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Improvement strategy under consideration: _____

NEED - How well the improvement strategy might meet identified needs. What data indicate the need for this improvement strategy?	
Guiding Questions	**Notes**
1. What data has been analyzed to indicate the need for this targeted intervention strategy?	
2. What root cause was identified from the data analysis?	
3. How will this targeted intervention strategy address the root cause?	
4. Is there a parent or community perception of need for this targeted improvement strategy?	
5. What other factors should be considered when determining if there is a true need for this targeted improvement strategy?	
FIT- Aligned with current initiatives, priorities, structures and supports, and parent/community values. Does this strategy fit with current district/school initiatives, priorities, or objectives?	
Guiding Questions	**Notes**
1. How well does this targeted intervention strategy align with current **district** initiatives, priorities, or objectives?	
2. How well does this targeted intervention strategy align with current **statewide** initiatives, priorities, or objectives?	

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Resource and supports for training, staffing, technology, data systems and administration. RESOURCES – Are resources available to support the improvement strategy?	
Guiding Questions	**Notes**
1. Is appropriate curricula available to implement this targeted intervention strategy ?	
2. Are appropriate instructional practices in place to implement this targeted intervention evidence-based strategy?	
3. Are there adequate technology supports to implement this targeted intervention strategy ?	
4. Are there adequate human resources/staffing available to implement this targeted intervention strategy?	
5. Is there a professional development plan in place to support implementation of this targeted intervention strategy?	
6. Is there a state technical assistance available to support the implementation of this targeted intervention strategy?	
7. Is there a coaching system in place that will support the implementation of this targeted intervention strategy?	

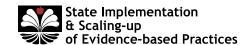| EVIDENCE indicates through outcomes that the strategy has produced the intended results. – Is there evidence to support that this improvement strategy will positively impact the TIP area?	
Guiding Questions	**Notes**
1. What current evidence exists that this targeted intervention strategy or practice will address the root causes identified?	
2. What data supports this targeted intervention evidence-based strategy or practice as effective for addressing the root cause?	
3. What data could be generated from this targeted intervention evidence-based strategy or practice to determine that targets have been met?	
4. What data systems would be necessary to measure the effectiveness of this targeted intervention evidence-based strategy or practice?	
5. How frequently can data be collected to determine if this targeted intervention evidence-based strategy or practice is producing a result to meet targets?	

READINESS for replication of the strategy includes assistance availability, exemplars available for observation, and measures of how the strategy has been operationalized. Are resources available to support the implementation of the improvement strategy?	
Guiding Questions	**Notes**
1. Is there technical assistance at the state level available to support implementation of this targeted intervention strategy?	
2. Are there regions/districts/programs in the state that have effectively implemented this targeted intervention strategy?	
3. Are there regions/districts/programs in the state that have operationalized this targeted intervention targeted intervention strategy so that it could be replicated?	
4. Have competency drivers for the implementation of this strategy been analyzed? (staff selection, training plans, coaching systems, performance assessment)	
5. Have organizational drivers for the implementation of this targeted intervention strategy been analyzed?(data systems, administrative structures)	
6. Have leadership drivers for the implementation of this targeted intervention strategy been analyzed? (leadership development and strategies)	

CAPACITY to Implement the strategy as intended and to sustain implementation over time. Does the district/school have the capacity to implement the improvement strategy?	
Guiding Questions	**Notes**
1. Does the district/school have sufficient staff competency to implement this targeted intervention strategy?	
2. Is the district/school positioned well organizationally to implement this targeted intervention strategy?	
3. Does the district/school have sufficient leadership support to implement this targeted intervention strategy?	
4. Does the district/school have sufficient financial support and resources to implement this targeted intervention strategy?	
5. Is there "buy in" or ownership on the part of practitioners/educators, administrators, and families to implement this targeted intervention strategy?	

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EBP:				
5 Point Rating Scale: High = 5; Medium = 3; Low = 1. Midpoints can be used and scored as a 2 or 4.				
	High	**Med**	**Low**	
Need				
Fit				
Resource Availability				
Evidence				
Readiness for Replication				
Capacity to Implement				
Total Score				

Notes/Summary:

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