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Data: As of 7/15/20, there are 3,185 positive case for individuals served to date. Of those, 2,580 individuals were living in congregate care residences. There have been 441 fatalities, which is an increase of one person this past week. For staff, there have been 3,731 positive cases. OPW has not shared the number of deaths of staff. All other demographic trends have remained constant.

Revised Guidance Documents: Willow Baer reviewed the various guidance documents issued from 7/10/20.

They are as follows:

- Issued 7/10/20, the covered Day Services Reopening Guidance, Home Visits, Return to a Residence after an Extended Stay and Community Outings.
- Issued on 7/15/20 were the Day Services Reopening Safety Plan and the Day Services Site Attestation.
- Issued today 7/16/20 were revisions to the Day Services Reopening Safety Plan and Day Services Site Attestation in addition to an FAQ which covers many of the issues the Provider Association raised since last Friday, including a more flexible Transportation guidelines. Please note that the Attestation does not have to be submitted to OPWDD, but must be kept on file.

Questions covered all of the above areas.

One questions revolved about the inability to wear a mask for some people. What seemed to be articulated was the fact that due to the nature of the person's disability or challenges, extra precautions may need to be taken, such as an extra emphasis on social distancing, the size of the group that the person may be travelling or interacting with. In no case should a provider exclude a person from receiving services because of inability or refusal to wear a mask. What should be present for the person and/or his/her team is a review what is the best setting for the person and what safety requirements for that individual should be.