## Choice Performance Confirmation Program Application Evaluation

## **Purpose**

This tool should be used by the Confirmation Review Group (CRG) to evaluate an agency's final application for the Choice Performance Confirmation (CPC) program. The CRG is composed of performance management experts from agencies that have already received confirmation. The Office of Financial Management, State HR Division (SHR) staff will use the information provided by CRG members to provide feedback and input to the applying organization during its application phase, and to summarize the CRG recommendations to the OFM director or designee on whether the applying organization should receive confirmation.

## Instructions

The applying organization should have responded to each of the questions in the attached table as part of its final application. Use the standardized evaluation criteria and rating scale to assess the organization's application and provide feedback to the organization. SHR recommended actions will be considered by the OFM director as part of any post-confirmation expectations.

The 1-5 scale is an anchored rating system for evaluating the organization's readiness to move forward. In most cases, the evaluator should feel comfortable giving a '3' (Solidly Completed) rating in each area.

## Scale



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	Introduction What are your agency's purpose, vision, mission and values?	Not rated	
	What are your agency's main services and organizational structure?		
	What are your agency's philosophy and goals around performance management?		
Performance Incentive Program			
Performance Incentive Program Interim report Practices What performance-based practices are you considering for your performance incentive program?  1. We have discussed the desired outcomes we expect to achieve by developing an incentive program.  2. We have discussed what parts of our organization and which employees will be impacted by this program.  3. We have discussed what performance-based practices we are proposing for our performance incentive program such as:	Performance Incentive Program Practices What performance-based practices are you considering for your performance incentive program?  1. We have discussed the desired outcomes we expect to achieve by developing an incentive program.  2. We have discussed what parts of our organization and which employees will be affected by this program.  3. We have discussed what performance-based practices we are proposing for our performance incentive program such as:  a. Leave amounts for lump sum, goal sharing and gain sharing programs	<ul> <li>Performance Incentive Program</li> <li>Practices</li> <li>□ Details the tools being requested.</li> <li>□ Details which parts of the organization the program will be used in.</li> <li>□ Details which employees will and won't be eligible to participate in the program.</li> <li>□ Describes the desired impacts this program will have on organizational and individual performance.</li> <li>□ Types and amounts fall with scope allowed within the rules.</li> <li>□ If program uses multiple levels:</li> <li>□ Incentive levels are clear, specific and transparent (if program uses multiple levels).</li> <li>□ Criteria distinguishes excellent performance from otherwise expected performance.</li> <li>□ Criteria distinguishes poor performance from otherwise expected performance (for layoff penalty</li> </ul>	

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a. Leave amounts for lump sum, goal sharing and gain sharing programs b. Benefits and/or penalties for layoff programs c. Award levels (if using an award program with multiple levels)  Include as attachments copies of charts and/or tables detailing incentive types, amounts and levels.  Additional interim report What updates/changes have you made to the proposed performance-based practices?	b. Benefits and/or penalties for layoff programs c. Award levels (if using an award program with multiple levels)  Include as attachments copies of charts and/or tables detailing incentive types, amounts and levels.	programs).  □ Criteria describes excellent performance in terms of real contribution to accomplishment of organizational performance. For example: □ Significant enhancement of client services, agency products or mission. □ Contributions which result in substantial cost savings to the agency or increased revenues for the state. □ Excellent effort and/or demonstrated efficiencies that lead to significant productivity improvements and/or measurable increases in the organization's output. □ Development of an advancement, which results in greater efficiency, or increased productivity □ Criteria can be applied to all employees regardless of work unit or job type. □ Practices do not create undue risk to the liability, credibility and integrity of state government.	
Performance Incentive Program Recommendation & approval process Interim report What recommendation and approval process are you proposing for your performance incentive program? Your response should describe:  • The process for supervisors to make incentive recommendations.	Performance Incentive Program Recommendation & approval process What recommendation and approval process are you proposing for your performance incentive program? Your response should describe:  • The process for supervisors to make incentive recommendations.	Performance Incentive Program Recommendation & approval process  ☐ Recommendation process is integrated with PDP process. ☐ Recommendation and approval process are clear, specific and transparent. ☐ Recommendation and approval process allow for timely determination of incentives.	

