Monitoring: More than a Requirement

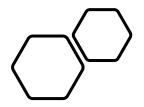
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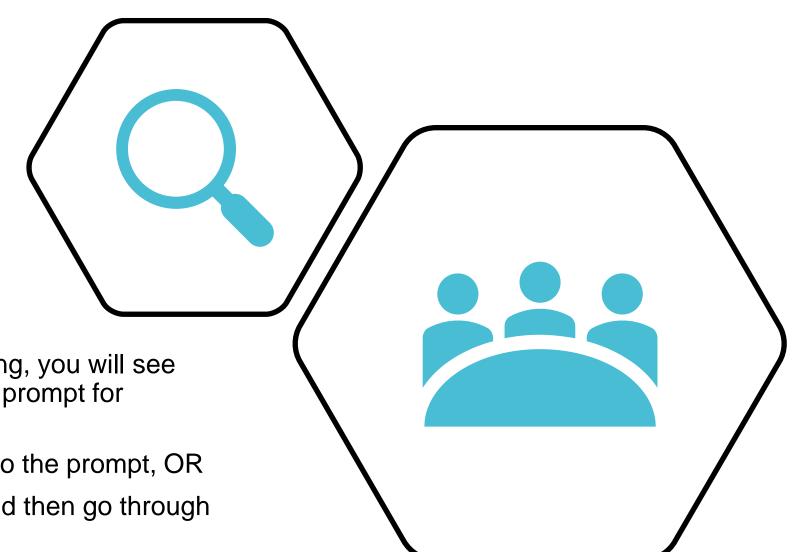




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Agenda





Objectives

- ✓ Describe the purpose of local monitoring.
- ✓ Explain the benefits of local monitoring.
- ✓ Identify the core components of a local monitoring system.
- ✓ Describe best practices for monitoring contracted service delivery providers.
- ✓ Explain how local monitoring and oversight supports continuous service delivery improvement.

Monitoring 101

Review of 14 Governance Responsibilities

Leading local and regional planning

Analyzing labor market information

Convening, brokering, and leveraging stakeholders

Engaging with employers

Developing career pathways

Identifying proven and promising practices for dual customers

Using technology to maximize accessibility and effectiveness



Review of 14 Governance Responsibilities

Conducting program oversight

Setting local performance accountability measures

Negotiating with stakeholders on infrastructure costs

Selecting One Stop Operators and Career and Youth Services Providers

Coordinating with education providers

Developing and administrating the budget

Evaluating accessibility for individuals with disabilities



What is Monitoring?

Monitoring is a process to periodically collect, analyze and uses information to actively manage performance, maximize positive impacts and minimize adverse impacts.





What is the Purpose of Monitoring?

Meet statutory and regulatory requirements.



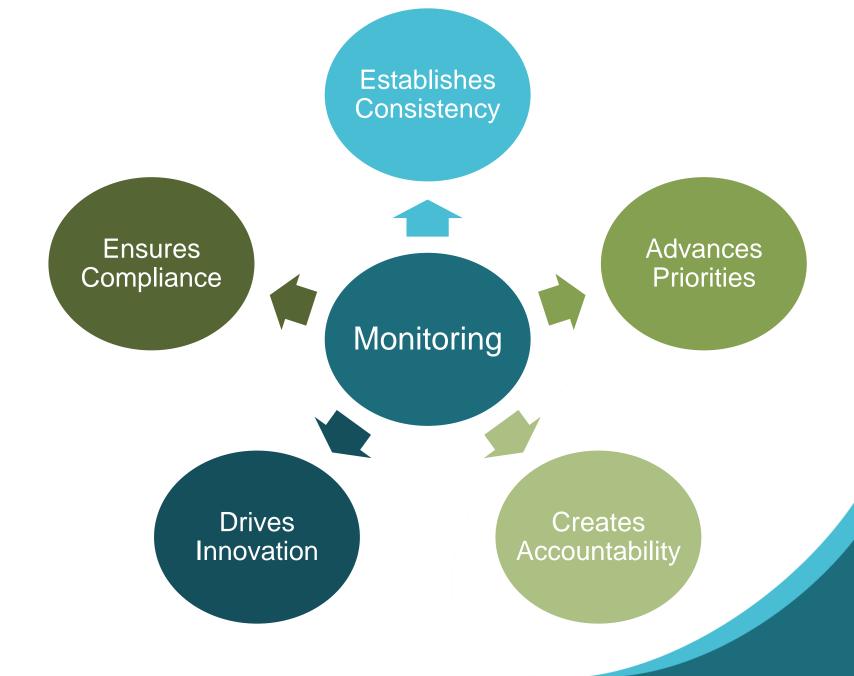
Ensure **compliance** of Federal and State WIOA guidelines.



