

MISCC DATA MATRIX

The MISCC statute authorizes the development and implementation of a comprehensive statewide plan for providing services to individuals of all ages with disabilities in the most integrated setting. In an effort to meet this goal, each MISCC member agency is being asked to identify data sets that address the data goals identified by the MISCC Statute. **Please respond no later than June 1, 2009.**

Agency Data Questions	Top 3 Data Set Critical to Meeting Data Goals
<p>1. How many of the people with disabilities served by your agency are currently institutionalized and are eligible for services in community based settings? How many reside in the community and are dependent on the assistance of community based services to avoid institutionalization? Are any changes needed to current data collection systems to obtain this information?</p>	
<p>2. What kind of assessment does your agency use to identify people with disabilities who could benefit from services in a more integrated setting? Has there been development of a single assessment process for people with disabilities that are in need of services?</p>	
<p>3. What types of community services are available to people with disabilities served by your agency? To what extent are these programs able to serve people in the most integrated settings?</p>	
<p>4. What improvements are needed to the system of community based services to ensure that the system is comprehensive, accessible, meets the needs of people who are likely to require assistance in order to live in the community and provides high quality, adequate supports for people with disabilities?</p>	

<p>5. What types of supports and services does your agency make available to assist individuals with disabilities who reside in their own homes, either with or without, family members or informal caregivers?</p>	
<p>6. How do the community based supports and services currently available to people with disabilities served by your agency integrate people into the community?</p>	
<p>7. What funding sources are available to increase the availability of community based services to people with disabilities served by your agency? How can varied funding sources be used to meet the needs of these individuals in the most integrated setting?</p>	
<p>8. How well does your agency's current service system work for different disabled populations, included but not limited to: elderly people with disabilities, people with physical disabilities, people with developmental disabilities, people with mental illness, and people with HIV and AIDS? What changes might be desirable to make services a reality in the most integrated setting for all populations?</p>	
<p>9. How are waiting lists for community based services created and accurately maintained? What is done to ensure that people come off waiting lists and receive community based services?</p>	
<p>10. What information, education, outreach and referral systems are available to ensure that individuals with disabilities receive information necessary to make informed choices regarding how their needs can best be met?</p>	
<p>11. How will quality assurance and quality improvement be conducted in your agency as more people with disabilities live in community settings?</p>	