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<ul> <li>Who will evaluate and make final determinations regarding incentives.</li> <li>The process that will be used for evaluating recommendations.</li> <li>The time frames within which recommendations and determinations will be made.</li> <li>How recommendations will affect employees.</li> <li>Include as attachments program documentation detailing your recommendation and approval process.</li> <li>Additional interim report What updates/changes have you made to the proposed recommendation and approval process?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Who will evaluate and make final determinations regarding incentives.</li> <li>The process that will be used for evaluating recommendations.</li> <li>The time frames within which recommendations and determinations will be made.</li> <li>How recommendations and determinations will be communicated to affected employees.</li> <li>Include as attachments program documentation detailing your recommendation and approval process.</li> </ul>		
Performance Incentive Program Reconsideration process Interim report What is your employee reconsideration process?	Performance Incentive Program Reconsideration process What is your employee reconsideration process? Include as attachments program documentation detailing your reconsideration process.	Performance Incentive Program Reconsideration process  ☐ Reconsideration process is clear, specific and transparent. ☐ Reconsideration process allows for timely consideration and determination.	

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Include as attachments program documentation detailing your reconsideration process.			
Additional interim report What updates/changes have you made to the proposed reconsideration process?			
Executive Commitment			
Executive commitment None	Executive commitment How has your leadership demonstrated its commitment to a performance-based culture and successfully implementing a new performance management program?  Your response should describe:  • How your executive leadership has communicated its commitment to successfully implementing CPC.  • How your agency has allocated adequate resources to achieve CPC.  • How your agency has allocated adequate resources to ensure success of the performance management program.	<ul> <li>Executive commitment</li> <li>☐ Agency demonstrates a historic culture of performance.</li> <li>☐ Chief executive has communicated his/her commitment to both a performance management culture and successfully implementing CPC.</li> <li>☐ Chief executive has communicated his/her commitment to new performance incentive program to employees (if appropriate).</li> <li>☐ Senior leadership has been involved in the development of the agency's current performance management system and CPC, including the development of the best practice components.</li> <li>☐ Agency has allocated adequate resources to successfully implement the new performance management program.</li> </ul>	
	Include as attachments copies of executive communications such as:		

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2. Readiness Assessment	<ul> <li>Notes or minutes from face-to face meetings conducted with employees and director</li> <li>Letters, email</li> <li>Posters</li> <li>Newsletters</li> <li>Intranet pages</li> <li>Notes or minutes from staff meetings</li> <li>Copy of confirmation team roster</li> </ul>		
Readiness assessment	Readiness assessment	Readiness assessment	
Organizational performance planning	Organizational performance planning	Organizational performance planning	
None	<ul> <li>How has your leadership promoted and supported organizational performance planning and results?</li> <li>Your response should describe: <ul> <li>Your process for developing your strategic plan.</li> <li>Your process for monitoring and reporting performance against goals.</li> <li>How your process integrates with other planning and assessment systems (GMAP, WSQA, etc.).</li> <li>The systems you have in place for communicating performance results.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>□ Agency vision, mission and values are clearly stated and communicated to all employees.</li> <li>□ Agency has a strategic plan with business goals, objectives and strategies in place.</li> <li>□ Agency has performance measures in place for each business line.</li> <li>□ Agency has a process for monitoring and reporting performance on:</li> <li>□ Strategic plan and business plan goals</li> <li>□ Organizational performance levels</li> <li>□ Tracks all employees</li> <li>□ Reports compliance to executive management</li> <li>□ Agency integrates the performance management system throughout the organization through activities such as Results WA, balance scorecard,</li> </ul>	