Evaluate **effectiveness** of One-Stop System Structure and Program Operations.

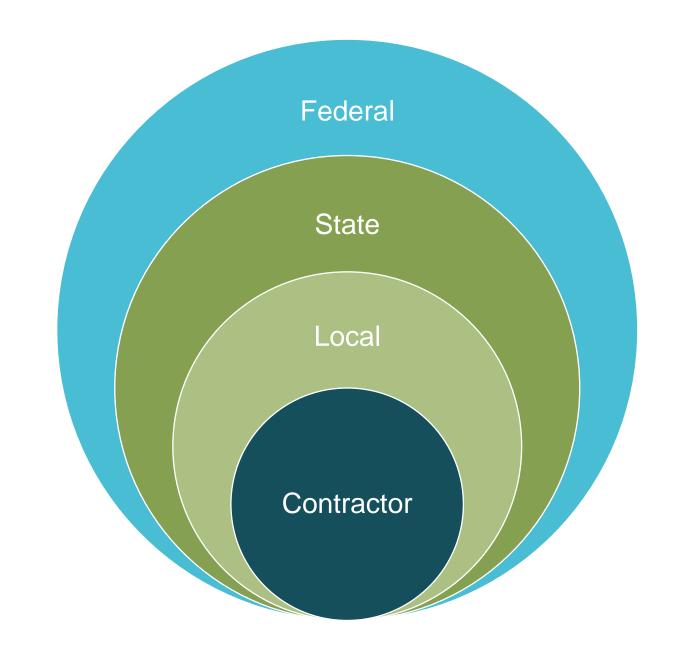


What are the Benefits of Monitoring?





Who Monitors?



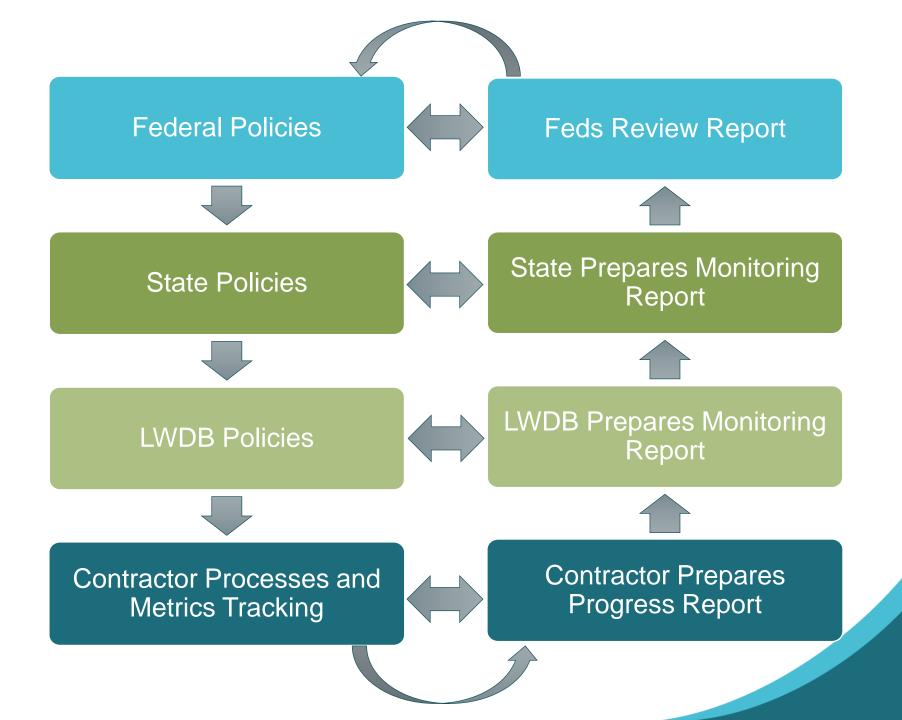
When Does Monitoring Occur?

Checking and reviewing performance and expenditures should be ongoing!

- ✓ Federal: Once every three years.
- ✓ State: Annually.
- ✓ Local: Annually.



