

## **Indiana EBDM Policy Team Work Group Report**

**Date:** August 22, 2017

**Work Group:** Risk Reduction Strategies

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**Last Work Group Meeting Date:** August 14, 2017

**Next Work Group Meeting Date:** September 11, 2017

**1. What activities has the work group completed since the last state team meeting?**

The work group did not meet in July 2017.

The work group met on August 14 and discussed the work group's proposal for moving the work groups and the state team activities for the remainder of court six months.

**2. What does the work group plan to accomplish between today and the next state team meeting?**

The work group will continue drafting on the plea negotiation and sentencing expectations document. The work group will begin drafting a protocols document for the diversion decision point.

**3. What does the work group plan to accomplish in the next six months?**

We plan to develop an expectations document for all criminal justice decision points within the next six months. The work group will begin developing protocols for each of these documents during this time frame, but that task will likely take up to 12 months.

**4. What do you need from the state team? (e.g. decisions, resources, information)**

None needed at this time.

**5. What assistance can the other work groups provide to assist in accomplishing your goals?**

The work group would like the mental health and data work groups to review and provide feedback on the expectations documents to ensure their goals/priorities/expertise are represented. If possible, we would like one or more representative from those work groups to attend our September 11 meeting.

We will also need their input on the protocols as we develop them.

**6. Additional information:**