The HCBS Report Card project is led by the Minnesota Board on Aging. The board works closely with the Department of Human Services and the Department of Health to manage the project.

HCBS Report Card Stakeholder Update

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Weekly Update Email Blast:

The Legislative Report for the HCBS report has been released, and is available in its entirety here: [http://mn.gov/dhs/images/Home%2520and%2520Community%2520Based%2520Services%2520Report%2520Card.pdf](http://mn.gov/dhs/images/Home%2520and%2520Community%2520Based%2520Services%2520Report%2520Card.pdf)

It can also be found at the Minnesota Board on Aging page at [http://mnaging.net/en/News/LegReport.aspx](http://mnaging.net/en/News/LegReport.aspx)

HCBS Report Card Project Road Show Dates:

- **Monday September 8th, 2014:** Moorhead (PM)
- **Tuesday September 9th, 2014:** Bemidji (AM)
- **Friday September 12th, 2014:** Duluth (AM)
- **Monday September 22, 2014:** Marshall (PM)
- **Tuesday September 23, 2014:** Mankato (AM)
- **Friday September 26, 2014:** Rochester (AM)
- **Tuesday September 30, 2014:** Metro (AM) and (PM)
- **Friday October 3, 2014:** Metro (AM) and (PM)
- **Monday October 6, 2014:** Brainerd (PM)
- **Tuesday October 7, 2014:** St. Cloud (AM)
Registration will open the week of August 18th, and will include venue information and time.

Recurring Updates:

1. On August 14th, there will be a statewide video conference that will include a basic 101 on the project and what has been done to date, a briefing on what was learned in all the meetings and the focus groups from stakeholders (consumers, providers and others) and a review of recommendations. Registration closed on Monday, August 11th, but the syllabus for the training can be found here: [http://www.dhs.state.mn.us/main/idcplg?IdcService=GET_DYNAMIC_CONVERSION&RevisionSelectionMethod=LatestReleased&dDocName=id_029217](http://www.dhs.state.mn.us/main/idcplg?IdcService=GET_DYNAMIC_CONVERSION&RevisionSelectionMethod=LatestReleased&dDocName=id_029217)

This video conference is different from the road show. At the road show mock ups of the final suggested consumer reviews site and the features that create the metrics and ranking of services will be reviewed and there will be discussion and consensus building across stakeholders who attend.