

**Department of Veterans Affairs**  
**Information Technology Advanced Planning Brief to Industry**  
**June 26, 2024**

- 8:30 – 8:35 a.m. Welcome & Administrative Remarks  
**Ms. Ariel Arrosa**, Director, Operations Service, Technology Acquisition Center (TAC)
- 8:35 – 8:45 a.m. TAC Update  
**Mr. Jeffrey C. Neill**, Associate Executive Director, TAC
- 8:45 – 9:05 a.m. Chief Acquisition Officer (CAO) Office of Acquisition, Logistics & Construction (OALC)  
**Mr. Michael Parrish**, CAO and Principal Executive Director, OALC
- 9:05 – 9:25 a.m. Doing Business with the Office of Information and Technology  
**Mr. Kurt DelBene**, Assistant Secretary for OIT & Chief Information Officer
- 9:25 – 9:45 a.m. Using the Software Factory Model to Deliver Products Better, Faster, and Safer  
**Mr. Charles Worthington**, Chief Technology Officer (CTO) and Chief Artificial Intelligence Officer (CAIO), OIT
- 9:45 – 10:05 a.m. VA IT Business Priorities: Effectively Leveraging Business Relationship Management  
**Mr. Bradley Houston**, Deputy Chief Information Officer (DCIO) Business Integration and Outcome Service, OIT
- 10:05 – 10:20 a.m. BREAK
- 10:20 – 10:40 a.m. Office of Information Security: Embracing a Zero Trust Mindset  
**Ms. Lynette Sherrill**, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Information Security & Chief Information Security Officer, OIT
- 10:40 – 11:00 a.m. Product Engineering Service APBI Brief/ Software Product APBI Brief  
**Ms. Carrie Lee**, Deputy Chief Information Officer, Product Engineering Service (PES) Acting Deputy Chief Information Officer, Software Product Management
- 11:00 – 11:20 a.m. Electronic Health Records Modernization – Integration Office  
**Ms. Linda Ennis**, EHRM-IO ODCIO Director of Solution Management
- 11:20 – 12:30 p.m. Information Technology Executive Round Table Discussion  
**(Mr. Charles Worthington, Mr. Bradley Houston, Ms. Carrie Lee, Ms. Lynette Sherrill)**
- 12:30 – 1:30 p.m. LUNCH BREAK
- 1:30 – 1:50 p.m. Small Business Resources for Success at VA  
**Ms. Kimberly Osborne**, Acting Executive Director, Office of Small and Disadvantaged Business Utilization
- 1:50 – 2:10 p.m. VA Pathfinder Program  
**Ms. Ashley Hammond**, Category Management Support Office (CMSO), Office of Procurement, Acquisition and Logistics
- 2:10 – 2:15 pm Wrap-up/Closing Remarks  
**Ms. Ariel Arrosa**, Director, Operations Service, TAC