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III. OPERATIONAL PLANNING ELEMENTS

- (b) State Operating Systems and Policies. The Unified or Combined State Plan must include a description of the State operating systems and policies that will support the implementation of the State strategy described in section II Strategic Elements. This includes—
 - (1) State operating systems that support coordinated implementation of State strategies (for example labor market information systems, data systems, communication systems, case management systems, job banks, etc.).

The HIDOE utilizes the Literacy, Adult, and Community Education System (LACES) by LiteracyPro Systems, Inc., a cloud-based student information system for adult education. LACES is a data collection and reporting system with functionalities that meet the WIOA reporting requirements defined in 29 USC §3141 Performance accountability system.

LACES functionalities.

- Captures program demographic information.
- Captures program participant enrollment, completion, and academic progress in
 - o Adult Basic Education
 - Adult Secondary Education
 - English Language Acquisition
 - Integrated Education and Training
 - Family Literacy
 - Distance Learning
 - Integrated English Literacy and Civics Education
 - Corrections Education
- Creates reports for the National Reporting System (NRS) for Adult Education, an outcome-based reporting system for the State-administered, federally-funded adult education program.