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	<ul> <li>Include as attachments:</li> <li>A copy of your strategic plan</li> <li>A copy of your business plan (if applicable)</li> <li>A copy of your performance measures for each business line in the organization</li> <li>Results WA or comparable reports on business goal and performance measure progress</li> <li>WSQA application and feedback report (if applicable)</li> <li>Baldrige application and feedback report (if applicable)</li> </ul>	WSQA and other types of assessments (e.g., internal and external audits).  ☐ Managers and supervisors communicate agency goals effectively to employees at all levels.	
Readiness assessment Recognition and reward systems None	Readiness assessment Recognition and reward systems What is your agency's experience recognizing or rewarding excellent performance? Your response should describe your experience identifying and responding to high performance.  Include as attachments copies of relevant materials.	Readiness assessment Recognition and reward systems Demonstrated experience recognizing excellent performance such as: Recognition program that: Ties individual contribution to organizational results Has defined criteria Has a formal process Succession programs that target high performers.	
3. Roles & Responsibilities			
Roles & responsibilities Interim report	Roles & responsibilities	Roles & responsibilities	

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What modifications are you proposing to roles and responsibilities?  Your response should describe:  • Tasks accomplished from your action plan.  • Modifications to your action plan.  • How you have addressed the gaps identified in your previous analysis.  • Any new gaps you have identified.  • What new or modified roles and responsibilities you are making to support the CPC.  Include as attachments copies of draft policies, procedures or other documentation outline new or modified roles and responsibilities.  Additional interim report  What did the interim reviews tell you about your assigned roles and responsibilities?  Your response should describe:  • What significant gaps did it reveal?  • What is your action plan for addressing those gaps?  Include as attachments:	How have you assigned roles and responsibilities to support successful implementation and maintenance of your new employee performance management program?  Your response should describe:  New/modified assignments  How assignments have been communicated  How they will contribute to the CPC.  How they address gaps identified in your previous analyses.  Include as attachments copies of policies, procedures or other communications that outline roles and responsibilities.	<ul> <li>New/modified roles and responsibilities are assigned for:         <ul> <li>Executive management</li> <li>Human resources</li> <li>Supervisors</li> <li>Employees</li> </ul> </li> <li>Each person with an assigned role is aware of his/her role and responsibilities.</li> <li>Role and responsibility assignments thoroughly address:         <ul> <li>Executive management responsibility for leadership and oversight.</li> <li>Human resource responsibility for monitoring, reporting and coaching.</li> <li>Supervisor responsibility for:                 <ul> <li>Performance planning</li> <li>Feedback, coaching and evaluation</li> <li>Recognizing accomplishment</li> <li>Taking corrective action, when necessary</li> </ul> </li> <li>Employee responsibility for:                       <ul> <li>Participating in performance planning</li> <li>Achieving performance/competency targets</li> <li>Seeking feedback and clarification when necessary</li> <li>Correcting poor performance, when necessary</li> </ul> </li> </ul> </li> </ul>	

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<ul> <li>A revised copy of assigned roles and responsibilities (if necessary)</li> <li>A copy of revised action plan (if necessary)</li> <li>4. Management Accountability</li> <li>Management accountability</li> </ul>	Management accountability	Management accountability	
<ul> <li>Interim report</li> <li>What modifications are you proposing to management accountabilities?</li> <li>Your response should describe: <ul> <li>Tasks accomplished from your action plan.</li> <li>Modifications to your action plan.</li> <li>How you have addressed the gaps identified in your previous analysis.</li> <li>Any new gaps you have identified.</li> <li>What new or modified management accountabilities you are making to support the CPC.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Include as attachments copies of draft policies, procedures or other documentation that outlines new or modified management accountabilities.</li> </ul>	How will your managers and supervisors be held accountable for consistent, equitable and transparent administration of the CPC?  Your response should describe:  • New/modified accountability standards, including the consequences of poor performance for managers/supervisors.  • How new/modified accountability standards, communicated to managers/supervisors.  • How they will contribute to the CPC.  • How they address gaps identified in your previous analyses.  • Your monitoring and tracking processes for ensuring compliance.  Include as attachments copies of policies, procedures or other	<ul> <li>□ Clear accountability standards and practices exist for managers and supervisors.</li> <li>□ Managers and supervisors clearly understand consequences for failure to meet performance management responsibilities.</li> <li>□ Administrative process in place for tracking manager and supervisor compliance with performance management standards and practices.</li> </ul>	
Additional interim report			

