

Are you working on the Fiscal Responsibility Act (FRA) education reporting requirements and interested in collaborating with peers from other TANF agencies?

➤ Sign Up for an FRA Outcomes Working Group! ➤

What are they?

Small virtual groups that will meet several times in 2026 to explore Fiscal Responsibility Act (FRA) reporting topics and to share ideas and challenges. Two groups are currently planned: one on administering surveys and one on collecting administrative records. Additional groups may be added based on interest.

Who should sign up?

Anyone who is involved in meeting the FRA reporting requirements and is interested in collaborating with other states to dive deeper into topics, share ideas, and learn from one another. States at all stages of the data collection process are encouraged to join.

What does participation entail?

Meeting a few times in 2026 and actively engaging in discussions (e.g., sharing your experiences and progress, asking questions, raising discussion items). Meetings will be facilitated, but their success will depend on everyone's participation!

When will we meet?

Each group will meet about 2-4 times in 2026, with the first meetings tentatively planned for February (surveys) and March (administrative records). Timing and cadence will be based on group preferences.

How do I sign up?

Please complete an [interest form](#) to indicate which working group(s) you are interested in joining (you may select both) and to add your email to the contact list.

1. Administering Surveys to Collect Education Data
2. Collecting Administrative Records from State Education Agencies

If you have any ideas for particular discussion items, questions you hope to cover, or suggestions for another working group topic, please feel free to note them in the form or send an email to tanfdata@acf.hhs.gov.

You will receive an invitation for the initial meeting and further information over email.