



**2024 Reidy Interactive Learning Series (RILS)
Consequential Uses of Assessment: Taking Stock and Looking Ahead
PRELIMINARY AGENDA**

This is a preliminary agenda for the Center for Assessment’s annual *Reidy Interactive Learning Series* (RILS) conference, which will be held September 26-27, 2024, in Portsmouth, N.H. For lodging and registration information, please see the [conference website](#).

September 26, 2024		
Time	Session	Description
8:30	Breakfast	Full breakfast provided
9:00	General Welcome and Context of RILS	Introductory remarks about the background and purpose of RILS
9:10	Considering Consequences in Assessment: Mapping the Landscape	Chris Domaleski and André A. Rupp provide a <u>framing presentation</u> to introduce key frameworks and findings about consequences.
10:00	Assessment Brain Bash: Wrestling With Consequences (Part 1: Charting the Course)	Presenters engage in a <u>friendly debate</u> focused on critical arguments for and against using standardized assessment for consequential decisions that affect individuals directly or indirectly.
11:00	Break	
11:15	Assessment Brain Bash: Wrestling With Consequences (Part 2: Exploring the Territory)	Participants discuss and share key points elicited by the debate.
12:15	Lunch	Lunch provided
1:15	Assessment Adventures: Exploring Consequences Through Illustrative Vignettes (Part 1: Charting the Course)	Presenters share <u>several vignettes</u> that illustrate consequential uses of assessment or key areas of innovation that affect consequences.
1:30	Assessment Adventures: Exploring Consequences Through Illustrative Vignettes (Part 2: Exploring the Territory)	Participants <u>choose a vignette</u> to explore further and <u>participate in a roundtable discussion</u> with the presenters.
2:45	Break	
3:00	Engagement Expedition: Reaching	Invited guests <u>present use cases</u> that

	Constituents to Understand and Address Consequences (Part 1: Charting the Course)	illustrate how they have effectively involved constituents in different aspects of system design and implementation work to better understand and address consequences.
3:30	Engagement Expedition: Reaching Constituents to Understand and Address Consequences (Part 2: Exploring the Territory)	Participants explore different exploration questions with some of the use cases that interest them in a <u>poster session format</u> .
4:30	Wrap-Up/ Adjourn Day 1	Evening reception to follow
September 27, 2024		
Time	Session	Description
8:30	Breakfast	Breakfast provided
9:00	Welcome & Reflections	The Center provides <u>reflections</u> from day 1 and welcomes participants to day 2.
9:10	Navigating the Policy Territory: Shaping Assessment Consequences	Colleagues from the Center and invited guests discuss in a <u>moderated panel</u> how federal, state, and local policy levers can be used to properly configure assessment systems with an eye towards properly managing consequences.
10:15	Break	
10:30	Trailblazing Transformations: Putting Ideas into Concrete Actions	Participants are given pressing problems of practice and <u>brainstorm concrete ideas</u> that people with different roles and responsibilities can put into place to help properly configure consequences for different types of assessment.
11:30	Taking Stock and Looking Ahead: Conference Reflections	Chris Domaleski and André A. Rupp provide <u>reflections from the two days</u> of the conference, signaling common themes, critical tension points, and productive ways forward. They also share plans for blogs, webinars, and other possibilities for engagement.
12:00	Lunch/ Adjourn	Lunch provided