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communications that outline accountability standards and practices.		
Policies and procedures How do your policies and procedures support the CPC?  Your response should describe:  • How your EPM policy will contribute to the success of the CPC.  • Your process for developing and implementing policies and procedures.  Include as attachments:  • Copy of new EPM policy	Policies and procedures Policy – content EPM policy  ☐ Describes executive commitment to EPM.  ☐ Describes linkage between EPM, organizational performance management and accomplishment of organizational goals.  ☐ Describes the principles and purpose of the EPM system.  ☐ Describes roles and responsibilities of various staff relative to EPM.  Policy –process  ☐ Describes process for drafting policies and procedures.  ☐ Describes process for certifice feedback and input.	
	Policies and procedures How do your policies and procedures support the CPC? Your response should describe:  • How your EPM policy will contribute to the success of the CPC.  • Your process for developing and implementing policies and procedures.  Include as attachments:	Communications that outline accountability standards and practices.  Policies and procedures How do your policies and procedures support the CPC? Your response should describe:  • How your EPM policy will contribute to the success of the CPC.  • Your process for developing and implementing policies and procedures.  Include as attachments:  • Copy of new EPM policy    Describes inkage between EPM, organizational performance management and accomplishment of organizational goals.   Describes the principles and purpose of the EPM system.   Describes roles and responsibilities of various staff relative to EPM.   Policy − content

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• What new or modified policies and procedures you are making to support the CPC.	Procedures for developing and communicating policies and procedures	☐ Describes process for communicating new/revised policies and procedures.	
Include as attachments copies of draft policies and procedures.			
Additional interim report What did the interim reviews tell you about your policies and procedures?			
<ul><li>Your response should describe:</li><li>Significant gaps revealed</li><li>Your action plan for addressing those gaps</li></ul>			
<ul> <li>Include as attachments:</li> <li>A revised copy of policies and procedure(s) (if necessary)</li> <li>A copy of revised action plan (if necessary)</li> </ul>			
6. Communication Strategy			
Communication strategy None	Communication strategy What is your internal communication strategy during implementation of the CPC?  Your response should describe your communication strategy, including:	Communication strategy  ☐ Completed risk analysis ☐ Action plan for addressing identified risks (detailing who, what and when), which includes: ☐ Involvement of executive management, human resources, supervisors and employees	

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	<ul> <li>Key themes you intend to communicate to managers/supervisors.</li> <li>Key themes you intend to communicate to employees.</li> <li>The significant communication risks that you will need to address.</li> <li>Contingency plans for eliminating misunderstandings and destructive myths.</li> <li>Include as attachments:</li> <li>Your action plan (detailing who, what and when)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>□ Targeted communication to managers/supervisors</li> <li>□ Targeted communication to employees</li> <li>□ Communication throughout agency, across all work units and locations</li> <li>□ Use of both formal and informal means of communication</li> <li>□ Linkage with planned training</li> <li>□ Regular updates</li> </ul>	
External stakeholders None	• Copies of communication  External stakeholders  What is your strategy for communicating with key external stakeholders (e.g., boards, legislators, regulators and media) during implementation of the CPC?	External stakeholders  □ External stakeholder communication action plan (detailing who, what and when)	
	<ul> <li>Your response should describe:</li> <li>How you plan to communicate with external clients and customers.</li> <li>Include as attachments:</li> <li>Your action plan (detailing who, what and when)</li> <li>Copies of communication</li> </ul>		

