

SOAR STRATEGIC ACTION PLANS

ABOUT THIS TRAINING

The SSI/SSDI Outreach, Access, and Recovery (SOAR) Action Plan process provides states and local communities with expert facilitation to support the creation of strategic plan that will effect change. SOAR Action Plans can be developed at both the state and local levels.

SOAR Action Plan Benefits

Create effective collaborations and partnerships	Identify training, outcome tracking, and sustainability strategies	Determine the composition of state/local leadership teams	Support local efforts	Complete applications and conduct trainings (locally)
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Policy Research Associates staff will provide training and technical assistance to your group throughout the Action Plan process via strategic planning forums, strategic plan implementation support, and virtual follow-up.

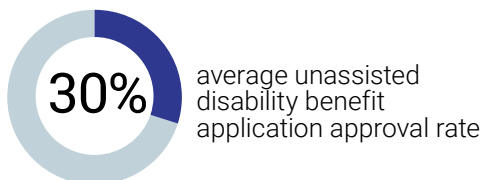
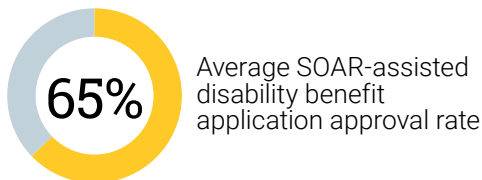
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SOAR OUTCOMES



50,000+

people receiving benefits because of SOAR

WE HAVE THE EXPERIENCE

850+

virtual and on-site TA events hosted

300+

localities served

16,000+

stakeholders engaged

REIMBURSEMENTS (2019)

average per person

\$6,482

Medicaid reimbursement

\$2,464

General Assistance reimbursement

FINANCIAL OUTCOMES

\$463 MILLION

brought into the economies of participating and localities

TOPICS COVERED

- Negotiating a specific referral process with the Social Security Administration and Disability Determination Services
- Setting up a process to obtain medical records from essential providers
- Identifying groups that need to be included as part of SOAR (e.g., Continuum of Care, shelters or outreach programs, Mayor's office, coalitions, prisons or jails)
- Utilizing the SOAR Online Course to support training
- Tracking key outcomes of SSI/SSDI applications to sustain and expand efforts
- Coordinating, analyzing, and reporting data
- Using retroactive Medicaid to reimburse for medical evaluations



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SOCIAL CHANGE