



<b>Grant Program:</b>	Health Care Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
<b>Grantee Name:</b>	<b>Youth Policy Institute (YPI)</b>
<b>Grantee City/State:</b>	Los Angeles, CA
<b>Grant Award Amount:</b>	\$3,623,473
<b>Initial Period of Performance:</b>	March 2010-February 2013
<b>Project Name:</b>	Health Care Sector Program
<b>Project Description:</b>	The YPI Health Sector Program, founded on a robust community partnership, will train and place participants as Medical Assistants, Pharmacy Technicians, and Certified Nursing Assistants. Their comprehensive approach will combine individualized learning plans with 100 hours of basic knowledge classes, adult education, supportive services, and Los Angeles Unified School District (LAUSD) vocational tracks in order to ensure that participants progress along a defined career path. At the completion of their training, participants will be eligible to sit for and become certified in their specialty. Additionally, all program completers will have access to career counselors who will facilitate job placement and retention.
<b>Areas Served by Grant:</b>	East San Fernando Valley and Central Los Angeles
<b>Targeted Industries:</b>	Health Care (Nursing)
<b>Targeted Credentials:</b>	State-approved certifications
<b>Targeted Occupations:</b>	Medical Assistants, Pharmacy Technicians and Certified Nursing Assistants
<b>Targeted Populations:</b>	Unemployed, dislocated, and incumbent workers
<b>All Project partners:</b>	LAUSD, Los Angeles County Workforce Investment Board, Los Angeles Valley College, UCLA Community Based Learning Program, Los Angeles Unified School District, Los Angeles WIB, Mission Community Hospital, Soraya Medical Group, Pacifica Hospital of the Valley, Valley Community Clinic, Santo Nino Medical Clinic, Fuerza Matrimonial, Heroes of Life, Pacoima Chamber of Commerce
<b>Projected outcomes:</b>	
Total number of participants served:	400
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	400
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	376





Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	376
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	INA
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	320
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	291/262
<b>Other Key Project Deliverables:</b>	Curriculum outreach materials for the Los Angeles Valley College healthcare careers academy and curricula for Medical Assistant, Certified Nursing Assistant and Pharmacy Technician developed Los Angeles Unified School District
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