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То:	Department of Transitional Assistance Staff		
From:	Anne O'Sullivan, Assistant Commissioner for Policy, Program and External Relations		
Re:	TAFDC and EAEDC – BEACON Build 47.4 Changes		
Overview	 Harper, et al. v. Massachusetts Department of Transitional Assistance was a class action lawsuit brought by disabled clients alleging that the Department violated the Americans with Disabilities Act by failing to provide disabled clients with equal access to Department benefits. Improving services to these clients is the objective of the Harper, et al. v.Massachusetts Department of Transitional Assistance settlement. BEACON Build 47.4 contained BEACON changes implementing the Harper settlement. 		
Purpose	The purpose of this transmittal is to inform DTA staff of revisions made to the steps required when Learning Disability Assessment results are returned.		
Updated BEACON Online Guide Books/Pages	Topic: Book: Chapter: Page:	TAFDC Services Learning Disabilities Learning Disability Assessment Results Returned	
Questions	If you have any questions, please email the DTA Mailbox. Systems questions should be directed to the Systems Support Help Desk.		