



American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009: Healthcare and Other High Growth Emerging Industries Grants

Recovery Act: Competitive Grants for Job Training

The American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Recovery Act) was signed into law by President Barack Obama on February 17, 2009 to create jobs, promote economic growth, and assist those most impacted by the recession. The Recovery Act further provided that projects that prepare workers for careers in the health care sector and other high growth and emerging industries would receive priority.

Health Care Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries Grants Overview

As many industries experience lay-offs and job losses, the health care industry remains a critical driver in regional economies across the nation. Employment growth in the health care sector will be driven by significant increases in demand for health care and assistance because of an aging population and longer life expectancies. In addition, projected retirements for current health care workers will necessitate a pipeline of skilled individuals ready to enter health care occupations.

To assist individuals and communities in meeting these challenges, the Department of Labor (DOL) is investing in projects that focus on one or more health care sub-sectors or occupational categories. Similarly, the DOL Employment and Training Administration (ETA) is supporting grant projects that address current and forecasted workforce shortages, and provide workers with paths to career enhancing opportunities in high growth or emerging industries as defined within the context of state or regional economies. These investments will prepare participants for employment in industries that are being transformed by technology and innovation requiring new skill sets, or are projected to add substantial numbers of new jobs to the economy.

ETA's goals related to these grants are to:

- Develop the pipeline of credentialed healthcare workers;
- Support local partnerships in executing integrated job placement and training strategies and,
- Support training and articulation agreements with accredited institutions that lead to industry-recognized, portable credentials.

All projects will lead to employment for participants through training programs that support advancement along a defined career pathway and result in an employer or industry-recognized certificate or degree.

Grant Summaries

55 awards ranging from approximately \$2 million to \$5 million each were made in two categories: (1) health care sectors; and (2) other high growth and emerging industries. In both categories, projects will be implemented by partnerships that include the public workforce system, the education and training community, and employers and industry-related organizations.



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Grant Program:	Health Care Sector and Other High Growth Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	American Indian Opportunities Industrialization Center
Grantee City/State:	Minneapolis, MN
Grant Award Amount:	\$5,000,000
Period of Performance:	March 2010 - February 2013
Project Name:	Career Ladders from the Soil to the Sky
Project Description:	The grantee will expand and enhance its successful Health Care Occupations Training Programs. The program will serve learners at four sites in the Hennepin County area of Minnesota, and is designed with core program and educational elements that address the barriers to employment, challenges, and needs of low-income individuals. It will provide a mix of short-term job training, classroom training, intensive tutoring, and unique teaching methods that address varied learning styles.
Areas Served by Grant:	Minneapolis (Cedar Riverside, Central, Elliot Park, Harrison, Hawthorne, Jordan, Lyndale, Near North, Phillips, Powderhorn, Seward and Wittier neighborhoods)
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Nursing, Allied Health and Long-Term Care)
Targeted Credentials:	Each training course leads to a certificate, registration or license that is recognized by health care employers in the metropolitan area and elsewhere. Certificates for Patient Feeding, Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR)/First Aid, Trained Medication Aide, Acute Care Nursing, Medical Administrative Assistant, and Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) are accredited by the North Central Accreditation and the MN Dept. of Health. The Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA)/Home Health Aide Training and Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) certification provide pathways to state certification.
Targeted Occupations:	Home Health Aide, Certified Nursing Assistant, Emergency Medical Technician, Medical Secretary, Licensed Practical Nurse, Medical Administrative Assistant
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed, dislocated, and incumbent workers
All Project partners:	Minneapolis and Hennepin-Carver Workforce Investment Boards, Minnesota Family Investment Program, Hennepin County Human Services Department, Minnesota Internship Center Charter School, Minneapolis Transitions Charter School, Metropolitan Federation of Alternative Schools, Fairview Health Partners, Park Nicolett Health System, Abbot