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7. Training & Development Strategy			
<ul> <li>Training &amp; development strategy Interim report</li> <li>What modifications are you proposing to the training plan and requirements?</li> <li>Your response should describe: <ul> <li>Tasks accomplished from your action plan.</li> <li>Modifications to your action plan.</li> <li>How you have addressed the gaps identified in your previous analysis.</li> <li>Any new gaps you have identified.</li> <li>What new or modified training requirements you are making to support the CPC.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Training &amp; development strategy How does your agency's training plan support the CPC?</li> <li>Your response should describe: <ul> <li>Your commitment to training.</li> <li>Your core management/supervisor and employee training requirements.</li> <li>Your process and tools for monitoring compliance.</li> <li>Your current level of compliance.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Include as attachments: <ul> <li>Your organization training plan, detailing required training.</li> <li>Your monitoring reports, detailing current compliance with training requirements.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Training & development strategy  □ Demonstrated executive commitment to staff training, including: □ Financial resources □ Release time □ Established training requirements for: □ Senior leaders and managers □ Supervisors □ Employees □ New supervisors □ New employees □ Core training requirements for managers and supervisors that include: □ Supervisor's essentials or equivalent □ Performance planning and development □ Dob analysis and PDF writing □ Monitoring and reporting system that: □ Tracks all employees □ Reports compliance to executive management □ Demonstrated 90% compliance with required training.	
Training & development Training – PDP	Training & development Training – PDP & PIP	Training & development Training – PDP & PIP	
Interim report	What orientation and training will you	PDP curriculum	
What modifications are you making to your PDP training?	provide to employees, supervisors and managers to implement your new	☐ PDP training that includes: ☐ How to cascade organizational goals through	
Your response should describe:	CPC?	individual key results expected	

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<ul> <li>What new or modified training curriculum you are developing to support the CPC.</li> <li>How these changes address previously identified gaps.</li> <li>Include as attachments:</li> <li>Revised PDP curriculum</li> <li>PDP training schedule</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Your response should describe:</li> <li>What modifications you are making to your PDP training requirements.</li> <li>What training you are implementing to support your performance incentive program (if applicable).</li> <li>Training completion rates for PDP &amp; PIP training conducted.</li> <li>Include as attachments:</li> <li>Training curriculum and training aids for PDP course</li> <li>Training curriculum and training aids for performance incentive program course (if applicable)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>☐ How to distinguish between different levels of performance.</li> <li>☐ One-on-one assistance from a variety of sources.</li> <li>☐ Training incorporated into supervisor's development plans.</li> <li>Training requirements</li> <li>☐ 100% supervisor PDP course completion.</li> <li>☐ Ongoing refresher training:         <ul> <li>Included in new employee and new supervisor orientation</li> <li>Included in supervisors' PDPs</li> </ul> </li> <li>Training completion</li> <li>☐ 100% supervisor PDP course completion</li> <li>PIP curriculum (if applicable)</li> <li>☐ Performance incentive program training curriculum that addresses:</li> <li>☐ Roles and responsibilities</li> <li>☐ Processes, criteria, standards and expectations</li> <li>☐ One-on-one assistance</li> <li>☐ Training incorporated in supervisor's PDPs</li> <li>☐ Reconsideration process</li> </ul>	
8. PDP Implementation			
PDP implementation PDP – practices Interim report	PDP implementation PDP – practices How do your PDPs support successful	PDP implementation PDP – practices Framework	
What modification are you making to implement the CPC?	implementation and maintenance of the CPC?	☐ Agency demonstrates framework in place for PDPs which cascade strategic/business plan goals and	
	Your response should describe:	organization performance measures down to individual PDP key results expected.	

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How do these modifications address previously identified gaps?  What modifications are you making to your performance management practices to support the PIP (if applicable)?  Your response should describe:  • Your conceptual framework for cascading strategic/business plan goals and organization performance measures down to individual PDP key results expected.  • How your framework will ensure:  • Key result and competency expectations are written with clear performance measures and standards.  • Supervisors link performance evaluations back to performance expectations identified in Part 1 of the PDP.  Include as attachments:  • A copy of model PDPs (plan and evaluation)	<ul> <li>Your conceptual framework for cascading strategic/business plan goals and organization performance measures down to the individual PDP key results expected.</li> <li>How your framework will ensure: <ul> <li>Key result and competency expectations are written with clear performance measures and standards.</li> <li>Supervisors link performance evaluations back to performance expectations identified in Part 1 of the PDP.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Include as attachments: <ul> <li>A sample of up to 10 PDP plans from the current evaluation cycle representing a cross section of employees.</li> <li>A sample of up to 10 PDP evaluations from the previous evaluation cycle, representing a cross section of employees.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	PDFs ☐ Clearly state essential job functions and major job duties. ☐ Clearly identify knowledge, skills, abilities and behaviors needed for successful job performance. PDPs Planning components (Parts 1, 2 and 3) ☐ Supervisors set individual job-related performance expectations that: ☐ Set expectations with clear performance measures and results which contribute to unit, program and organizational goals. ☐ Are specific, measurable, action-oriented, realistic and time-oriented (SMART). ☐ Contain position-specific, measurable and observable competencies. ☐ Employee development plans contain training plans for developing and maintaining key knowledge and skills needed for successful job performance. ☐ Majority of employees provide input. Evaluation components: (Parts 4 & 5) ☐ Periodic interim reviews conducted to accurately reflect changes to work assignments or special projects.  Supervisors' feedback: ☐ Measurably distinguishes between unsatisfactory and satisfactory performance.	

