What implementation measures are currently being tracked across IPS sites?
 - How have implementation measures facilitated a course-correction?
 - The use of implementation evaluations to facilitate sustainability?

Implementation Evaluations

- Examine activities associated with specific programs, policies, and practices and the extent to which the amount and quality of implementation accords with the ideals set forth in the protocols, standards, and policy descriptions
- Types – Formative, process, descriptive, and performance monitoring
- Benefits –
 - Can improve policy design and implementation
 - Can be used as performance monitoring and efforts to increase accountability
 - They can inform impact evaluations

Examples of Implementation Measures

- Eligibility criteria
- Queue times during the selection process or between stages
- Type and dosage of services
- Quality of services provided
- Stakeholder perceptions and level of acceptance of a program
- Other fidelity measures
 - Number of contacts
 - Completion of milestones
 - Tracking check-ins

IPS Sites and Implementation Measures

- What is the purpose of the implementation or performance measures that your site is collecting?
- How will the data be collected and reported?
- What is the role of practitioners in developing the measures or assessment?

Site	Researcher	Practitioner
D.C. Office of the Attorney General	Dana Kralstein	Roman Haferd Seema Gajwani
Davidson County District Attorney's Office (TN)	Lauren Allard	Lauren Berens

Using Implementation Measures to Make Course Corrections

How have your implementation measures allowed you to adjust your program plan so that you can better meet the needs of the participants or overall project?

Site	Researchers	Practitioners
Chatham County, GA	Chad Posick	Kristin Fulford Timothy Ruffini

Using Implementation Measures to Promote Sustainability

- How have measures been used to promote sustainability or how do sites plan to use these to promote sustainability?
- What are some of the challenges (actual or anticipated) with using these measures to promote sustainability?
- How are they being used to understand and translate impacts/outcomes?

Site	Researchers	Practitioners
Wayne County Prosecutor's Office (MI)	Ed McGarrell Julie Krupa	Pat Muscat

Webinar Wrap-Up

- Discussion takeaways from the webinar will be distributed.
- Any topics or issues raised for further discussion will be researched.
- Webinar will be posted on the IPS webpage; link will be provided.
- Final questions or comments from participants.
- Thank you!

IPS Training and Technical Assistance Team

- **AEquitas:**

- John Wilkinson. jwilkinson@aequitasresource.org. 202.558.0044
- Holly Fuhrman. hfuhrman@aequitasresource.org. 202.591.5327

- **RTI:**

- Camille Gourdet. cgourdet@rti.org. 919.316.3917
- Samuel Scaggs. sscaggs@rti.org. 919.316.3145
- Debbie Dawes. ddawes@rti.org. 919.485.5754