

LifeCourse Framework

Question and Answer



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Q: I have several friends and family in Florida that I think could benefit from this system. Do the websites cover all states?

A: There are only about 15 states who are part of the community of practice. If you go to <http://supportstofamilies.org>, within that site there is a page for each of the states that is part of the community of practice. I don't believe Florida is part of the community of practice, but you could direct them to <http://lifecoursetools.com>, and all of the tools are available there. The tools are very accessible for families and self-advocates to use on their own, even if their state is not currently using the tools.

Q: Will the recording of this webinar be made available for providers to use to help train future management staff on the LifeCourse framework?

A: Yes, we will send the recording and materials to all registrants within 2 business days. Our PDW recordings and accompanying materials are also available to the public 24/7 on our website (www.gotoipmg.com) and our YouTube channel (www.youtube.com/gotoipmg).

Q: How do we connect to be on the engaged stakeholder group - is there an email group or meetings?

A: Currently there is not; you can subscribe to the BDDS bulletins for updates. (Subscribe at <https://public.govdelivery.com/accounts/INFSSA/subscriber/new>). We are always looking for feedback into what's working and what's not, and opportunities for public comment are announced through these bulletins.

Q: Will Life Course become standardized material for all Case Managers?

A: At this point, the answer would be no. However, the Division is in the process of revising the way we do the Person-Centered Plan (PCP) and the Individualized Support Plan (ISP). These two will become integrated into a single document, and in the process, we are integrating some of the principles of the LifeCourse Framework.