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Integrated Program Management Division

Application Guide December 2014 Update Summary

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NDIA IPMD Guides Steering Group

Objective of the Update

- **All NDIA IPMD Guides are on a regular three year cycle to review and update as needed**
- **Reviewed purpose and scope of the Application Guide – is it still relevant and useful? Answer: Yes**
- **Concurred needed a general refresh and update**
  - Guides Steering Group was responsible for the completing the update
- **December 2014 edition distributed to membership for voting at this IPMD meeting**

Summary of Changes

- **Consistency updates, typos corrected, general edits to reduce wordiness throughout**
- **Updated and added terms to the list of abbreviations and acronyms**
- **Updated and added definitions for consistency with other guides (particularly the System Acceptance Guide)**

Summary of Changes

- **Added “opportunity” text to risk discussion where it fit**
- **Removed references to Advance Agreement/Letter of Acceptance (now compliance recognition documents)**
- **Added IPMR to other DID references**
- **All existing images unchanged**

Summary of Changes

- **Section 6 (EVM Application Guidance) updates more significant**
  - Section discusses all of the NDIA IPMD guides
  - Content reorganized and updated
  - Added new image (Figure 13) illustrating relationship between guides
  - Added content for newer set of guides – PASEG and Predictive Measures