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Dear Clients, Partners, Colleagues, and Stakeholders,

We are seeking feedback to our draft *2012 State Plan Update* for vocational rehabilitation services. You can access and review the draft plan by utilizing the links at [www.oregon.gov/DHS/vr](http://www.oregon.gov/DHS/vr). Look for the heading titled "2012 State Plan Update." If you wish to comment on the draft plan, you may do so by attending and commenting on it at one of the public hearings that will be held around the state the week of May 23-27. Alternatively, you may submit written comments on the draft plan by May 31. For more information about the draft plan, the public hearings and submitting testimony, please visit [www.oregon.gov/DHS/vr](http://www.oregon.gov/DHS/vr).

Under the federal Rehabilitation Act, we are required to maintain a plan for provision of vocational rehabilitation services and to update this plan once a year. The plan describes how we provide various services and fulfill various responsibilities; the progress we have made over the preceding federal fiscal year in fulfilling our goals and priorities or objectives; and our goals and objectives for the coming federal fiscal year.

The plan is divided into attachments. The attachments serve different purposes. Some are relatively straightforward, while others are technical. Perhaps the most important sections of the plan are:

- Attachments 4.11.c.1 and 4.11.d, which outlines our plan for the coming federal year (October 1, 2011 - September 30, 2012). For easy use, these attachments have been written as one attachment.
- Attachment 4.11.e.2, which describes the progress we made in achieving our goals and objectives over the past federal year (October 1, 2009 - September 30, 2010).

Please allow me to thank you in advance for your input.

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