Lifespan Respite
Grantee/Partner Learning Symposium

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2017 Lifespan Respite Program Update

- 2 - Lifespan Respite Care Program: Grants to New States
  - North Dakota
  - South Dakota

- 12 - FY2017 Lifespan Respite Care Program: Advancing State Lifespan Respite Systems
  - Alabama
  - Arizona
  - Colorado
  - Idaho
  - North Carolina
  - Nevada
  - New York
  - Oklahoma
  - Rhode Island
  - South Carolina
  - Tennessee
  - Washington

- TA Center: Year 3
Lifespan Respite: Federal Program History

- **13 States without Lifespan Respite Grants**

- **37 States and DC**
  - 3-year grants ($200,000)

- **16 States**
  - Expansion Grants (FY2011, FY2012, FY2016)
  - 1 Year Supplemental; Amount varies
  - Planned Outcomes
    - Fill identified gaps in service
    - Address unmet respite needs of family caregivers
    - Service Delivery
    - Consumer Impacts

- **31 States**
  - Integration & Sustainability Grants (FY 2012-2014)
  - 1.5 to 3-year grants; Amount varies
  - Planned Outcomes
    - Further implement & bring to scale a statewide Lifespan Respite Program
    - System change reform efforts
    - Supports for community living
    - Focused outcomes on targeted populations
    - Bring to scale a fully integrated long-term services and supports (LTSS) system that is fully sustainable

- **12 States**
  - Advancing State Grants (FY 17)
  - 3-year grants; Amount varies
  - Planned Outcomes
    - Build on advancements made under previous grants
    - Develop and strengthen the components of a Lifespan Respite Care System
    - Reduce duplication in respite service delivery

- Planned Outcomes
  - Basic infrastructure
  - Capacity Building

- **Planned Outcomes**
No Wrong Door System
- Coordinated systems of access for individuals with disabilities of all ages, older people, their families and caregivers
- One-on-one person-centered counseling
- Streamlined access to public programs for all populations
- Collaboration and established referral sources across multiple state and local service organizations

Assistive Technology
- Supports access to obtain devices and services that facilitate the ability to remain independent and engaged in the community
- State financing for device reutilization, short-term loans, and device demonstrations

Lifespan Respite Care
- Improved access to community-based respite care for family caregivers
- Expanded respite services that provide planned or emergency care to and individual in need in order to provide temporary relief to the caregiver.
What’s on the Horizon?

- November is the Caregiver Month
- Identify and test method for collecting data
- FY18 Planning Process begin
- In the next 30 days...
  - Grant Close Outs
  - Key Personnel Changes
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