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• A copy of revised action plan (if necessary)		☐ Links performance results back to performance expectations identified in Part 1 of the PDP.	
Additional interim report What did the interim reviews tell you about the quality of your current PDP plans?			
Your response should describe:			
<ul> <li>Include as attachments:</li> <li>A revised copy of model PDPs (if necessary)</li> <li>A copy of revised action plan (if necessary)</li> </ul>			
PDP implementation PDP – process Interim report What modifications have you made to the PDP process to implement	PDP implementation PDP – process How does your PDP process support your new performance management program?	PDP implementation PDP – process  ☐ Agency has used the PDP to plan and appraise performance for one or more performance cycles. ☐ Agency has met established time frames and deadlines	
your new PDP practices?  Your response should describe:  • Tasks accomplished from your action plan  • Modifications to your action plan	How effective are your performance planning and evaluation monitoring/compliance practices?  Your response should describe your evaluation cycle, including whether you	for completing the PDP.  Agency demonstrates use of periodic interim reviews, including at least one mid-term evaluation during the review period.  Agency has ongoing monitoring and reporting system that tracks 100% completion/compliance rate for:	
Significant gaps revealed	use a standardized cycle(s).	Performance expectations  IDPs (if applicable)	

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<ul> <li>Your action plan for addressing those gaps</li> <li>What new or modified performance planning and evaluation processes you are making to support the PIP (if applicable)?</li> <li>Include as attachments copies of draft policies, procedures or other documentation outline new or modified performance planning and evaluation processes.</li> <li>Additional Interim Report         What did the interim reviews tell you about your PDP process?     </li> <li>Your response should describe:         <ul> <li>Significant gaps revealed</li> <li>Your action plan for addressing those gaps</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Time frames for drafting, discussing, submitting and reviewing plans and evaluations (including how these time frames are communicated to supervisors and employees).</li> <li>How and when employees are provided either verbal or written feedback and coaching during the evaluation cycle, including interim reviews.</li> <li>Your policies, procedures and tools for monitoring quality and compliance.</li> <li>Your current level of compliance.</li> <li>Include as attachments HR Management Report detailing current completion rates.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>□ Performance evaluations</li> <li>□ Current position descriptions</li> <li>□ Tracks all employees.</li> <li>□ Reports compliance to executive management.</li> <li>□ Conducts reviews for PDPs for quality and improvement:</li> <li>□ Percentage of interim reviews conducted</li> <li>□ Percentage of employees receiving a final performance evaluation</li> <li>□ Percentage improvements in employee, unit or organizational performance ratings (See employee confidence.)</li> </ul>	
Readiness assessment Employee confidence Interim report What have you done to address gaps in the employee survey? Your response should describe your action plan for addressing gaps.	Readiness assessment Employee confidence How confident are your employees in the organization's ability to manage performance?  Your response should describe:  • Your survey process.	Readiness assessment Employee confidence  ☐ Completed initial and follow-up surveys using standard SHR instrument. ☐ Surveys administered to all agency employees. ☐ Results are tabulated separately between management and employees.	

