Agenda

AEL Bi-Weekly Conference Call

Texas Workforce Commission

December 17, 2020

**Final**

10:30 AM CST (9:30 AM MST)

[**Teams Meeting Attendee Link**](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3Ameeting_MGI2OTliOWEtZjA1OS00OTgyLTg1MjktYWExODgxYjJjYzM5%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%22fe7d3f4f-241b-4af1-84aa-32c57fe9db03%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%223e30b767-dfe2-4a56-96ed-5a15915ce52a%22%7d)

# Agenda details:

## Conferences

### February 11 – 13, 2021: Virtual TALAE, More info : <https://www.talae.org/call-for-proposals.html> February 10, 2021: Pre-Conference TWC Business Meeting and Convening of Quality Assurance and Performance Accountability Staff. More details coming soon!

### Employment Outcomes Webinar: Friday, January 15th @ 10:00am. Register in PD Portal.

### Literacy Texas Symposium: February 20th, South Texas—VIRTUAL. Register here: <https://www.literacytexas.org/events/annual-conference/registration/>

## Business

### OCTAE Announcement: A new round of applications for Advancing Innovation in Adult Education project due 1/31/21

The U.S. Department of Education, Office of Career, Technical, and Adult Education **(OCTAE) is accepting another round of applications for the** [**Advancing Innovation in Adult Education project**](https://lincs.ed.gov/state-resources/federal-initiatives/advancing-innovation)**.** All adult education programs receiving WIOA, Title II, AEFLA funding are invited to apply before the January 31, 2020 deadline.

### Distance Education Professional Development Center RFA has been released, closes January 27th.

The Texas Workforce Commission (TWC) has published the Request for Applications (RFA) [32021-0074 Distance Education Professional Development Center](https://lnks.gd/l/eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDAsInVyaSI6ImJwMjpjbGljayIsImJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoiMjAyMDEyMTAuMzE4OTAwOTEiLCJ1cmwiOiJodHRwOi8vd3d3LnR4c21hcnRidXkuY29tL2VzYmRkZXRhaWxzL3ZpZXcvMzIwMjEtMDAwNzQifQ.17ljGGcT0kfnC2IlRth8lRyWgNTZ-bET8pKFA-iXTc4/s/464418734/br/91520190667-l)solicitation.

### Teacher Tuesday Series: Jan 12th/Feb 9th/March 9th, Using the POP and MSG reports

### UI Disaster Relief ends December 26<https://www.twc.texas.gov/jobseekers/disaster-unemployment-assistance>

### TEAMS 5.4.1 & 5.5 Release

### New & Modified PIRL Elements

### Add Grantee Column to Educational Outcome Screen

### Participant Notes

### AEL Strategic Plan 2020 Progress Report <https://twc.texas.gov/files/agency/ael-strategic-plan-progress-report-2020.pdf>

### Celebrate and Congratulate!

## Professional Development

* January 11, 2021 – noon CST – Manager Monday: Working Better Together: The Word Soup of Career Pathways
* January 12, 2021 – noon CST - Teacher Tuesday: Periods of Participation Report
* January 15, 2020 – 10:00 am CST - Employment Outcomes - Maria Morrow – 1 ½ hr.
* January 20, 2021 - 11:00 am CST - Using ProctorU to Remotely Proctor TABE Exams
* January 20, 2021 – 12:300 pm CST - Workforce Wednesday: Social & Emotional Intelligence in Corrections Part I

**\*\*TCALL offices will be closed Dec. 22 at noon – January 3\*\***

## NOTICES and Reminders

* **Dates:**
	+ **Past Due:** GED Voucher Trackers due on December 15th to TWC.TxCHSE@twc.texas.gov
	+ WII and Core Pandemic deliverables surveys are **due Dec. 24th**, please be sure you have these submitted prior to leaving for holiday break! Survey’s are open and available as of Dec. 11th.
		- Pandemic Related Deliverables using Core Grant: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/AELPandemicDeliverables>
		- WII Grant Deliverables: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/WIIDeliverables>
	+ TEAMS Quarterly Data Sign-Off due January 15, 2021
	+ Deliverables 6.7 and 6.12, Year 3 Quarter 2 Quarterly Progress Reports are due January 31, 2021.
* **Reminders:**
	+ Grant Email Subject and Deliverables Naming Convention Requirements: When submitting any grant deliverables to the AELContracts@twc.state.tx.us email address, the TWC grant number is required in the subject of the email and in the file name of the deliverable.
	+ Please send updated Point of Contact and Signatory Authority information to our TWC AEL Office as soon as possible. Email to: contracts@twc.state.tx.us and alaina.zachmann@twc.state.tx.us

## Upcoming Bi-weekly Call Schedule Dates (Unless noted on the agenda. All calls 10:30 AM CST (9:30 AM MST)

Thursday, January 14, 2021

Thursday, January 28, 2021

Thursday, February 25, 2021

Thursday, March 11, 2021

Thursday, March 25, 2021

Thursday, April 8, 2021

Thursday, April 22, 2021

Thursday, May 6, 2021

Thursday, May 20, 2021

Thursday, June 3, 2021

Thursday, June 17, 2021

Thursday, July 1, 2021

Thursday, July 15, 2021

Thursday, July 29, 2021

Thursday, August 12, 2021

Thursday, August 26, 2021

Thursday, September 9, 2021

Thursday, September 23, 2021

Thursday, October 7, 2021

Thursday, October 21, 2021

Thursday, November 4, 2021

Thursday, November 18, 2021

Thursday, December 2, 2021

Thursday, December 16, 2021