	Northwestern Hospital, Golden Living, Comfort Services Presbyterian Homes, Augustana Homes, St. Olaf, Elim Homes
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	1,830
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	1,830
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	80% or more
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	80% or more
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	80%
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	80%
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	90%
Other Key Project Deliverables:	Updated training curriculum, development of an LPN program, and an expansion of three locations to accommodate more students
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Grant Program:	Health Care Sector & Other High Growth Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Berea Children’s Home and Family Services
Grantee City/State:	Berea, OH
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,927,843
Period of Performance:	March 2010 - February 2013
Project Name:	North East Ohio Nurse Assistant Training Program
Project Description:	The grantee will improve and expand its North East Ohio Nurse Assistant Training Program (NEO-NAT). The NEO-NAT program will place all eligible students in one of three training tracks: 1) high school completer to attain a GED before moving into the Nurse Assistant Training Program; 2) the Nurse Assistant Training Program resulting in preparation and sitting for the State of Ohio Nurse Assistant Examination; or 3) Nurse Assistant Training Program designed to assist participants in applying for and being accepted into further healthcare education programs. The goal of all three training tracks is for students to gain employment as Nurse Assistants. Participants will also take part in intensive job retention services for no less than six months after placement. All students participating in the NEO-NAT program will also have full access to the array of social and counseling services offered by the grantee
Areas Served by Grant:	Cuyahoga and Lorain counties
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Nursing and Long-Term Care)
Targeted Credentials:	Passage of State of Ohio Nurse Assistant examination
Targeted Occupations:	Nurse Assistant
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed individuals, displaced workers, veterans, high school drop-outs, and underemployed individuals
All Project partners:	Cuyahoga County Workforce Investment Board; Lake Pointe Health Center; Cambridge Home Health Care; Trusted Home Healthcare, LLC; Sprenger Retirement Centers; Wesleyan Senior Living; Greenbrier Senior Living; MetroHealth System; American Red Cross of Greater Cleveland; Frances Payne Bolton School of Nursing; Case Western Reserve University; Lorain Community College; Marymount School of Practical Nursing; Esperanza; Nueva Luz Urban Resource Center; and Mt. Sinai Health Care Foundation
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	1,024
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	1,024





Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	INA
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	80%
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:	INA
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	70%/60%
Other Key Project Deliverables:	N.A.
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Grant Program:	Health Care and Other High Growth Industries
Grantee Name:	BioOhio
Grantee City/State:	Columbus, OH
Grant Award Amount:	\$5,000,000
Period of Performance:	March 2010-February 2013
Project Name:	Ohio Bioscience Industry Workforce Preparedness
Project Description:	The project will identify and train a range of new workers to meet anticipated demand for targeted bioscience industry occupations in five industry job sectors: Discovery Research, Quality Control and Assurance, Product/Process Development, Manufacturing, and Facilities. This comprehensive approach will transition workers from declining manufacturing industries to jobs in high growth subsectors, and build the capacity of educational institutions to effectively address workforce challenges specific to the region.
Areas Served by Grant:	Lucas, Hancock, Ottawa, Wood, Ashtabula, Cuyahoga, Geauga, Lake, Portage, Delaware, Franklin, Madison, Union, Butler, Clermont, Clinton, Hamilton, Montgomery and Warren Counties
Targeted Industries:	Bioscience/Biotechnology and Advanced Manufacturing
Targeted Credentials:	A.A.S Degrees in Biotechnology Science and BioTechnology, Certificates in Pharmaceutical Manufacturing & Medical Device & Equipment Manufacturing
Targeted Occupations:	Laboratory Assistant, Research Technician, Quality Assurance Documentation Administrator, Quality Control Technician, Process Development Operator, Material Handler, Aseptic Fill Technician, Manufacturing Technician, Manufacturing Technologist, CAD Drafter, CNC Machine Operator, Facilities Technician
Targeted Populations:	Displaced and incumbent workers
All Project partners:	Ohio AFL-CIO, CAEL, Ohio Department of Development, Owens Community College, NAMSA, Lucas County Workforce Development Agency, The Source, Regional Growth Partnership, Cuyahoga Community College, Lakeland Community College, Ben Venue Laboratories, STERIS, Affymetrix, Lake County WIB, Geauga, Ashtabula & Portage Partnership, City of Cleveland/Cuyahoga County WIB, Manufacturing Advocacy & Growth Network, Columbus State Community College, Roxane Laboratories, Pharmaforce, International Specialty Products, Central Ohio Workforce Investment Corporation, Small Business Development Center,