How Does Monitoring Occur?





Creating a Local Monitoring System



Core Components of a Local Monitoring System

What

 Identify what needs to be monitored for fiscal compliance, program compliance, and quality of service.

Who

• Establish entity responsible for executing monitoring and reporting.

Local Monitoring System

When

 Create a monitoring schedule that highlights priorities that align with the state and local priorities.

How

 Create monitoring tools for Board Members and Contracted Service Providers to utilize.



Starts with the Contract

 Title I Service Delivery and One-Stop Operator contracts should outline the evaluation and expectation of the service provider.

 Monitoring goals should be defined and align with the local plan.







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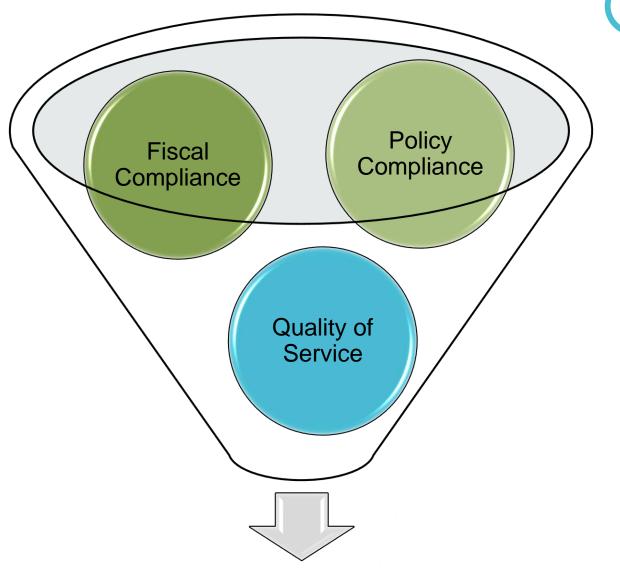
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Monitoring Contracted Service Providers

Best Practices

Identify Monitored Materials

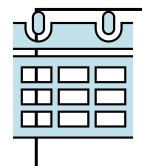


Monitored Materials





Schedule and Priorities



Create a monitoring schedule for contracted service providers.



Identify priorities and scope of monitoring efforts.



Require monthly monitoring reports of performance and expenditures.









Tools

Questionnaires

Forms

Templates

Checklists

Resources

Policy Issuances

Technical Assistance

Digital Library





Contractor Responsibilities



Track and maintain data within AOSOS



Collect accurate, acceptable documentation



Create processes supporting local policy



Meet performance measures



Follow expenditure guidelines









Act as a partner with service providers

Collaborate with service providers

Provide notice of monitoring efforts

Engage in frequent communication

Use monitoring as a vehicle to enhance quality of program





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Continuous Improvement

Continuous Improvement

- Continuous improvement is a process aimed at enhancing performance and refining methods within organizations.
- Involves a commitment to ongoing growth and innovation, fostering a mindset that embraces change and learning from mistakes.





Monitoring as a Continuous Improvement Tool

Monitoring & Oversight

Sustained Funding & ROI

Corrective Action, Training & Technical Assistance

Improved Performance

Compliance & Effectiveness



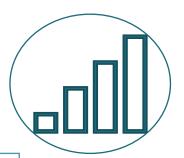


Using Monitoring Outcomes





Improving Service Delivery











Highlights what is working well

Gathers feedback on areas of improvement

Creates possibilities for positive action

Influences systematic change for increased customer satisfaction



Informing Strategic Planning





of common

widespread

concerns

Identification



Discovery of any systematic deficiencies



Recognition of promising practices



Ensure alignment & collaboration



Key Takeaways

Monitoring should help ensure that a program meets the statutory and regulatory requirements laid out by the federal government.

There are multiple benefits to monitoring, including establishing consistency, advancing priorities, creating accountability, driving innovation, and ensuring compliance.

There are four main components of a local monitoring system which detail the 'what, who, when, and how' of monitoring. Identifying and creating these components is the first step in created an effective local monitoring system.

Monitoring contracted service providers requires the LWDB to build a positive relationship with contracted service providers and work together to fulfill monitoring requirements.

Local monitoring and oversight can be used as a tool to enhance service delivery and inform strategic planning.



What's Next?



Use the prompts for reflection in your application guide

Look for more modules on budgeting, monitoring, and IFAs and MOUs.



Policy References

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Core Monitoring Guide





Thank You!