



<b>Grant Program:</b>	Green Capacity Building
<b>Grantee Name:</b>	<b>YouthBuild Lake County (YBLC)</b>
<b>Grantee City/State:</b>	North Chicago, Illinois
<b>Grant Award Amount:</b>	\$100,000
<b>Initial Period of Performance:</b>	December 2009 – November 2010
<b>Project Name:</b>	Green Capacity Building for YouthBuild Lake County
<b>Project Description:</b>	The program will expand its capacity to develop sectoral strategies that support the development of clear pathways and job placement for its trainees into the energy efficiency and renewable energy industries. Additionally, YBLC will integrate more specific skills and competencies into its training programs that will help connect its youth to green energy pathways and then provide professional development on these sector strategies for YBLC staff and the staff members of YouthBuild programs throughout the state of Illinois. All the trainees will receive classroom and hands-on training from YBLC’s existing certified trainers utilizing the Home Builders Institute Pre- Apprenticeship Certification Training (HBI -PACT) using a new green version. In addition, YBLC will provide four green affordable home projects so the trainees from these programs will have the opportunity to learn hands-on deconstruction, green rehabilitation, and green new construction.
<b>Areas Served by Grant:</b>	Lake County, Illinois
<b>PUMAs Served:</b>	NA
<b>Auto-Impacted Counties Served:</b>	NA
<b>National or Local Grant:</b>	NA
<b>Targeted Industries:</b>	Energy Efficiency, Renewable Energy, Deconstruction, Green Rehab and Facilities Maintenance, Green New Construction, Wind and Solar Power
<b>Targeted Credentials:</b>	Green HBI Certification
<b>Targeted Occupations:</b>	Laborers, Carpenters, Insulation Workers, Building Maintenance Engineer, Environmental Maintenance, Weatherization Installer/Tech, Roofers, Electrician, Solar Photovoltaic (PV) Installer, Wind Turbine Service Technician
<b>Targeted Populations:</b>	Minority, under-represented, low-income youth
<b>All Project Partners:</b>	Lake County, College of Lake County, Lake County Partners for Economic Development, Workforce Development, Planning,
<b>Projected Outcomes:</b>	
Curriculum, course materials, or competency models and career ladders developed or updated with grant funds:	HBI-PACT certification curriculum





The number of instructors projected to participate in capacity building activities:	INA
The number of individuals projected to be trained by these instructors:	130 – 152
The estimated number of other individuals (besides these students and instructors) projected to participate and/or benefit from capacity building activities:	INA
<b>Other Key Project Deliverables:</b>	INA
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