

Department of Developmental Disabilities

OTS SEPTEMBER Q&A

Outcome Tracking System

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Outcome Tracking System Data Website



Reporting Period 2023

- Opens Sunday, October 1, 2023
- Ends Sunday, March 31, 2024
- Statewide Completion Goal is 85%
- Working on RP22 data Master Reports will be available soon
- OTS Website will be moving!
- Adult Day Support Quality Pilot Program



Adult Day Support Quality Pilot

The Blueprint for Adult Day and Employment Services proposal includes a new opportunity to create a pilot program for Adult Day Support (ADS) waiver services. The purpose of this pilot program is to see if investing in quality and offering incentives can help improve ADS waiver services and outcomes for people who need them, especially those with complex needs.

The ADS Quality Pilot Program will start in October 2023 and continue until June 2025. The program plans to invest about \$10.6 million each year in ADS waiver service providers. The Department of Developmental Disabilities (DODD) will review and approve applications from providers who want to join the pilot program. Participating providers will receive payments based on how much they improve their services and the outcomes they achieve for the individuals they support.



Adult Day Support Quality Pilot

- Here are the important dates for the application process:
 - The application will be available starting on September 25, 2023.
 - Providers can submit their applications from 2 PM on October 12, 2023, to 2 PM on October 16, 2023.
 - Selected providers will be notified by October 27, 2023.
 - The pilot program will begin on October 30, 2023.
- DODD will hold webinars on September 28 and October 12 at 10 AM to explain the pilot program and answer any questions from interested providers. If you want to learn more about the pilot program, you can find additional information on the <u>ADS Quality Pilot webpage</u> or register for the webinars <u>here.</u>



Adult Day Support Quality Pilot

- Prospective providers may make inquiries or seek clarifications about the requirements contained in this guidance by emailing the program inbox at OhioADSQualityProgram@Milliman.com during the application question and response window (9/25/2023 10/2/2023).
- If you hope to partake in the Pilot, please do not complete your Questionnaires until the selection process as been completed (10/27/23) and the Pilot program begins (10/30/23)



Enhancements

- Wage and Hour Validations
- Email Notifications
- AAI Ratio



We want to hear from you!

- If you are having any issues within the OTS application, please reach out to us!
- Examples:
 - Assigning Questionnaires not removing from Assignment Queue
 - Email Notifications not functioning correctly
- Please let <u>Lindsay.Terry-Stine@dodd.ohio.gov</u> or <u>Thomas.Hess@dodd.ohio.gov</u> know of any issues you may be experiencing, so we can address them quickly.



We want to hear from you!

- What changes do you want to these Q&A's
- What would you like to see within this platform?



Resources

- OTS Data Website
- 1:1 Office Hours
- Monthly Q&A
- Community Life Engagement Project Managers



QUESTIONS?

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