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Procurement Reform Certification Training Development

Greetings,

A big "thank you" to everyone who responded to the Procurement Training and Certification Program survey. According to the data we received, over 75 percent of purchasing and procurement professionals desire training for fundamental purchasing and procurement training. Additional metrics are outlined below.

A few follow up questions

Given the interest in this program, we have a [few additional questions](#) to help establish the scale of the training program. Please respond by the close of business on Thursday, February 27.

If you feel you are not the correct person to answer the questions on behalf of your agency, please feel free to forward this message to the appropriate individual.

More metrics

The most highly desired training topics are:

- Basic Procurement Overview
- Complex and High Risk Procurements
- IT Procurements
- Contract Management
- Scope and Requirements Definition
- RFP Development

Additional desirable topics included Proposal Evaluation and Certification/Credentialing. Self-based web training and traditional classroom instruction were viewed as the most desirable training methods according to survey respondents. Many of you also desire training certifications.

Thank you again for your participation.

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