

Agenda Item 5.

Co-Chair Report to SSDAC

Presented by Rick Wood and Nestor Nieves



SSDAC Co-Chair Report

July– January Activities Overview

Workgroup Update

- Planning for September Grant Showcase & Training and December Town Hall
- Approved a new SSDAC Member Report Survey
- Budget Process Map Project

Feedback to DDS

- IF/FMS Standards Feedback

SSDAC Co-Chair Report
April – July Activities (Continued)


September Grant Showcase and SSDAC Member Training

- Presentation from DVU on a variety of projects completed using implementation funds
- Training for SSDAC Members

December Town Hall

- DDS & Ombudsperson Update
 - Open forum on the Principles of Self-Determination
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SSDAC Member Report Survey

- Successes
 - Milestones
 - Barriers
 - Emerging Issues
 - Changes in Policies/Practices
 - Feedback from LVAC
 - Recommendations for Improving Outcomes
 - Spending of Implementation Funds
 - Efforts to Reduce Barriers
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SSDAC Member Report Highlights

Improvements Reported by LVACS

- Expanded SDP teams at RCs
- Website improvements
- Staff restructuring at RCs
- Best Practices Workgroup formed

Barriers/Emerging Issues Reported

- IF shortage and barriers to providing IF services
- FMS crisis still impacting SDP participants
- Uncertainty over future of DD Services (e.g., funding, Master Plan, etc.)

Additional information:

We also collected information regarding LVAC involvement in Service Coordinator Training to inform next steps on SSDAC Priorities.