

WIOA State Plan Checklist	
Link to State Plan:	
State:	Date State Plan was Released: DEADLINE for Public Comments:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Best Practices <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Does the labor market information discussed in the state plan include workforce participation rates? ○ Are the current data sets for people with disabilities reflected in the labor market information/data used in the draft state plan? ○ Are PWDs included on the outcomes / performance metrics / state dashboards? ○ Does the state plan have a Jackie Robinson strategy? (i.e. focus on transitions from school to work for YWDs) ○ Does the state plan focus or invest resources into school to work transition programs? (i.e. Project SEARCH / Bridges from School to Work) ○ In what ways does the state plan discuss fostering partnerships or building collaborations between different agencies in the workforce system? 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Youth with Disabilities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ High expectations? – early interventions, inclusive internships, connecting youth with apprenticeships, job coaching? ○ How does the state plan discuss collaboration with state education or special education to ensure early work experiences for youth with IEPs? ○ Access to STEM programs / post-secondary credentialing for YWDs? ○ What measures does the draft state plan put into place around the accessibility of ○ How does the draft state plan address or discuss the use of Pre-Employment Transition Services (PETS)? 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Employer Engagement <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Does the state plan discuss outreach to federal contractors with Section 503 requirements? ○ Are there references to training and preparing PWDs to meet employer needs? ○ Does the draft state plan discuss reasonable accommodations? Business engagement to encourage the hiring and retention of PWDs? 	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Workforce Strategy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Have you looked at pathways for getting YWDs into your states most important / growing job sectors? ○ Do the sections on sector strategies address how to channel PWDs into those sectors? ○ Do the sections about the American Jobs Centers address programmatic accessibility as well as physical accessibility? ○ Are the online platforms of the ○ How do other sections of the draft state plan address programmatic accessibility? ○ Representation of PWDs on WIBs? 	

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