

Handout 1: Approach and Organization of Needs Assessment From Example States

Complete this self-reflection following Module 2 for your state process (if one was reviewed) and another example state process you reviewed during the session. Bring the result with you to the Module 3 session for reference during group work and discussion.

Reflection Questions	Your State	[Example State 1]	How is this relevant for your current needs assessment efforts?
Do the materials describe whether/how the needs assessment fits within a larger improvement cycle? How?			
Do the materials describe a framework or structure for organizing the needs assessment? What are the topics/components/elements?			
Do the materials describe central guiding questions or guiding questions related to the described topics/components/elements?			