	Cincinnati state Technical & Community College, Sinclair Community College, Alkermes, Amylin, Eurand, IMDS, SW Ohio Region WIB, Workforce One Investment Board of Southwest Ohio, Five Star Job Centers of Southwest Ohio, Montgomery County Department of Job and Family Services, Greater Cincinnati Workforce Network, Region 5 Workforce Collaborative
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	700
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	700
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	630
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	500
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	560
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	500
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	Q1-460/500, Q2-420/460
Other Key Project Deliverables:	The grantee will develop customized curricula and career ladders and lattices.
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Grant Program:	Health Care Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Calhoun Community College
Grantee City/State:	Decatur, AL
Grant Award Amount:	\$3,470,830
Period of Performance:	March 2010-February 2013
Project Name:	Alabama Center for Excellence in Clean Energy Technology Project (ACECET)
Project Description:	ACECET will train participants to meet regional needs for energy-certified practitioners in the areas of energy assessment and energy efficient installation. Renewable energy components and training modules that adhere to North American Board of Certified Energy Practitioners (NABCEP) standards will be integrated into existing curriculum in construction-related technologies, Electricity, Heating and Ventilation and Air Conditioning (HVAC) programs. To best serve participants, specialized training options including online, hybrid, short-and-long certificates, modularized, and Associate of Arts degrees, will be offered.
Areas Served by Grant:	Lawrence, Morgan, Limestone and Madison counties
Targeted Industries:	Energy-Efficiency Technology Training (Construction and Related industries)
Targeted Credentials:	Associate of Applied Arts (A.A.A.) degrees in HVAC, Industrial Technology and Applied Technology, industry-recognized certificates for HVAC and Industrial Technology “green” career paths
Targeted Occupations:	Electricians, HVAC Technicians
Targeted Populations:	Dislocated, incumbent, and unemployed workers, high school students, and military veterans
All Project partners:	Alabama Career Center System, The University of Alabama – Huntsville, Huntsville City Schools, Associated Builders and Contractors, Inc., Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA), City of Decatur, Home Builders Association of Alabama, R.E. Michel Company, Inc., Alabama Associated General Contractors, H.C. Blake Co., Inc., Huntsville Madison County Builders Association, Pro-Air Services, Inc., Pro-Air Services, Inc., Wittichen Supply Company, Decatur Utilities, Key Engineering, Inc., and City of Huntsville
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	175
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	175





Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	175
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	175
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:	175
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	INA
Other Key Project Deliverables:	The grantee will integrate energy efficiency models into existing curriculum and promote career awareness to 2,000 high school and middle school students.
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Grant Program:	Health Care Sector and Other High Growth Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Centerstone of Tennessee, Inc.
Grantee City/State:	Nashville, TN
Grant Award Amount:	\$5,000,000
Period of Performance:	March 2010 - February 2013
Project Name:	Workers Empowered to Work (WE Work)
Project Description:	The grantee will offer participants comprehensive education, training, job placement, retention, and supportive services in five rural Tennessee counties that have been adversely affected by automotive-related restructuring. Participants will transition to or advance in careers in high growth sectors of the health care industry
Areas Served by Grant:	Maury, Bedford, Coffee, Marshall and Lawrence counties
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Allied Health, Long-Term Care, and Nursing)
Targeted Credentials:	Diplomas will be awarded for Clinical Medical Assistant, Certified Nurse Aide, Pharmacy Technician, Phlebotomist, and Surgical Technician; A.A.S degrees for Licensed Practical Nurse, Radiologic Technologist, Registered Nurse and Respiratory Therapist. Diplomas and degrees will enable graduates to qualify for certificates and licenses consistent with employer/industry/state standards.
Targeted Occupations:	Certified Nurse Aide; Licensed Practical and Registered Nurse; Emergency Medical Technician; Paramedic; Certified Medical Assistant; Pharmacy, Radiologic and Surgical Technician; Respiratory Therapist and Phlebotomists
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed, dislocated, incumbent workers, high school dropouts, and young adults
All Project partners:	Tennessee Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Local Workforce Investment Area Boards 6 and 10, Tennessee Technology Center at Shelbyville, Tennessee Technology Center at Hohenwald, Maury Regional Medical Center, Tennessee Department of Children Services, and Tennessee Department of Human Services
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	600
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	600
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	420





Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	420
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	294
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	252
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	206
Other Key Project Deliverables:	Community relations materials (e.g., outreach materials, presentations, resource manuals)
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Grant Program:	Health Care Sector and Other High Growth Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Cincinnati State Technical and Community College
Grantee City/State:	Cincinnati, OH
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,935,132
Period of Performance:	March 2010 - February 2013
Project Name:	The Health Careers Collaborative of Greater Cincinnati
Project Description:	The grantee will further develop its existing program, The Collaborative, which has already successfully developed employer-driven career pathways for jobs in the health care industry. This capacity building project will increase programming for nursing and allied health and expand courses for long-term care and health information technology, based on identified industry growth employment opportunities.
Areas Served by Grant:	Cincinnati Standard Metropolitan Statistical Area (SMSA) with a focus on Hamilton and Clermont counties
Targeted Industries:	Nursing, Allied Health, Long Term Care and Health information technology
Targeted Credentials:	Certifications and Advanced Certifications for Nursing, Allied Health, Rehabilitation and Health Information Technology occupations; Associate in Applied Science (A.A.S.) for future Information Technology (IT) pathway for Health Information Technician
Targeted Occupations:	<u>Nursing</u> : Nursing Assistant, Mediation Aide, Community Health Worker, Licensed Practical Nurse, Registered Nurse, Advanced Nurse Practitioner; <u>Allied Health</u> : Phlebotomist, Clinical Lab Technician, Medical Technologist, Electrocardiography Technician, Electroneurodiagnostic Technician, Phlebotomist, Respiratory Therapist, Central Service Technician, Surgical Technician, Surgical First Assistant; <u>Rehabilitation</u> : Geriatric Activities Coordinator, Occupational Therapy Assistant, Occupational Therapist, Restorative Aide, Physical Therapy Assistant, Physical Therapist; <u>Health Information Technology</u> : Health Unit Coordinator, Coding Specialist, Health Information Technician, Health information Administrator
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed, dislocated, and incumbent workers including low-wage workers
All Project partners:	Cincinnati Children’s Hospital Medical Center, Dress for Success Cincinnati, Great Oaks Career Campuses, Health Alliance of Greater Cincinnati, Mercy Neighborhood Ministries, Workforce Investment Board/Super Jobs Centers, TriHealth, Miami University of Middletown, UC





	Clermont College, and Greater Cincinnati Workforce Network
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	750
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities	750
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	650
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	650
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	600
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	600
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	525
Other Key Project Deliverables:	The grantee will develop a new curriculum for Health Information Technology and Health Information Management
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Grant Program:	Health Care Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Columbus State Community College
Grantee City/State:	Columbus, OH
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,605,303
Period of Performance:	March 2010-February 2013
Project Name:	Attracting and Retaining Talent (ART)
Project Description:	Columbus State Community College’s ART program will address a growing local need for a logistics workforce by preparing and training participants for careers in the logistics industry. Prior to beginning the program, all participants will be required to participate in an orientation and comprehensive assessment which will help identify an appropriate course of training, and will help the participant determine an appropriate career path. Training will incorporate classroom and technical training to prepare them to receive a “21st Century Workplace Skills Certificate,” certifying that they have acquired a broad range of basic employability workplace skills.
Areas Served by Grant:	Delaware, Fairfield, Franklin, Licking, Madison, Morrow, Pickaway and Union counties
Targeted Industries:	Logistics
Targeted Credentials:	21 st Century Workplace Skills Certificate; Forklift Operation Certification & Central Ohio Logistics Certificate as well as three hours of college credit
Targeted Occupations:	Laborers/Stock/Material Movers, Ship/Receive/Traffic Clerks, Office Clerks, Bill Clerks/Machine Operators, Dispatchers, Packers/Packagers, Production/Plan Clerks, Customer Service Reps, Sales Rep, First Line Supervisors/Managers of Labor/Material Movers, First Line Supervisors/Managers Transportation, Transportation Storage/District Managers, General Operations Managers
Targeted Populations:	Entry-level, unemployed, underemployed and incumbent workers
All Project partners:	Central Ohio Workforce Investment Corporation, Columbus Chamber of Commerce, Columbus Region Logistics Council, and the Ohio Skills Bank Logistics Employer Panel
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	1,500
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	1,500





Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	1,080
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	875
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	800
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	750
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	900
Other Key Project Deliverables:	N.A.
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Grant Program:	Health Care Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	The Community College of Baltimore County (CCBC)
Grantee City/State:	Baltimore, MD
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,928,654
Period of Performance:	March 2010-February 2013
Project Name:	Maximizing Student Success in Healthcare
Project Description:	The Community College of Baltimore (CCBC) and its School of Health Professions (SHP) will increase program enrollment and decrease attrition in order to maximize the potential for training and placing students in nursing and allied health occupations. In order to accomplish their dual approach to increase graduation rates, CCBC will expand its facilities, and hire additional staff while simultaneously updating its Student Success Support (SSS) package. The SSS program combines a proven model with industry specific services to effectively improved student performance
Areas Served by Grant:	Baltimore City and Baltimore County
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Nursing and Allied Health)
Targeted Credentials:	Associate Degree in Nursing (LPN,ADN); Associate Degree in Respiratory Therapy; LPN Certificate; Certificate of Completion, Certified Nursing Assistant & Nurse Support Technician
Targeted Occupations:	Certified Nursing Assistant, Nursing Support Technician, Licensed Practical Nurse, Registered Nurse, Respiratory Therapist
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed, low income, disadvantaged individuals, and incumbent workers
All Project partners:	St. Agnes Hospital, Kernan Hospital, Genesis Healthcare, St. Ambrose Learn to Earn Program, Baltimore County Public Schools (BCPS), Mayor’s Office of Employment Development (MOED), and Baltimore County Office of Workforce Development
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	2,031
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	2,031
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	INA
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	1,012





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:	855
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	761
Other Key Project Deliverables:	N.A.
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Grant Program:	Health Care and Other High Growth Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Crowder College
Grantee City/State:	Neosho, MO
Grant Award Amount:	\$3,576,760
Period of Performance:	March 2010-February 2013
Project Name:	Health Care Education Project for High Growth/High Demand Occupations
Project Description:	The grantee will train participants to enter and advance in health care careers. The Health Care Education Expansion and Advancement Project will expand opportunities in nursing and allied health programs. It will also implement programs for high-demand occupations for assistants in Occupational Therapy (OT) and Physical Therapy (PT).
Areas Served by Grant:	Barry, Barton, Cedar, Dade, Jasper, Lawrence, McDonald, Newton and Vernon Counties
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Nursing and Allied Health)
Targeted Credentials:	Associate in Applied Science (A.A.S.) degrees for Medical Office Assistant, Health Care Specialist, OT Assistant and Substance Abuse/Addiction Counselor (SAAC) programs. The Missouri Board of Higher Education & Higher Learning Commission has approved the SAAC program. Certificates for Pharmacy Technician & Certified Nurse Assistant (CNA),
Targeted Occupations:	CNA, Emergency Medical Technician, Paramedic, Pharmacy Technician, Medical Records and Health Information Technician, Health Technologist and Technician, Medical Lab Technician, Home Health Aide, Medical Assistant, Physical Therapy and Occupational Therapy Assistant, Substance Abuse/Addiction Counselor
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed, dislocated, and incumbent workers
All Project partners:	Technical Education Center (TEC) Programs & Tech Prep Consortium, Crowder College's TRIO Programs, Crowder College's Adult Education & Literacy Program, Mercy/St. John's Center Cassville/Aurora, Freeman Hospital Systems, Workforce Investment Board of SW Missouri, St. John's Rehabilitation Center, Golden Living Center, Cox Monett Health Center, Able 2 Products, Nevada Regional Medical Center, Barton, Cedar, & Bates County Memorial Hospitals, Metro Emergency Transport System, Freeman Ambulance,, Newton County Ambulance District, Joplin One-Stop Career Center, Alternative Opportunities, Missouri Southern State University, Franklin Technology Center, Southwest Area Career Center in Monett, Carthage Technical Center,





	Nevada Regional Tech Center, and Lamar Area Vo-Tech Center
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	1,750
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	1,750
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	1,575
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	1,575
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	1,417
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	1,260
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	1,071
Other Key Project Deliverables:	N.A.
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Grant Program:	Health Care Sector and Other High Growth Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	DeKalb Technical College (DTC)
Grantee City/State:	Clarkston, GA
Grant Award Amount:	\$2,043,859
Period of Performance:	March 2010-February 2013
Project Name:	DTC Partnership for East Metropolitan Atlanta Paramedic Technology Training and Careers
Project Description:	Through this project, DTC will expand its existing Emergency Medical Technicians (EMT) and Paramedic Technology Programs in order to train unemployed, dislocated and incumbent workers for quick entry or re-entry into the workforce. Funds will be utilized to hire additional instructors, integrate hybrid technology into existing curriculum, and enhance DTC's capacity to provide supportive services. This unique approach will reinforce classroom instruction with online, computer-based resources in order to prepare students to sit for the industry recognized National Registry of EMT's (NREMT) EMT-Intermediate/85 licensing, and National Registry paramedic certification exams.
Areas Served by Grant:	DeKalb, Newton, Rockdale and Morgan counties
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Allied Health)
Targeted Credentials:	EMT Intermediate Certificate Program & Paramedic Technology Diploma (both Georgia State-approved credentials) prepare graduates to sit for licensing exams.
Targeted Occupations:	Emergency Medical Technician & Paramedic
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed, dislocated, and incumbent workers
All Project partners:	Atlanta Region Workforce Board, NE Georgia Workforce Board, Dekalb Workforce Board, Goodwill North Georgia, On Site 911, Grady Emergency Medical Service, Rockland County Fire Division, Newton Medical Center, & Covington Fire Department,
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	280
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	280
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	224
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	224





Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	218
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	210
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	196
Other Key Project Deliverables:	Models for new curriculum approaches (hybrid technology) and new approaches to reducing attrition rates
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Grant Program:	Health Care Sector and Other High Growth Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Enterprise for Employment and Education
Grantee City/State:	Salem, OR
Grant Award Amount:	\$2,373,073
Period of Performance:	March 2010-February 2013
Project Name:	Health Care Opportunities & Career Ladders
Project Description:	The grantee will recruit and train unemployed Latinos, Native Americans, veterans, and Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) recipients for careers in the health care industry. The project will also provide basic skills training, including General Educational Development certification (GED) and Vocational English as a Second Language, as well as career coaching, and mentoring. Support services, including transportation, childcare, and emergency assistance will also be provided. All training activities will lead to industry-recognized certifications.
Areas Served by Grant:	Marion, Polk and Yamhill counties
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Nursing, Long-Term Care, and Allied Health)
Targeted Credentials:	Industry-recognized certification: Certified Nurse Assistant, Licensed Practical Nurse, Medical Office Assistant & Psychiatric Technician
Targeted Occupations:	Certified Nurse Assistant, Licensed Practical Nurse, Medical Office Assistant, Psychiatric Technician & Licensed Practical Nurse
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed Latinos, Native Americans, veterans & TANF recipients.
All Project partners:	Chemeketa Community College, Salem Hospital, Friendsview Retirement Community, Rock of Ages Retirement Community, Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde, Interface Network, Oregon Human Development Corporation, Oregon Department of Human Services, Oregon Health Care Association, and Oregon American Federation of State, County, and Municipal Employees (AFSCME) Council 75
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	363
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	363
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	293





Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	209
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	250
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	210
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	200
Other Key Project Deliverables:	Customized curricula: translation and adaptation to health care of safety training, adaptation to health care of both Spanish & English GED - with emphasis on health care vocabulary and adaptation of English as a Second Language (ESL) to health care vocabulary
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Grant Program:	Health Care Sector and Other High Growth Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Full Employment Council
Grantee City/State:	Kansas City, MO
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,998,344
Period of Performance:	March 2010-February 2013
Project Name:	Greater Kansas City Healthcare and Health Information Technology Careers
Project Description:	The grantee will address the talent acquisition and development challenges in nursing, long-term care and health information technology by focusing on the current and emerging talent pipeline. The training program focuses on business and hiring needs of the health care industry by actively partnering with and engaging hospitals, small businesses and other employers who hire health care workers. The training focuses specifically on long-term care and allied health occupations with skills and competencies that are demanded by employers, such as Certified Nursing Assistants and Home Health Aides. Each course stresses career lattices and continuing education.
Areas Served by Grant:	Clay, Platte, Cass, Ray & Jackson counties, MO and Johnson, Leavenworth & Wyandotte counties, KS
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Nursing, Long-Term Care, and Health Information Technology)
Targeted Credentials:	Certifications in Long Term Care training occupations Associate in Applied Science (A.A.S.) and Bachelor of Science (B.S.) degrees for Nursing Occupation and Allied Health Occupation Training, skill-training certification for low skill/drop outs (General Educational Development or GED prep) and diplomas for Information Technology Occupation training will enable graduates to test for national certification.
Targeted Occupations:	Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA), Certified CNA/CMT Instructor/Examiner, Certified Clinical Supervisor, Certified Medication Technician, Certified Restorative Nursing Assistant, Certified Nursing Assistant Mentor as Teacher, Medical Record Technician, Health Information Technician, Billing/Coding Specialist
Targeted Populations:	Incumbent, unemployed, underemployed, low income and dislocated workers, out-of-school disconnected youth, Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) & Food Stamp recipients, and Unemployment Insurance profilers.





