

IL-NET National Training and Technical Assistance Center for Independent Living



Performance Progress Report (PPR) Review by ACL/OILP

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Program Managers/Associate Directors Peer Call



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What You Will Discuss Today

- The increased review by ACL and how it is impacting CILs
- Specific concerns around the 704/PPR Reports
- They are NOT rejected just sent back for clarification.



Elements of increased review

- Every PPR is being thoroughly reviewed by your Program Officer. Every. Single. One.
- The IRS 990 is of interest to your funders and is sometimes being reviewed.
- The SF-425 is being reviewed for financial red flags, looking both at the draws and at the indirect costs.
- Complaints are being responded to with reviews.



From ACL's most recent newsletter...

CIL PPRs: Staff at the Office of Independent Living Programs have been reviewing CIL PPRs and have returned several for minor revisions. If you have not received a notification about your CIL PPR, please login into the PPR portal for a status update at <u>https://portal.q90.com/external/login.php</u>.

If revisions have been requested, please resubmit as soon as possible and contact your <u>Program Officer</u> with any questions.



PPR review – what does it show

The PPR is designed to track your performance or required elements from the Rehabilitation Act

Make sure your PPR is current. The review has shown that some CILs aren't really paying attention to their content, are leaving sections the same as in the past, or are leaving sections blank. This is no longer going to work for you.

You must provide every core service, even core services that the old document doesn't ask you for (youth transition which is not the same definition of youth services because it is post-secondary).

Advocacy and peer counseling can be tracked even when there is not an attached goal. (New guidance.)

What else are you curious about?

What needs clarification or more explanation?





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