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<ul> <li>Your survey results.</li> <li>Analysis of actions taken to address initial agreement ratings below 60% and overall response rate below 65%.</li> <li>Your strategy and action plan for continuing evaluation and reporting of employee engagement.</li> <li>Include as attachments completed CPC Employee Performance Management Program Survey.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>60% or more accumulative average percent positive score (i.e., agree and strongly agree).</li> <li>65% or greater overall response rate.</li> <li>Strategy and action plan for continuing evaluation and reporting of employee engagement (as reported through all-staff employee survey results, etc.).</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Approach</li> <li>How will you fund the performance incentive program?</li> <li>Your response should describe: <ul> <li>Your estimated costs to fund the program</li> <li>Your funding approach</li> <li>Your communications with your OFM budget analyst</li> <li>Your process for monitoring and reporting estimated and actual costs to senior management</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Approach  ☐ Agency demonstrates a sustainable funding approach: ☐ Funding approved at the executive level ☐ Funding approach meets OFM budget standards ☐ Worked with OFM budget analyst to discuss funding options such as: ☐ Set-aside monies allocated during the normal allotment process (provided that the set aside does not impact services) ☐ Actual savings from efficiencies ☐ Use of monies saved through actual vacancies ☐ Additional funding through legislative or other action	
	<ul> <li>Analysis of actions taken to address initial agreement ratings below 60% and overall response rate below 65%.</li> <li>Your strategy and action plan for continuing evaluation and reporting of employee engagement.</li> <li>Include as attachments completed CPC Employee Performance Management Program Survey.</li> <li>Funding plan Approach         <ul> <li>How will you fund the performance incentive program?</li> </ul> </li> <li>Your response should describe:         <ul> <li>Your estimated costs to fund the program</li> <li>Your funding approach</li> <li>Your communications with your OFM budget analyst</li> <li>Your process for monitoring and reporting estimated and actual costs</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Analysis of actions taken to address initial agreement ratings below 60% and overall response rate below 65%.</li> <li>Your strategy and action plan for continuing evaluation and reporting of employee engagement.</li> <li>Include as attachments completed CPC Employee Performance Management Program Survey.</li> <li>Funding plan Approach</li> <li>How will you fund the performance incentive program?</li> <li>Your response should describe:         <ul> <li>Your stimated costs to fund the program</li> <li>Your funding approach</li> <li>Your communications with your OFM budget analyst</li> <li>Your process for monitoring and reporting estimated and actual costs to senior management</li> </ul> </li> <li>Funding plan Approach         <ul> <li>Your demonstrates a sustainable funding approach:</li> <li>Funding approved at the executive level</li> <li>Funding approach meets OFM budget standards</li> <li>Worked with OFM budget analyst to discuss funding options such as:</li> <li>Set-aside monies allocated during the normal allotment process (provided that the set aside does not impact services)</li> <li>Actual savings from efficiencies</li> <li>Use of monies saved through actual vacancies Additional funding through legislative or other action</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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A copy of the cost analysis and estimates  Additional interim report  What modifications are you making to your funding approach to implement and support your performance incentive program (if applicable)?  Your response should describe your revised cost estimates.  Include as attachment a copy of revised cost analysis and estimates.	<ul> <li>A copy of the cost analysis and estimates</li> <li>A copy of the letter from your agency director certifying funds are available</li> </ul>	Reporting ☐ Transparent and ongoing reporting of estimated and actual costs to senior management.	
10. Monitoring Plan			

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Monitoring plan Interim report How do you plan to monitor and report on the performance incentive program (if applicable)? Your response should describe:  • What information you will monitor, analyze and report  Include as attachments a copy of the monitoring action plan (detailing who, what and when).  Additional interim report What modifications are you making to your monitoring plan to support your performance incentive program (if applicable)?  Your response should describe your revised monitoring action plan (detailing who, what and when).  Include as attachments a copy of the modified monitoring action plan (detailing who, what and when).	Monitoring plan How will you monitor and report on the performance incentive program?  Your response should describe:  • What information you will monitor, analyze and report  Include as attachments a copy of the monitoring action plan (detailing who, what and when).	Monitoring plan Operations ☐ The agency monitors program operations, including: ☐ Nominations ☐ Awards. ☐ Number and percentage of requests for reconsideration and final resolution Performance ☐ The agency monitors and has targets for employee performance-level impacts. ☐ The agency monitors and has targets for organizational performance-level impacts. Employee engagement ☐ The agency monitors employee engagement levels through pre- and post-survey process. Reporting process ☐ The agency has an action plan for annually analyzing and reporting the status and results of the program internally.	