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• Enhanced Employment Supports: potentially a useful resource.

• MIGs are “a good thing” at the state level: providing states with flexibility.

• Work incentives—do not appear to be getting people off of government programs; maybe consider offering supports without incentives.

• Lead entity: more flexibility with IHEs (with regard to contracts, community involvement), instead of state agencies.

• Workforce representatives should be involved.

• It is proving difficult to gain access to students through the schools.

• A larger age range might tell us more information.

• Working with Parent Resource Centers—explain work incentives—perhaps use this as a means of changing the culture of not working.

• Focus on work activity in teen years, rather than reduction in benefits—maybe they can retain benefits while working.
  
  o Working in teen years is a great indicator of long-term success. Both working as early as possible and working while in school are good things

  o Maybe look at the use of work incentives