

Community-Based Job Training Grants

Jewish Vocational Service



Grantee: Jewish Vocational Service

Project Title: Lost Angeles Homeland Security Education Center Uniting Regional Employers (LA H-SECURE)

Location of Grant Activities: Los Angeles, California

Amount of Grant: \$3,000,000

Key Industry: Homeland Security

Key Partnerships: Los Angeles Southwest College, City of Los Angeles Workforce Investment Board, and Los Angeles World Airports

Populations to be served: Unemployed and incumbent workers, including veterans

Project Description: A first-time Community-Based Job Training Grantee, Jewish Vocational Service brings together public and private employers to prepare the unemployed and incumbent workforce of Los Angeles, California for entry and advancement in the high growth, high demand field of homeland security. The project specifically targets occupations that protect information systems (cybersecurity) and ensure the physical security of our borders, airports, and water ports. The project offers a series of courses with multiple entry/exit points resulting in industry-recognized certificates and degrees, with online/hybrid courses, weekend, weeknight and accelerated programs offered to participants.

Project Outcomes:

- Total participants served: 300
- Total number of participants beginning education/training activities: 300
- Total number of participants completing education/training activities: 255
- Total number of participants who complete education/training activities that receive a credential: 240
- Total number of participants who enter employment: 204
- Total number of participants who retain employment: 163
- Total number of participants who enter training-related employment: 191

