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Status of SAM Projects – October 2013

Name of SAM	Successful Partners In Reaching Innovative Technology (SPIRIT)	Mountain Plains States Consortium (MPSC)	Crossroads Consortium
Initial Consortium Members	Chickasaw Nation (Lead). Members include the following SAs from OK and NM: Muscogee Creek Nation, Wichita Caddo Delaware Enterprises, Otoe-Missouria, Inter-Tribal Council of OK, Osage Nation and Choctaw Nation from OK; and Acoma Canoncito & Laguna Hospital , Zuni Pueblo, Santo Domingo Pueblo, Five Sandoval Pueblos, Eight Northern Pueblos, and San Felipe Pueblo from NM.	CO (Lead), UT, WY	NC (Lead), AL, VA, WV.
MIS Project Status	Implementation complete; documentation available in WIC SAM Document Library.	The MPSC has successfully implemented in Colorado, Utah, and Wyoming. Documentation available in WIC SAM Document Library.	Development phase; documentation not yet available.
Pilot Dates	Completed.	Completed	Staggered schedule to begin late Fall 2013 thru mid-Winter 2014 (tentative).
Statewide Rollout Dates	Completed.	Completed	Staggered schedule to begin Spring 2014 and run through Fall 2014 (tentative).
EBT Component	Complete for Chickasaw.	Wyoming is fully implemented with EBT.	VA and WV in implementation phase; AL in planning phase.
MIS Alternative Analysis Consideration	The SPIRIT system may be considered as a viable alternative in a State agency's alternatives analysis.	The MPSC system may now be considered as a viable alternative in a State agency's alternatives analysis.	May be considered in AA after successful pilot has been completed in all Consortium States; to be determined.
MIS Transfer Implementation	The system is available for transfer.	All states are fully implemented.	May be implemented as a transfer system after all Crossroads States have completed State-wide roll out and the governance structure has been defined.
Adopted States	Alaska (project in progress) Arkansas Maine Missouri Minnesota Mississippi (project in progress) Montana	Vermont (project in progress) Nebraska (project in progress)	

