Division of Adult Education Bi-weekly Webinar

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Agenda

- Updates and reminders
- 2020-21 grant funds
- Remote intake and orientation panel presentation and discussion
- Questions

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Update and clarification

- BEST Plus 2.0
  - Can pair computer-adaptive with paper-based
  - Change needs to be made in eData
- Volunteer instructional staff
  - Classroom aide: under direction of classroom instructor
  - Tutors: one-on-one or small group (max 6)
  - Classroom instructor: class with 7 or more students on roster
    - These volunteers must meet all requirements as paid classroom instructors
- L&I Digital Literacy and Workforce Development Grants

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Reminder

- Remote assessment proctoring
  - PA Portal

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2020 21 grant funds

- Spend down state 064 and state OTP funds before federal 064 funds
- Local match still required for federal funds
  - May need to use different sources
  - Must have documentation

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Panel Discussion

- Remote Intake and Orientation
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Questions

- Questions and comments

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Contact/Mission

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