

Summary of Proposed Modifications to the Olmstead Plan

This document includes a summary of the proposed modifications to the November 1, 2013 Olmstead Plan contained in the “Draft Modification MN Olmstead Plan” documents on the Olmstead Plan website. Please refer to the draft documents on the [Documents](#) page for the full text of the changes.

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Information about this document	Updated information regarding content of the plan and the modification process	6
Developing the Olmstead Plan	Updated on what’s happened since the Plan was published and information about the modification process	18
Overarching strategic actions	Footnote 27 clarifies individual planning services	25
	Footnote 28 explains letters and numbers assigned to each action item from the November 1, 2013 Olmstead Plan	25
Quality of life measurement	Action items QA 1A and QA 1B timelines were swapped to follow an orderly the process	28
Oversight and Monitoring	Added action item to report out on the status of the Olmstead Implementation Office and oversight and monitoring.	30
Introduction to topic specific plans	Explains the use of population level indicators in the Plan and footnote 29 for more information.	31
	Added subcabinet commitment that once baselines are established, specific strategic actions and timelines will be identified and the Plan will be modified accordingly.	31
Employment	“Competitive” added when talking about integrated employment and added footnote 33 to define the term.	33 - 75
	Edited action EM 1B to include establishing a baseline for measuring students who are prepared for post-secondary education	33
	Edited action EM 1K to evaluate funding sources for expansion of IPS	34
	Added action item to prepare legislative proposal to expand IPS employment	35
	Edited timeline for EM 3A for offering enhanced person centered training with employment first principles	36
	“Person driven, family driven and youth guided” added when referring to person centered planning	36
Housing	Added information about housing assistance for persons with serious mental illness	40
	Added information about challenges for people with disabilities leaving corrections	42
	Added action items for the Department of Corrections to track the number of inmates with disabilities who are having difficulty with release plan due to lack of available community services; propose legislative initiative to fund the tracking; and use data to identify trends and gaps in services	43
	Edited action item HS 2A to include establishing a baseline to measure housing stability	44

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Housing	Added action items to evaluate current and potential funding sources for housing and support services.	45
Transportation	Edited action item TR 1B to include non-emergency protected transportation	49
	Added footnote 50 with link to MnDOT's current ADA transition plan	50
Support and Services	Added language regarding individual planning processes	53-54
	Added information about challenges for people with disabilities leaving corrections	54-55
	Added action items that set timelines for implementation and evaluation of the protocols and processes to facilitate successful transitions for individuals moving to the most integrated settings developed in action SS 2A	55
	Added action items that set timelines to increase discharges from Minnesota Security Hospital and report on the progress on increase in discharges, timeliness of discharge processes and readmissions within six months	56
	Edited action item SS 2G to include reviewing other states' plans for developing most integrated settings for where people work and live.	57
	Added action item with timelines for the Department of Corrections to develop processes to work with counties on residential options for individuals leaving state correctional facilities and for developing an electronic health record system.	57
	Added language regarding use of restraint/seclusion and support for positive behavior approaches	57
	Edited action item SS 3K to expand to those needing supports	59
	Added language regarding use of assistive technology	59
	Added language regarding increasing flexibility in MA services such as autism early intervention benefit and mental health services	59-60
	Added information about challenges for people with disabilities leaving corrections and need for a FACT team	60
	Edited timeline for action item SS 4A – CFSS replacing PCA	60
	Added action items with timeline for developing an implementation plan upon approval of CFSS	60
	Added action item to evaluate how current services meet the needs of those who use them	60
	Added action item to develop a plan to expand use of assistive technology	60
Added action item to develop Forensic Assertive Community Treatment (FACT) teams to help address challenges for people with disabilities leaving corrections	61	
Lifelong Learning and Education	Added language regarding the elimination of prone restraints in schools.	63
Healthcare and Healthy Living	Added action item to definitions, framework and mechanisms to collect information on persons with disabilities receiving care in health care homes	67

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Healthcare and Healthy Living	Edited timeline for action item HC 1A to establish baseline information about primary care teams that are able to provide integrated, person centered primary care.	67
	Edited timeline for action item HC 1D to implement the framework to serve adults and children with serious mental illness	68
	Added action items with timelines to increase the percent of eligible individuals with serious mental illness who access care through the model described above	68
	Edited language to better describe the strategic action reducing gaps in access and outcomes.	69
	Edited timeline of action item HC 2A regarding health messaging	69
	Edited timeline of action items HC 2E and HC 2F regarding measuring health outcomes for people with disabilities	70
	Added action item for Department of Corrections to establish a baseline of all inmates with disabilities, a legislative proposal to fund the baseline, and an analysis of the baseline once established.	70
	Added language to clarify what the needs assessment will be addressing	70
	Edited language in HC 2G to clarify the action item.	71
	Added action items with timelines for developing the assessment, proposing legislation to fund the assessment, establish the baseline and evaluate the results.	71

The Olmstead Sub-Cabinet approved the following process for modifying the Olmstead Plan

Date	Plan Modification
February 5, 2014	Direct Recommended Revision to "Agencies"
Mid-February, 2014	Agencies identify other areas to potentially modify with good cause
February 18, 2014	Report all potential plan modifications to the Olmstead Implementation Office (OIO)
March 10, 2014	Agency staff complete preliminary draft
March 10-17, 2014	ODT and Sub-Cabinet review agency drafts
March 17, 2014	Share draft with consumers/families/public via webpage (allow for feedback)
April 8, 2014	Agency modifies based on input and submits to Olmstead Drafting Team (ODT)
April 15 – May 15, 2014	ODT shares with Disability Councils reps, convenes public listening sessions
June 2, 2014	ODT Final draft
June 9, 2014	Submit to Sub-Cabinet
July 5, 2014	Draft to Court Monitor and Parties
July 15, 2014	Due to Court