

# RETAIN Solutions 2020

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# How to Participate

- Chat throughout the session.
- Raise your hand and we'll call on you. Remember to lower your hand after you've been called on.
- Chat in your tech problems or email [RETAINTA@air.org](mailto:RETAINTA@air.org).

# Purpose of Meeting

- Provide an opportunity for RETAIN grantees to connect
- Collectively problem solve
- Discuss current barriers and solutions to RETAIN success

# Agenda

- State-by-State Barriers and Solutions Exchange
- Crafted Q&A
- Open Discussion
- Closing Remarks

# State Exchange

- What would you like to focus on today?
- What is a barrier your project has come up against in the last quarter?
- What has been your project's solution for overcoming this obstacle?

# State Themes Discussion

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# Crafted Discussion

Q1.

**Working remotely, what approach has worked most effectively to connect with participants?**

**Have you identified options for obtaining electronic signatures and minimizing face-to-face contact?**



Q2.

**Several states have adjusted Enrollment Eligibility to discover and access to participants. What specifically has worked?**

**Are there types of illnesses or injuries that trigger higher enrollment numbers?**

**Q3.**

**Recognizing the on-going focus on education, what has been learned from transitioning to remote education programs?**

**Is it possible to expand delivery of similar content through on-demand training?**

Q4.

**Have any RTW strategies surfaced during this period that show more promise such as Light Duty or Reasonable Accommodations?**

Q5.

**Realizing the stress of 2020, from COVID-19 and racial justice tensions, what are you doing to stay connected with participants to make them feel safe?**

**Do you have mental wellness successes to share?**

Q6.

**With regards to referral procedures, what customization work has been done that is helping engage more employers?**

# Open Discussion



# Thank you!

Please take a moment to complete this evaluation:  
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