

Implementation Timeline - Overview

TANF Opportunity Act

Advisory Board Meetings Monthly

(3rd Tuesday, except Dec. 2021)

August 16, 2021 Kickoff Advisory Board Meeting September Meeting September 21, 2021 October Meeting October 19, 2021 **November Meeting** November 16, 2021 December 14, 2021 December Meeting January Meeting January 18, 2022 February Meeting February 15, 2022 March Meeting March 15, 2022 **April Meeting** April 19, 2022 May Meeting May 17, 2022

Planning Grants

Delegated Grant Authority Begins Routing August 10, 2021

Planning Grant Applications Open September 1 – September 30, 2021

TDHS Mandatory Review Phase Fall 2021
Advisory Board Review Phase Fall 2021

Planning Grant Awards Announced Fall/Winter 2021
Planning Grants Contract Term (90 days) Winter 2021/2022

TN Opportunity Pilots

Advisory Board Review Phase Spring 2022
Pilot Awards Announced Spring 2022
Contract Drafting and Routing Summer 2022
Pilot Implementation Fall 2022 – Fall 2025

Research Partner Procurement

Research Partner RFP Routing

RFP Issued

Notice of Intent to Award Released

Contract Term Expected to Begin

Summer 2021

Summer 2022

Training & TA (Hub) Partner Procurement

Hub Partner RFP RoutingSummer 2021RFP IssuedFall/Winter 2021Notice of Intent to Award ReleasedSpring 2022Contract Term Expected to BeginSummer 2022

Sector Based Conversations Fall 2021 – Winter 2021/2022

^{*}Planning Grantees submit proposal by end of contract term.