

Overview of State Coordinated Plans

	Approach	Inventory and Needs Assessment	Timeframe	Project Solicitation	Coordination with TPB	Outreach
DC	Created committee of local agencies to oversee plan. Plan is just for 5310 funds. Have inventoried 5310 providers, but inventory doesn't include those agencies whose primary service isn't transportation.	Will include an inventory, but not a comprehensive one. Plan will include immediate to long-term recommendations for better coordination of services.	Plan is in draft stage; final draft by December 31.	Call for projects already issued; will start to receive applications around end of December.	TPB to review 5310 applications; needs from TPB plan to be considered in project selection criteria.	
MD	Creating one statewide plan and five regional plans, and the one incorporated regional plan (TPB plan). State committee is formal process that is already established. BMC will create plan for that region. Prince George's and Montgomery counties need to be included in regional plan (TPB) to receive funding, even for 5310.	Will identify unmet needs based on user and types of service. Are looking at ongoing coordination mechanisms. Hoping to prioritize needs as opposed to projects.	<i>Nov-Dec:</i> create website/start outreach. <i>Jan-Feb:</i> first meeting of state committee; hold regional forums. <i>Mar-Apr:</i> draft regional/state plans. <i>May-Jun:</i> public meetings /final plans.	Applications for 5310 funding are due the first week in December. JARC and New Freedom applications due in May/June (new JARC money).	TPB to review 5310 applications; needs from TPB plan to be considered in project selection criteria.	Project website. Regional forums (coordinated planning committees in place). Public meetings on draft plans.
VA	State requires local coordination plans via the planning district commissions, and will prepare state executive summary. Planning retreat with health and human service agencies to help develop state plan.	Inventory required as part of United We Ride applications, so will be included. Looking at project rather than need-based strategies.	Due dates for final plans from PDCs will be determined when FTA final guidance is available.	All applications for FY'07 money due February 1. New Freedom money being held until FY08.	TPB to review 5310 applications; needs from TPB plan to be considered in project selection criteria.	Planning half-day outreach sessions for March – May in Northern Virginia.
TPB	Convened Task Force that meets monthly to oversee plan. Members from AFA Committee, transportation providers, and human service agencies.	Needs assessment done; inventory being updated. Strategies have been identified, and priorities will be included.	Draft plan will be completed in February 07.	Solicitations will go out in April; selections in May/June 07.		Would like to coordinate outreach with others. Will do 1 meeting in each state.

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