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U.S. Department of Commerce

National Telecommunications and Information Administration

State Digital Equity Plan

Template

***Note:*** *This document is intended to serve as an organizational tool that supports each State/Territory in capturing notes and developing its State Digital Equity Plan. Each State/Territory should review the State Digital Equity Plan Guidance document and speak with their designated Federal Program Officer (FPO) prior to using this document.*

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# Executive Summary

*Refer to Section 1 of the State Digital Equity Plan Guidance.*

[Insert summary of State Digital Equity Plan, restating purpose and key points of the plan]

# Introduction and Vision for Digital Equity

## Vision

*Refer to Section 2.1 of the State Digital Equity Plan Guidance.*

[Insert state/territory’s vision for digital equity]

## Alignment with Existing Efforts to Improve Outcomes

*Refer to Section 2.2 of the State Digital Equity Plan Guidance.*

[Insert overview of how the State Digital Equity Plan is aligned to the Eligible Entity’s priorities and other existing or planned efforts]

## Strategy and Objectives

*Refer to Section 2.3 of the State Digital Equity Plan Guidance.*

[Insert strategy and objectives, including how the strategies will help meet the State’s goals]

# Current State of Digital Equity: Barriers and Assets

## Asset Inventory

*Refer to Section 3.1 of the State Digital Equity Plan Guidance.*

### Digital Inclusion Assets by Covered Population

*Refer to Section 3.1.1 of the State Digital Equity Plan Guidance.*

### Existing Digital Equity Plans

*Refer to Section 3.1.2 of the State Digital Equity Plan Guidance.*

### Existing Digital Equity Programs

*Refer to Section 3.1.3 of the State Digital Equity Plan Guidance.*

### Broadband Adoption

*Refer to Section 3.1.4 of the State Digital Equity Plan Guidance.*

[Identify and detail the assets in the state/territory]

### Broadband Affordability

*Refer to Section 3.1.5 of the State Digital Equity Plan Guidance.*

[Identify and detail the efforts in the state/territory]

## Needs Assessment

*Refer to Section 3.2 of the State Digital Equity Plan Guidance.*

*[Identify baseline and barriers to digital equity]*

### Covered Population Needs Assessment

*Refer to Section 3.2.1 of the State Digital Equity Plan Guidance.*

*[Identify baseline and barriers for covered populations]*

### Broadband Adoption

*Refer to Section 3.2.2 of the State Digital Equity Plan Guidance.*

*[Identify needs and barriers]*

### Broadband Affordability

*Refer to Section 3.2.3 of the State Digital Equity Plan Guidance.*

*[Identify needs and gaps]*

# Collaboration and Stakeholder Engagement

## Coordination and Outreach Strategy

*Refer to Section 4.1 of the State Digital Equity Plan Guidance.*

[Insert state/territory’s plan to identify stakeholders and stakeholder groups, develop an inclusive engagement model and associated mechanisms, and facilitate the stakeholder engagement process]

# Implementation

## Implementation Strategy & Key Activities

*Refer to Section 5.1 of the State Digital Equity Plan Guidance.*

[Insert strategy and associated activities]

## Timeline

*Refer to Section 5.2 of the State Digital Equity Plan Guidance.*

[Insert timeline for plan implementation]

# Conclusion

*Refer to Section 6.1 of the State Digital Equity Plan Guidance.*

[Insert Text]

# Appendices

[Add appendices as needed]