



Veteran-Focused Integration Process (VIP) Life Cycle Components:

Module 5—Contract Award and On-Boarding

Agenda

- What's Happening?
- Who's Involved?
- What's Completed?
- What's Next?





What's Happening?

Contract Award and On-Boarding

- Necessary if the product requires acquisition and/or contract support
- About 90–120 days after Critical Decision 1



Who's Involved?

Key Roles

- Contracting Officer's Representative (COR)
- Project Manager



Contracting Officer's Representative (COR)

- Writes Performance Work Statement (PWS)
- Facilitates the contract award
- Ensures adequate funds are available
- Ensures vendor performs requirements
- Plays a role in Critical Decision 2
 - Updates the Acquisition and Financial Management Plan (AFMP)
 - Initiates procurement package for sustainment



Project Manager

- Can fill the role of COR
- Collaborates with the Enterprise Program Management Office (EPMO) Acquisition Support Group
- Completes quarterly performance reporting



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What's Completed?

PWS

- Sets requirements for contractor
- Includes standard language for using Agile
- Includes Epics and Sub-Epics instead of technological solution

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What's Next?

Frequently Asked Question

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Answer: It is required only if the project requires acquisition and/or contract support.

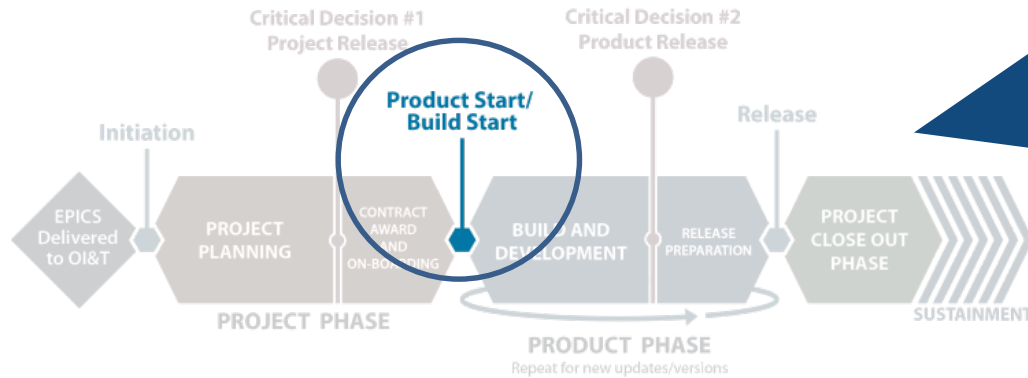
Key Takeaways

- The COR:
 - Facilitates contract award
 - Writes the PWS
- COR role is usually filled by the Project Manager

Learn More

- References Handout
 - VIP SharePoint website
 - Training information
 - High-level module summaries
 - Acronyms
 - Agile terms and definitions

Next: Product Start/Build Start



**Product Start/
Build Start**



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