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To: Bureau of Developmental Disabilities Services (BDDS) Providers  
From: Jessica Harlan-York, Director, Bureau of Quality Improvement Services (BQIS)  
Re: Data Forum: National Core Indicators webinar  
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The Bureau of Quality Improvement Services is pleased to announce a webinar on Thursday, August 23, 2018, at 10:30 a.m. EDT, to share results of the National Core Indicators surveys conducted with adult individuals with intellectual or developmental disabilities in home and community based waiver services funded through the Bureau of Developmental Disabilities Services. NCI is a collaborative effort between the National Association of State Directors of Developmental Disabilities Services and the Human Services Research Institute. The purpose of the program, which began in 1997, is to support NASDDDS member agencies to gather a standard set of performance and outcome measures that can be used to track their own performance over time, to compare results across states and to establish national benchmarks.

In this webinar, BQIS will share key data points from Indiana surveys for 2014-2016, as well as comparative data with national results. The presentation will highlight areas where Indiana excels and areas that remain challenging. Time will be allotted for open forum discussion. The webinar will be recorded and posted on the BQIS' webpage for viewing at a later date.

### Webinar information

To participate in the webinar on **Thursday, August 23, 2018, at 10:30 a.m. EDT**, please log onto URL: <https://Indiana.AdobeConnect.com/bqis>.

- Participants will sign in as a guest using their name.
- Audio will be voice over internet, so participants will need to use speakers or headphones to hear the presentation.
- Do not log into the webinar using Citrix or Virtual Private Network (VPN). These services will not be able to playback audio.

**Prior to the webinar**, please check your organization's connection to ensure it has latest updates and add-ins. To do so, please go to [http://www.webinar.in.gov/common/help/en/support/meeting\\_test.htm](http://www.webinar.in.gov/common/help/en/support/meeting_test.htm).

