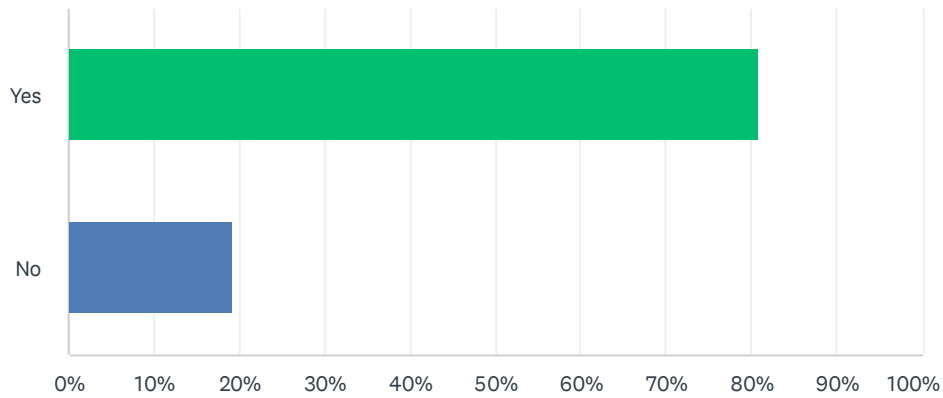


Q1 Do you think the length of the meeting (1:00 - 3:00 PM) is appropriate?

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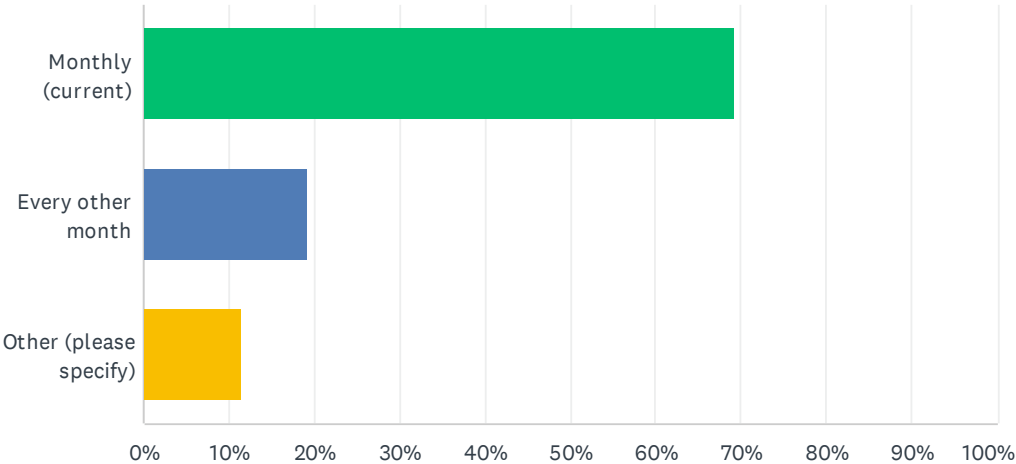


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Yes	80.77% 21
No	19.23% 5
TOTAL	26

#	IF NO, HOW LONG SHOULD EACH MEETING BE?	DATE
1	90 minutes max	2/15/2022 1:50 PM
2	1.5 hours	2/15/2022 11:18 AM
3	If possible, cut the meeting by a half hour.	2/15/2022 11:11 AM
4	One hour if possible	2/15/2022 10:44 AM
5	90 minute max	2/15/2022 10:43 AM

Q2 How frequently should the committee meet?

Answered: 26 Skipped: 0



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Monthly (current)	69.23% 18
Every other month	19.23% 5
Other (please specify)	11.54% 3
TOTAL	26

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Quarterly?	2/16/2022 9:07 AM
2	I think there would be better updates if held EO month, but also find value in meeting monthly.	2/15/2022 11:43 AM
3	Quarterly	2/15/2022 11:00 AM

Q3 What do you find beneficial in the Jobseeker Services Committee?

