



Grant Program:	Pathways Out of Poverty
Grantee Name:	Jobs for the Future, Inc.
Grantee City/State:	Boston, MA
Grant Award Amount:	\$7,997,936
Initial Period of Performance:	January 2010 - January 2012
Project Name:	The Green Pathway Initiative: Expanding Green Employment Opportunities in Five Communities through Robust Workforce Partnerships
Project Description:	Jobs for the Future (JFF), in partnership with the AFL-CIO Working for America Institute, will dramatically ramp up pathways into green industries for unemployed and disadvantaged individuals in neighborhoods in five cities that are seriously impacted by the current economic downturn: Chicago, Detroit, Los Angeles, Milwaukee, and Philadelphia. Through this project, JFF will deliver expanded education, training, job placement, and retention services in these communities through local affiliates of the National Fund for Workforce Solutions (NFWS), which is a \$30 million project that expands high impact workforce partnership initiatives across the country.
Areas Served by Grant:	Chicago, IL; Detroit, MI; Los Angeles, CA; Milwaukee, WI; Philadelphia, PA
PUMAs Served:	Chicago, IL (PUMAs 03514, 03515, 03516); Detroit, MI (PUMAs 03701, 03702, 03707); Los Angeles, CA (PUMAs 05421, 05422, 05424, 05500, 05701, 05702, 06115, 06119, 06123, 06124); Milwaukee, WI (PUMA 02003); Philadelphia, PA (PUMAs 04109, 04110)
Auto-Impacted Counties Served:	Cook County, MI; Philadelphia County, Pa
National or Local Grant:	National
Targeted Industries:	Energy-Efficient Building, Construction and Retrofit; Renewable Electric Power
Targeted Credentials:	North American Board of Certified Energy Practitioners Certificate; National Automotive Technicians Education Program (National Institute for Automotive Service Excellence) Certificate
Targeted Occupations:	Carpenter Helper, Construction Laborer, Weatherization Tech/Worker, Energy Conservation Pre-Apprentice, Residential Energy Auditor, Smart Grid Technician, Wind Turbine Technician, Solar Photovoltaic Panel Installer, Automotive Service Technician and Mechanic, Diesel Engine/Alternative Fuels Technician, Water Quality Technician, Tree Trimmer
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed and disadvantaged individuals





	<p>AFL-CIO Working for America Institute; Chicago: North Lawndale Employment Network, LEED Council, Chicago Housing Authority, Chicago Departments of Community Development and Family and Support Services City Colleges of Chicago, Chicago Women in Trades, Chicagoland Green Collar Jobs Initiative, Opportunity Chicago; Detroit: Focus Hope, SER-Metro , Environmental Justice, Green of Detroit, WARM Training, Henry Ford CC, Next Energy Green Sector Skills Alliance, A&D Tech, International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers (IBEW), United Auto Workers (UAW); Los Angeles: Women in Non-Traditional Employment Roles (WINTER), South Bay Center for Counseling, Grid Alternative, Habitat for Humanity, South Bay Consortium WIB, Verdugo WIB, LA Community College District, Southwest Carpenters Training Trust and UCLA-LOSH, Glendale CC and Power Academy, and Built It Green, CA Builders & Retrofit, CA Building Contractors Assn, El Camino College, Century Center for Econ. Opportunity/YouthBuild, Cities of Glendale, Burbank, and Pasadena, ASF Millworks, Building Doctors, Green Hive, Imani Energy, Solartech Power, SoCal Edison, LA Econ Development Corporation, LA Green Coalition, IBEW 18, IBEW 11, SEIU Local 721, City of Glendale Employee Assn, City of Pasadena Employee Assn, AFL-CIO Community Services Agency; Milwaukee: Northcott Neighborhood House, Milw. Community Service Corps, Milwaukee Christian Center, Justice 2000, Milwaukee Area WIB, City of Milwaukee Community Development Grants Admin., City of Milwaukee Dept. of Public Works, WRTP, Assoc General Contractors, Milw Dept of Public Works, WeEnergies, AFL-CIO, AFSCME, IBEW; Philadelphia: FNC, Diversified Community Services, United Communities of SE Philadelphia, Lutheran Community Services, CareerLink Suburban Station, Philadelphia WIB, JEVS, Sustainable Business Network (SBN)of Philadelphia, and Philadelphia Council AFL-CIO</p>
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	1,130
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	1,100
Total number of participants who receive basic education services:	870
Total number of participants who receive supportive services funded by the grant:	723





Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	997
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities that receive a degree/certificate:	770
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities that are placed into unsubsidized employment:	910
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities that are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	848
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	732
Other Key Project Deliverables:	Outreach materials for women in non-traditional occupations; Financial literacy curriculum; Career coaching curriculum; Pre-apprenticeship model development by the AFL-CIO Institute; and Family economic success benchmarks.
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