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| Key Focus Areas | Target Date | Status | Comments |
|---|---|---|----------|
| Improve Customer Portal Functionality | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Upgrade current system design, including “program-based questions” Simplify and streamline the DHS-2 Launch Community Partner Program Create collateral to support customer portal use Develop and host webinars for community agencies | <p>3/17/18</p> <p>3/17/18</p> <p>4/1/18</p> <p>4/1/18</p> <p>5/1/18</p> | <p>On-Track</p> <p>On-Track</p> <p>On-Track</p> <p>On-Track</p> <p>On-Track</p> | |
| Reduce DHS Call Center Wait Times | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Upgrade Call Center Eligibility Technician positions Expand Call Center personnel Reduce pending case issues | <p>3/1/18</p> <p>3/1/18</p> <p>6/30/18</p> | <p>On-Track</p> <p>On-Track</p> <p>On-Track</p> | |
| Reduce DHS Lobby Wait Times | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Improve data collection to have accurate wait time data Implement lobby kiosks Update business processes in field offices to improve customer experience Update lobby waiting areas to better accommodate typical volume | <p>3/1/18</p> <p>3/31/18</p> <p>6/30/18</p> <p>6/30/18</p> | <p>On-Track</p> <p>On-Track</p> <p>On-Track</p> <p>On-Track</p> | |
| Improve Document Scanning Reliability and Efficiency | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Improve quality control and supervision processes Introduce system enhancements to prevent user error Introduce business process improvements | <p>2/28/18</p> <p>3/31/18</p> <p>3/31/18</p> | <p>On-Track</p> <p>On-Track</p> <p>On-Track</p> | |
| Improve Worker Inbox Functionality | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Upgrade worker inbox functionality Pilot and roll-out worker inbox across DHS offices | <p>3/17/18</p> <p>4/31/18</p> | <p>At Risk</p> <p>At Risk</p> | |
| Improve Notice Quality | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Introduce system enhancements to improve SNAP BDN | <p>6/30/18</p> | <p>On-Track</p> | |
| Improve Methodology for Calculating Timeliness | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ensure auto-closure functionality is fully functioning Implement methodologies to incorporate various SNAP policy regulations | <p>1/31/18</p> <p>3/31/18</p> | <p>On-Track</p> <p>On-Track</p> | |

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