Answered: 25 Skipped: 1

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Best practices presentations	2/21/2022 7:36 PM
2	The general exposure it provides to what is going on with partners that work within our system. This has been especially helpful due to the issues surrounding the pandemic.	2/18/2022 2:55 PM
3	Having a presentation on some aspect of the programs/processes and best practices. Also when you have staff from each program area ie; Youth, Adult/DW, ACP/P2P, attend and provide updates and changes.	2/17/2022 8:26 AM
4	Guest speakers and best practices informtion.	2/17/2022 8:05 AM
5	Updates are useful	2/16/2022 9:24 AM
6	It is beneficial for our partnerships with state program staff.	2/16/2022 9:07 AM
7	All components of the meeting are informative and helpful. I think this committee is effective; a true catalyst for partnership, support, and collaboration.	2/16/2022 8:52 AM
8	Updates and technical information related to specific grant programs such as WIOA and DW.	2/16/2022 8:08 AM
9	Updates from each area and guest speakers talking in-depth on a new initiative or hot topic.	2/16/2022 7:54 AM
10	Updates from DEED team for DW, adult, youth & career pathways grants; ABE updates; best practices presentations; SNAP E & T updates. Networking that can occur.	2/15/2022 4:48 PM
11	Best practices or successes from other WDA's. Updates on the various programs.	2/15/2022 1:53 PM
12	Updates from DEED as the only other venue is the partner express and it's nice to be able to ask questions. It's also interesting to hear what other areas are doing.	2/15/2022 1:50 PM
13	It's the only meeting focused on information relevant to job counselors/frontline workers. Often really important information gets shared there. Also covers MFIP which doesn't get a lot of attention otherwise.	2/15/2022 1:50 PM
14	Program updates from the staff. Info on what other areas are doing.	2/15/2022 12:53 PM
15	It's good for the contracted Employment and Training Director.	2/15/2022 12:08 PM
16	I enjoy the presenters at the beginning. I think the ones we've had recently really aligned with our work.	2/15/2022 11:43 AM
17	Hearing updates from the partners	2/15/2022 11:34 AM
18	updates from the program areas; best practices	2/15/2022 11:24 AM
19	new information	2/15/2022 11:23 AM
20	I especially appreciate when the committee features a program highlight or has an issue focus that requests committee input, such as when DEED sought input on the new system to replace MinnesotaWorks.	2/15/2022 11:18 AM
21	Highlighting best practices.	2/15/2022 11:11 AM
22	Program updates	2/15/2022 11:00 AM
23	Sharing best practices and hearing about initiatives going on in other areas.	2/15/2022 10:52 AM
24	New program information for programs that I currently work with.	2/15/2022 10:44 AM
25	Yes, Good info, but could be organized with a better flow by using the same key points for all presenters - when applicable.	2/15/2022 10:43 AM

Q4 How could the Jobseeker Services Committee be improved?

Answered: 17 Skipped: 9

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	Having an orientation made available to new members.	2/18/2022 2:55 PM
2	Having someone from each program area attend the meeting to present updates/changes, etc. for those programs they are overseeing.	2/17/2022 8:26 AM
3	ALL reports/handouts/ppts should be available (at least) by the day before the meeting so we have a chance to look over them in case we have questions during the meeting.	2/17/2022 8:05 AM
4	I appreciate the updates from state staff but I would really like to see a space that issues can be discussed and worked through. It seems like we get the updates and there is no exchange. The items are revisited at MAWB but there doesn't seem to be resolution. Maybe there is another committee that fills that purpose?	2/16/2022 9:07 AM
5	n/a. This group is well managed and important.	2/16/2022 8:52 AM
6	I have really enjoyed the virtual format. The advantages to the virtual format are being able to hear everyone and I think the meeting is more time efficient. I hope that this meeting continues to be in virtual format.	2/16/2022 8:08 AM
7	Sharing best practices	2/16/2022 7:54 AM
8	Sometimes they do seem rather long. If someone can only attend for a short time the agenda is helpful to be able to jump in at approximate time the topic(s) of interest will be covered.	2/15/2022 4:48 PM
9	Personally a morning meeting would help with scheduling for our agency as it often conflicts with an established team meeting.	2/15/2022 1:50 PM
10	It's hard because it's a lot of information crammed into the meeting time, and not all of it is relevant to every staff person. What if the agenda had specific time markers, so if you just wanted to listen to the MFIP portion (for example) you could only log in for part of the meeting.	2/15/2022 1:50 PM
11	feel like some reports are strictly what's written - that probably doesn't need to be read to us	2/15/2022 11:24 AM
12	I think because of COVID, the issues from the past have been resolved. We used to call in and we could not hear everyone that was talking.	2/15/2022 11:23 AM
13	Clearer articulation of the purpose and clearer direction to state agency staff about what kinds of updates are being requested. For MFIP and SNAP it is not always clear how this meeting differs from or adds to the ESNET meeting	2/15/2022 11:18 AM
14	What is the purpose of the Jobseeker Services Committee? I would clearly define the purpose and keep the content to meeting that purpose. How is the information shared in these meetings used to provide better services to clients?	2/15/2022 11:11 AM
15	Start on time, do not wait for people to come into the meeting late.	2/15/2022 11:00 AM
16	Having intentional conversations about challenges facing job seekers and employers in our areas. Finding out where issues may intersect and how we can align provider services to address challenges with shared and proven solutions.	2/15/2022 10:52 AM
17	Good info, but could be organized with a better flow by using the same key points for all presenters - when applicable.	2/15/2022 10:43 AM

