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To:	Chief Elected Officials MassHire Workforce Board Chairs MassHire Workforce Board Directors Title I Administrators MassHire Career Center Directors Title I Fiscal Officers MDCS Operations Managers
cc:	WIOA State Partners
From:	Alice Sweeney, Director MassHire Department of Career Services
Date:	January 17, 2019
Subject:	WIOA Joint Data Validation Overview – WorkforceGPS Webinar
Purpose:	To notify MassHire Workforce Boards, MassHire Career Centers and other local workforce partners of the <u>WIOA Joint Data Validation Overview</u> webinar offered through WorkforceGPS scheduled for Wednesday, February 6 th from 1:00 – 2:00.
Background:	The Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) performance accountability team from the U.S. Departments of Labor and Education (the Departments) will discuss the recently published joint guidance on data validation.
	On December 19, 2018, the Departments published the guidelines states must use in developing procedures for ensuring the data submitted are valid and reliable—in short, data validation guidance. In this webinar, the Departments will address questions from state agencies related to the development of their data validation framework. Likewise, this webinar is also an opportunity for state agencies to share their data validation challenges and solutions with their colleagues.
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Action Requested:	Please share with managers, staff and partners as appropriate.
Effective:	Immediately