



P20 WIN Data Governing Board Meeting Minutes

Friday 04/19/24 8:30am – 9:30am

The meeting began at 8:30am.

1. Public Comment

There were no comments made by a member of the public.

2. Attendance

Members Present: Ram Aberasturia (OHE), Joe Campbell (CTECS), Patrick Flaherty (DOL), Eulalia Garcia (DOC), Jason Gaudet (DOC), Scott Gaul (OPM), Lauren Jorgensen (UConn), Jan Kiehne (CSCU), Maura Provencher (CCIC), Fred North (DCF), Susan Smith (DSS), Bryan Sperry (CSSD), Katie Breslin (OPM)

Members Absent: Bob Barry (BITS), Michael Giralmo (DMHAS), Ajit Gopalakrishnan (SDE), Rose Kelly (CCEH)

Guests from Participating Agencies: Julie Bisi (OEC), Ashley Dhaim (OPM), Philip Essienyi (OPM), Xian Guan (DOL), Samuel Kamin (SDE), Mary Lansing (DOC), Rachel Leventhal-Weiner (OPM), Cailyn Ogle (CSSD),

3. Housekeeping

Katie moved two items to the top of the agenda to reschedule the May and June meetings. The May meeting coincided with the SLDS Best Practices Conference. Friday May 10 was recommended as the new meeting date. The Board indicated no conflicts.

The June meeting was recommended to be rescheduled to June 14 as a hybrid meeting. The meeting would then be followed by an in-person working session facilitated by DISC

4. Policies and Processes

- a. Vote to approve amended Data Security Policy
Motion made by Ram Aberasturia (OHE), seconded by Joe Campbell (CTECS).

Kate reminded the Board this was tabled at the March meeting. The language included in the documents reflects the recommendations that came from the working group.

There was no discussion. The motion was approved unanimously by voice vote.

5. Grant updates

- a. 2019 & 2023 SLDS Grants
The 2019 SLDS grant was given a no cost extension to continue work into 2025 allowing us to include new agencies and working on data requests.

The 2023 SLDS grant kicked off with the US Department of Education and is in the planning stages. This grant will focus on creating a research.



- b. Workforce Data Quality Initiative (WDQI)
Coral provided an update on request 42 that will analyze the Education and Workforce Training Pathways of Connecticut residents.
- c. Institute of Education Sciences (IES)
Coral provided an update on request 41 that will be evaluating the impact of the Roberta B. Willis Scholarship Program, the state's scholarship program.

6. Data Requests

- a. Crossover Youth Privacy Enhancing Technology Pilot
Ashley provided an update on the privacy enhancing technology pilot to look at crossover youth in both the child welfare and juvenile justice systems. Bryan Sperry (CSSD) and Fred North (DCF) commented this is a priority for their two agencies and will refresh work done in the early 2010s.
- b. Request 50 – Postsecondary Labor Market Outcomes
Sam Kamin (SDE) gave a presentation on the dashboard created to show the labor market outcomes for Connecticut residents, for those who received a postsecondary certificate and those who did not. The dashboard can be found [here](#).
- c. Request 46 – Roca Young Mothers' Program Evaluation
Katie shared that the data sharing agreement for the evaluation of the Roca Young Mothers' Program was being finalized.
- d. In Review: Mental Health Access; Housing Choice Vouchers
Katie updated the group of two new data requests in development.

7. Updates

- a. 2023 Annual Report
The 2023 Annual Report is being finalized and will be shared with the Executive Board, Data Governing Board, and data stewards soon.
- b. Consent Management
Ashley updated the group that Philip Essienyi has joined the OPM/Operating Group as a Governor's Fellow to explore options for consent management for certain data requests.

8. Adjourn

The meeting ended at 9:08am