

6-Effects of Agile on Pre-Contract Award

**TLO? : Identify key activities that occur pre-contract award that need to be aligned if Agile is a strategy being considered for the contract.**

ELOs

Assessment Ideas

Subtopics

New (2015) DoD 5000.02 life cycle diagrams

multiple life cycle models shown in 5000.02 that can support Agile methods

pre-acquisition

possible effects if Agile being considered

AoA factors may include ability of solutions to be acquired incrementally and iteratively

could factor in to selection of and tailoring of a 5000.02 life cycle model

Acquisition Strategy

SW Dev as a Service...

other strategies that may be more compatible with Agile than traditional "bid to this requirement"

Writing Agile-enabling RFPs

anti-pattern: "Do Agile"

tell bidders how Program Office will be conducting oversight

Evaluating bidders

can't tell contractor how to do their work

Program Oversight Planning

performance monitoring approaches

expressing measurement approach in RFP

requirements for a Definition of Done that is meaningful for performance reporting

Contracting

**MT: contract "type" not as important as incremental delivery of CDRL content and incremental review and delivery constructs**

**MT: determining contract type should be based on the understanding of system context, not whether or not you're using Agile approaches**

appropriate contract type for the context

Abbreviated Acquisition Process?

used in some Defense Business Systems