



Grant Program:	Healthcare Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Providence Health Foundation of Providence Hospital
Grantee City/State:	Washington, DC
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,953,999
Initial Period of Performance:	March 2010 - February 2013
Project Name:	Capital Health Careers Project
Project Description:	The grantee will assist many of the District of Columbia's unemployed, dislocated, and incumbent workers – particularly those who are low-skilled and low-income – enter and advance in healthcare careers. The grantee and its partners will offer training and educational opportunities for individuals to obtain employer/industry recognized certificates or degrees as well as support career pathways in the nursing, allied health, long-term care, and health information technology sectors. The training programs also will ensure that graduates will be prepared to take standardized exams for licensing and certification for fields that require national standards exams. In addition, the grantee and its partners will provide supportive and wrap-around services to help participants overcome barriers to employment and assist them in obtaining and retaining jobs in health care.
Areas Served by Grant:	Greater Washington, DC Metropolitan Area
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Nursing, Allied Health, Long-Term Care, and Health Information Technology)
Targeted Credentials:	Master of Science in Information Technology (MSIT); Bachelor of Arts in Information Technology (BAIT); Certificate in Information Technology; Health Information Competency Development Programs; Community Health Care Worker (CHW); Direct Service Provider (DSP); Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA); Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN); Associate Degree Registered Nursing (ADRN); BS Nursing (BSN); Health Info Tech – Competency Development; Health Info Tech – Certificate; Health Info Tech – Bachelor of Arts in Information Technology (BAIT) completion, last 2 years and/or Master of Science in Information Technology (MSIT)degree
Targeted Occupations:	Direct Service Professionals; Community Health Worker; Certified Nursing Assistant; Practical Nursing; Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN); Registered Nurse (RN)
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed, dislocated, and incumbent workers





All Project partners:	Catholic University of America; D.C. Department on Disability Services; D.C. Department of Employment Services; D.C. Primary Care Association; D.C. Department on Disabilities; Greater Washington Regional Alliance for Careers in Health; Providence Hospital; United Planning Organization; the University of the District of Columbia and the Community College of D.C.; Dimensions Healthcare System; the George Mason University School of Nursing; District of Columbia’s Workforce Investment Council; Kaiser Permanente, Dimensions; Healthcare System; Georgetown University Hospital; Psychiatric Institute of Washington; Little Sisters of the Poor of Washington, DC
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	750
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	504
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	400
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	355
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	246
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	66
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	288
Other Key Project Deliverables:	NA
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