

- Initial Win workshops are coming along as scheduled. Representatives from APD and SSP are present to make sure the project will meet the needs of both divisions.
- HIX-IT passed a major federal review, confirming that it's on track for implementation as scheduled. The Exchange will launch in late 2013.
- The Business Transition Team has been reaching out to field staff in District 2 with its Communication Sessions. District 9 is up next. Eventually all districts will receive an in-person, live discussion of upcoming Modernization changes.

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Initial Win:

- Initial Win workshops began in mid-May and are achieving results ahead of schedule!
- Working with the OPA Rules team, the Initial Win workshops are integrating medical questions into this CAPI replacement program.
- A demonstration of the policy rules engine will take place on June 11. This engine, based on the OPA Rules project, is what will help to automate eligibility determination for Initial Win.

OPA Rules:

- The OPA Rules team hit its TANF milestone in early June – this is a big part of making the policy engine capable of full determination of eligibility.
- Online Application work sessions were also held in early June. Representatives from several parts of DHS provided feedback.

HIX-IT:

- HIX-IT business analysts, working with Exchange Corp. and subject matter experts from APD and SSP, completed documenting the way the system needs to work for an important part of the future exchange: SHOP employers. SHOP employers are small business owners who will have the ability to provide partial contribution towards health care plans for their employees.
- The HIX-IT project passed a federal gate review on May 7th. The Federal review panel was impressed with the amount of progress that the project had made, and confirmed that it's on track for completion as scheduled!

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