Session 1: Objectives, Structure and Logistics

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Who is here?

Map showing cities and states with attendance.
Workshop Objectives

• Create and sustain an engaged and diverse stakeholder group to support and champion WRTM
• Disseminate research results, available tools, and best practices in WRTM
• Identify gaps, challenges and issues with implementing WRTM strategies
• Gather research, development and deployment needs
• Encourage adoption of WRTM practices, tools and techniques by stakeholders
Workshop Outcomes

- Participants are:
  - more knowledgeable with, and have a better understanding of the concept and practice of WRTM.
  - motivated to adopt WRTM in their agencies and/or enhance their current WRTM strategies
  - aware of available resources to guide and support their WRTM implementation
  - will continue to interact with other stakeholders and practitioners after the workshop
  - are willing to be champions of WRTM and to encourage others within and outside their organization to adopt WRTM strategies
  - understand where there are gaps in the WRTM program and are willing to help fill those gaps
Workshop Structure

• Session Structure
  – Overview Presentation
  – 1-2 (10-15 minute) Presentations
  – Moderated Discussion

• Lunch (on your own)
Facility Logistics

Restrooms

We are here
In case of Emergencies

- The closest emergency exit (if you view our floor plan attached) is out the Ballroom Entrance out in the Foyer, and the staff would then lead them over to Holladay Park, where everyone would stay until it is clear.
Workshop Reimbursements

• Submit reimbursement forms to Jessica Echerd (echerdj@battelle.org)

• Original receipts required for Airfare/Hotel and any other >$75 expenses

• Contact Ms. Echerd for additional questions.

• As soon we receive the forms, we will get the process started
  – 2-3 weeks typical reimbursement times