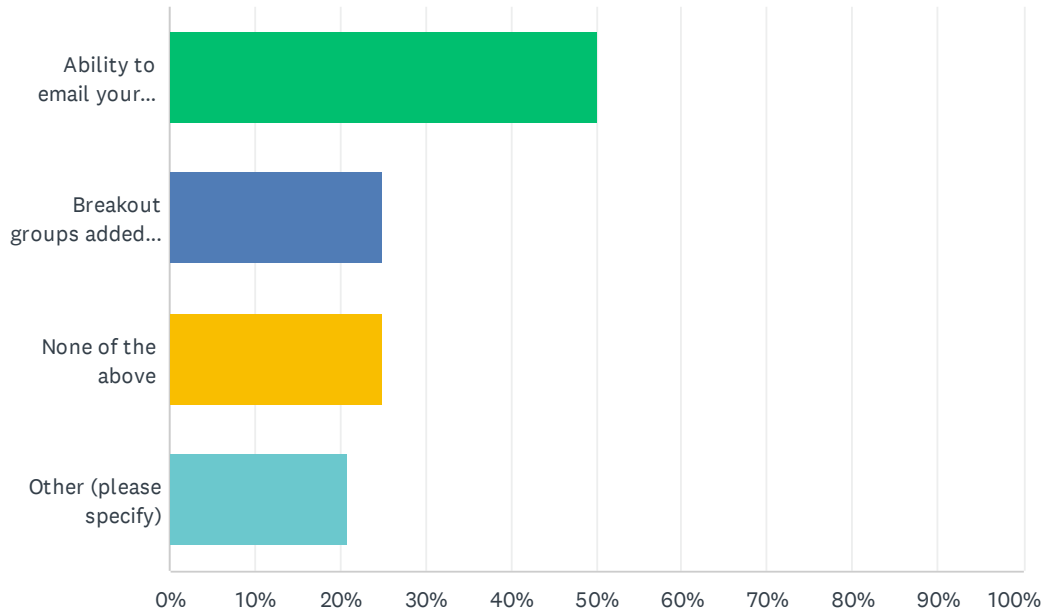
Q5 Please list any new meeting topic ideas or speaker suggestions for upcoming Jobseeker Services Committee meetings.

Answered: 10 Skipped: 16

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	When the new labor exchange is implemented, a training on how and why to record job seeker activities within the system.	2/18/2022 2:55 PM
2	Engaging/outreach/marketing to BIPOC communities.	2/17/2022 8:05 AM
3	I feel like this could be a good place to work through performance, policy clarifications, program issues, etc.	2/16/2022 9:07 AM
4	I appreciate learning about what other areas/agencies are doing and what is helpful and effective. I find value in learning how others have overcome common challenges. Updates or big policy changes are also great to include.	2/16/2022 8:52 AM
5	I think hearing from the grant and program managers is great, but I am curious to learn more about other people and work that goes on at DEED. For example, who runs the Career and Education Explorer website and what type of work do they do. It may also be interesting to hear from the monitors and the people that run the state ETP list or WF1.	2/16/2022 8:08 AM
6	I appreciate the time for the updates from each agency, perhaps some targeted questions to elicit ideas on how areas are addressing common issues (i.e. recruiting, challenging DEED mandates, partnership with community organizations and schools, etc.)	2/15/2022 1:50 PM
7	Rather than just providing updates, focus in on key topics that are struggles/challenges within specific programs and do some brainstorming/problem solving/idea sharing. Also Policy and Issues committee could pose questions to the Job Seeker Services group to get job counselor input on key policy questions/issues. Also more focus on opportunities for better crossover/integration between programs, with presentations from local areas.	2/15/2022 1:50 PM
8	Fewer updates more time spent on networking/seeking input/brainstorming	2/15/2022 11:18 AM
9	Under WIOA an added emphasis is not only viewing Jobseekers as our clients but also employers. How is this being incorporated? How is MAWB serving employers?	2/15/2022 11:11 AM
10	Experts in the DEI space to help service providers in connecting local employers with ideas and solutions addressing employment inequities.	2/15/2022 10:52 AM

Q6 Which of the following would enhance your experience/participation in the committee?

Answered: 24 Skipped: 2



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Ability to email your questions before the meeting to help guide the discussion	50.00% 12
Breakout groups added to support networking/interaction for virtual meetings	25.00% 6
None of the above	25.00% 6
Other (please specify)	20.83% 5
Total Respondents: 24	

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	Making a recording of the meetings available, or possibly just the featured speaker's presentation. I realize that is a lot of work, but it serves the dual purpose of providing a deeper understanding of important topics and it allows the information to be passed on to those who could not attend in a way that handouts don't allow. And no, I'm not volunteering to make this happen :)	2/18/2022 2:55 PM
2	Breakout rooms could be an optional item, either before or after the meeting for a set period of time.	2/15/2022 4:48 PM
3	Structure the agenda as a series of questions (i.e. rather than 'Youth Program Updates,' pick a focus for that meeting: 'How do we increase engagement of GED students in WIOA/MYP youth programs?' or something like that	2/15/2022 1:50 PM
4	Dedicate one of the Job Seeker meetings to look at the history of this committee (why was it created), How has the purpose changed over the years, or has it? What data, information is needed to continuously improve services?	2/15/2022 11:11 AM
5	Kay and Youth team model is great - send out info ahead so we can digest info and plan for	2/15/2022 10:43 AM

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