Differences between the 7-OB in use through FFY 2020 and the updated 7-OB for use beginning FFY 2021

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* Note that wording differences that do not change the meaning of what needs to be collected are not included.

Part I: Funding Sources and Expenditures in Support of the OIB Program

**New**
- B1 and B2 Itemized sections for funds expended (administrative and direct)
  - B1 Funds expended for administrative costs
    - Title VII Chapter 2 funds and Non-federal sources used in meeting the match requirement
    - All other allowable sources
  - B2. Funds expended for direct services
    - Title VII Chapter 2 funds and Non-federal sources used in meeting the match requirement
    - All other allowable sources

**Removed**
- Other federal grant carryover
- SSA reimbursement
- Total matching funds
- Older Americans Act

Part II: Program Staffing

**New**
- Report the number of hours per week that define FTE for: State Agency Staff ____________; Contract/Subgrant Staff ________ (e.g., 40 hours, 35 hours, etc.)

**Section B**
- Employees with disabilities other than blindness or severe visual impairment
- Employees with blindness or severe visual impairments who are under age 55

**Removed**
**Section B**
- FTE column
- Employees age 55 and older
- Employees who are racial/ethnic minorities
- Employees who are women
All of Section C: Volunteers

Part III: Data on Individuals Served

New
Section C
- Individuals who did not self-identify gender

Section E
- Hispanic or Latino

Section H
- Mobility impairment
- Communication impairment
- Cognitive or intellectual impairment
- Mental health impairments
- Other impairment

Removed
Section D
- Hispanic

Section G
- Diabetes
- Cardiovascular disease and strokes
- Cancer
- Bone, muscle, skin, joint, and movement disorders
- Alzheimer's disease/cognitive impairment
- Depression/mood disorder

Section I
- Faith-based organizations (report in the other category)

Part IV: Types Of Services Provided and Funds Expended

New
- F. Total Direct Expenditures (this is auto-calculated)

Removed
- No longer need to separate VII-2 funds from other funds (sections A-D)
- No longer need to report funds expended on every service in box C, Independent Living and Adjustment Training Services
- No longer need to report separately on AT devices and AT services (funds expended and number served)
- Number of community outreach events, number of individuals reached, number of I&R contacts
Part V: Program Performance Measures and Outcome Data

**New**

- Unduplicated number of individuals receiving assistive technology devices and services for whom a change in functional capabilities was assessed.
- Number of individuals receiving assistive technology devices and services who demonstrated improvement in one or more functional capabilities.
- Percentage of individuals receiving assistive technology devices and services who demonstrated improvement (auto-calculated).
- Unduplicated number of individuals receiving independent living and adjustment training services for whom a change in functional capabilities was assessed.
- Number of individuals receiving independent living and adjustment training services who demonstrated improvement in one or more functional capabilities.
- Percentage of individuals receiving one or more independent living and adjustment training services who demonstrated improvement in functional capabilities (auto-calculated).
- Total number of individuals completing a plan of services during the reported FFY.
- Number of individuals completing a plan of services during the reported FFY that reported an increased ability to engage in their customary daily life activities in the home and community.
- Percentage of individuals completing a plan of services who reported an increased ability to engage in their customary daily life activities in the home and community (auto-calculated).
- Number of individuals completing a plan of services who reported feeling that they are more confident in their ability to maintain their current living situation as a result of services they received.
- The percentage of individuals completing a plan of services who reported feeling that they are more confident in their ability to maintain their current living situation (auto-calculated).
- Efficiency measure (auto-calculated)

**Removed**

- Number of individuals for whom functional gains have not yet been determined (assistive technology, orientation and mobility, communications, and daily living skills).
- Number of individuals served who reported feeling that they are in greater control and are more confident in their ability to maintain their current living situation.
- Number of individuals served who experienced changes in lifestyle for reasons unrelated to vision loss.
- Number of individuals served who died before achieving functional gain or experiencing changes in lifestyle as a result of services.

Part VI: Training and Technical Assistance Needs

No changes
Part VII: Narrative

New

Section D
Briefly describe the community awareness/outreach efforts and information and referral activities conducted with Title VII-Chapter 2 funds and other funds and the outcome of those activities.

Section E
Briefly describe capacity-building activities, including collaboration with other agencies and organizations (other than with sub-grantees) and the outcome of these activities on expanding or improving the program.

Removed

Section B
Briefly describe any activities designed to expand or improve services including collaborative activities or community awareness; and efforts to incorporate new methods and approaches developed by the program into the State Plan for Independent Living (SPIL) under Section 704.