Sample text for optional, voluntary communications with local weatherization agencies

How to use this sample text

States may choose to share this sample introduction to the national evaluation with local agencies. Sharing this information is optional and voluntary. States may consider including the text in any customary or routine communications, such as newsletters or email blasts. The same information will be communicated to local agencies by the Energy Center of Wisconsin in an introductory letter.

National Evaluation Set to Begin

The data collection stage of the National Weatherization Assistance Program Evaluation is about to get underway. The evaluation is being conducted by Oak Ridge National Laboratory for the U.S. DOE. The evaluation team is headed by APPRISE Incorporated with the Energy Center of Wisconsin serving as the data collection coordinator for the evaluation team. The Energy Center will work to ensure streamlined communications with your agency and to minimize the burden of the evaluation on you and your staff. The Energy Center will contact your agency soon with data requests. Your cooperation in supplying complete information in a timely manner is appreciated by this office and by the evaluation team. This evaluation will provide useful information for the weatherization community and your agencies' data is critical to the overall success of this important project.