

# Performance Peer Learning Group

## What is the Performance Peer Learning Group?

Is your state working on improving the quality of Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) performance reporting? If so, the Performance Peer Learning Group may be just the forum to help you reach that goal! Discussions will focus on key performance concepts, data analysis findings, and promising practices. This opportunity, provided by the US Department of Labor's Employment and Training Administration (ETA), allows interactive information sharing among state and partner program grantees who focus on performance reporting, data collection, and policy engaged in implementing the performance accountability provisions of the WIOA and other partner programs. Goals of the Performance Peer Learning Group include, but are not limited to:

1. Overcoming reporting data collection and submission issues (i.e., missing, incongruent, inconsistent, and contradictory data) as they relate to specific PIRL data elements;
2. Exploring innovative ideas to drive improved data integrity and data collection efficiencies;
3. Improving understanding of PIRL data validation requirements outlined in guidance and sharing current state data validation approaches; and
4. Enhancing understanding of the advantages of, and the best approaches for incorporating, supplemental wage information.

## Structure

In addition to a 30-minute overview call on January 24, the Peer Learning Group will convene once a month via Adobe Connect for four 90-minute calls from February - May 2019. Each discussion will feature subject matter experts from ETA and the core partners, as applicable. A knowledgeable facilitator will ensure maximum participant engagement on each topic. State staff responsible for performance and reporting will have opportunities to pose their reporting questions during the meeting. This group is designed to be highly interactive—requiring engagement, idea sharing, and feedback to facilitate peer-to-peer learning. Event dates are:

- February 19, 2019 @ 1PM ET
- March 19, 2019 @ 1PM ET
- April 16, 2019 @ 1PM ET
- May 21, 2019 @ 1PM ET

## Who should participate?

Public workforce development professionals engaged in performance reporting, data collection, databases, infrastructure, policy, and operations for WIOA titles I and III (i.e., Adult, Dislocated Worker, Youth, and Wagner-Peyser Employment Service programs, partner programs (e.g., Trade Adjustment Assistance)), *and* ETA discretionary grants interested sharing knowledge with and learning from their peers will benefit from participation in this group.

## How Can I Join the Performance Peer Learning Group?

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If you have questions or need additional information regarding the Performance Peer Learning Group, please contact Scott Wheeler at [swheeler@mahernet.com](mailto:swheeler@mahernet.com).