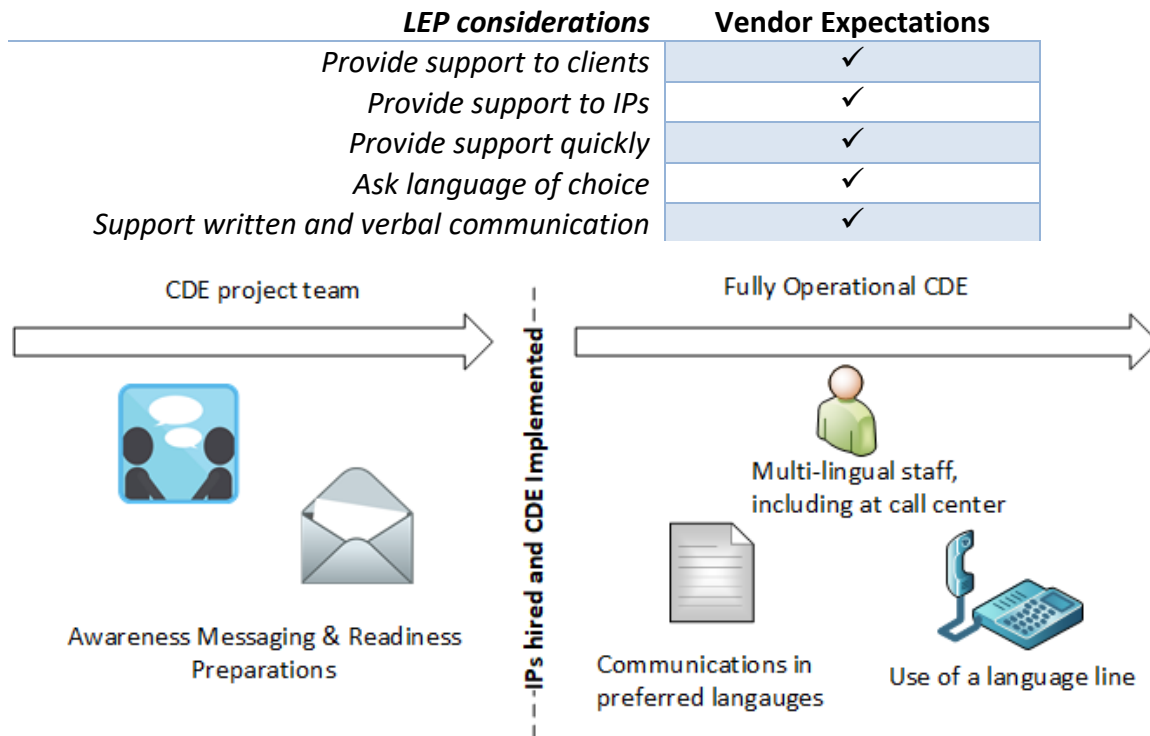


**Consumer Directed Employer (CDE) Project
Talking Points #10 – Supporting Clients and IPs with
Limited English Proficiency (LEP)**

How will the CDE approach LEP?

Washington state enjoys the many benefits of a diverse population and DSHS is committed to supporting the cultural diversity of all clients and the individual provider workforce. To assist clients to successfully live in their own homes, the CDE vendor must offer services to clients in their primary language and must have the capability to communicate with IPs in languages other than English. The CDE project has identified vendor expectations and readiness activities to effectively support people with LEP needs.



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