

## EA Kicks Off Finalization of VA IRM Strategic Plan and VA Enterprise Roadmap

*September 2013* - The Enterprise Architecture team has kicked off the task of finalizing the FY13-15 VA IRM Strategic Plan and Enterprise Roadmap. Initial drafts were submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) in May; they were rated and received positive reviews from OMB and other agencies, receiving an official score of 3.5 (out of 4). That's an improvement of two points from last year! This is a solid platform to advance these submissions from draft to final documents.

The team will be conducting a series of roadshows across VA with the content owners in VHA, VBA, NCA, OPP and OIT to ensure that these documents accurately reflect VA's planned transformations through FY15. The final agency submissions, signed out by the Deputy Secretary, are due to OMB by January 31, 2014.

For more information on the VA IRM Strategic Plan and/or Enterprise Roadmap, please contact Pat Lehtma, Director at (202) 461-4290 or [Patricia.Lehtma@va.gov](mailto:Patricia.Lehtma@va.gov)

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*Washington, D.C., September 2013* - The Department of Veterans Affairs' (VA) Office of Architecture, Strategy and Design will publish the next version of the OneVA Enterprise Architecture (OneVA EA) on September 30, 2013.

The OneVA EA is a comprehensive picture of VA's operations, capabilities and services, and the business and IT capabilities that serve them. This architecture is an evolving entity built on ongoing collaboration between each Administration's business and technology leaders, staff and stakeholders. As the Department evolves to meet change, the architecture also evolves. Each architecture Release is a response to serve a specific need as well as supporting a dynamic environment, and most importantly, move toward a more efficient steward of services for Veterans and beneficiaries.

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The OneVA EA September 2013 Release offers numerous new and updated views and reports of architecture content that make up the OneVA Enterprise and will be available on the OneVA EA website located on both the Internet and Intranet.

For more information about OneVA Enterprise Architecture please visit <http://vaww.ea.oit.va.gov/>

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