All Project partners:	Kansas City Metropolitan Healthcare Council, Kansas City Area Nurse Executives, Greater Kansas City Chamber of Commerce, Healthcare Foundation of Greater Kansas City, Collegiate Nurse Educators of Greater Kansas City, United Services Community Action Agency, Kansas Workforce Partnership and the Workforce Investment Board for Kansas Local Area III, Metropolitan Community College, University of Central Missouri, John Knox Village, Care Center of Kansas City, Golden Ventures, and Bishop Spencer Place,
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	1800
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	1800
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	1500
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	1445
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	690
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	690
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	552
Other Key Project Deliverables:	N.A.
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Grant Program:	Health Care and Other High Growth Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Fulton Montgomery Community College
Grantee City/State:	Johnstown, NY
Grant Award Amount:	\$2,865,657
Period of Performance:	March 2010-February 2013
Project Name:	Healthcare Employment and Leadership Training Hub (HEALTH)
Project Description:	The Healthcare Employment and Leadership Training Hub program will result in the employment and career advancement of Certified Nursing Assistants (CNA) and Registered Nurses. This will be accomplished by developing professional competencies, enhancing occupational capabilities, and propelling participants' nursing career potential through a lattice of advancement that emphasizes job placement. The program offers pathways to employment and advancement along the continuum of professional nursing.
Areas Served by Grant:	Fulton, Montgomery and Schoharie counties
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Nursing)
Targeted Credentials:	CNA graduates: NY State recognized CNA training certificate; Nursing Supervisory graduates: Supervisory Certificate recognized by employers; Two stage Registered Nurse (RN) Program graduates: Associate in Applied Science (A.A.S.) degrees
Targeted Occupations:	Registered Nurse, Direct Certified Nursing Assistant, Certified Nursing Assistant, and Nursing Supervisor
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed and incumbent workers
All Project partners:	Nathan Littaeur Hospital; St. Mary's Hospital;, Wells Nursing Home; Board of Cooperative Educational Services; Centro Civico; Fulmont Community Action Agency; St. Johnsville Rehabilitation Center; Mount Loretta Nursing Home; River Ridge Living Center; Fulton County Residential Facility; Wells Nursing Home; Fulton, Montgomery, Schoharie Workforce Development Board; Fulton County Department of Social Services
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	260
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	260
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	233





Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	233
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	233
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	233
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	100%
Other Key Project Deliverables:	N.A.
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Grant Program:	Health Care Sector and Other High Growth Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Goodwill Industries, Inc., Serving Eastern Nebraska and Southwest Iowa
Grantee City/State:	Omaha, NE
Grant Award Amount:	\$2,007,846
Period of Performance:	March 2010-February 2013
Project Name:	Customer Contact Training
Project Description:	Goodwill Industries, Inc., in collaboration with Metropolitan Community College, will recruit, train, and prepare workers for customer contact positions in the insurance and banking industries. Participants will learn the specific skills they need to excel in these jobs, including hands-on experience with technology, basic knowledge of the insurance and banking industries, and the ability to serve challenging customers as they earn 26.5 college credits and work towards a Customer Contact Specialist Diploma. In addition, career coaches will ensure participants' success by providing one-on-one guidance and curriculum development.
Areas Served by Grant:	Omaha Metropolitan Area
Targeted Industries:	Insurance and Banking
Targeted Credentials:	Customer Contact Specialist Diploma (employer recognized) & 26.5 college credits
Targeted Occupations:	Customer Contact Specialists
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed workers
All Project partners:	Metropolitan Community College, First National Bank, Mutual of Omaha, BlueCross BlueShield of Nebraska, Tri-County Workforce Investment Board, Nebraska State Department of Health and Human Services,
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	200
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	200
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	148
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	140
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	110





Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	101
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	76
Other Key Project Deliverables:	Outreach materials, program design, in-house evaluations and lessons learned
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Grant Program:	Health Care and Other High Growth Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Governors State University
Grantee City/State:	University Park, IL
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,994,686
Period of Performance:	March 2010-February 2013
Project Name:	Health Care Jobs for Chicago Southland
Project Description:	The grantee will design and implement a regional strategy to train participants for careers in high demand health care sectors. Participants will receive education and training to prepare them for health care occupations. Participants may receive assessment services, occupational training, supportive services, and job placement services. Participants served through the project will be placed in hospitals, outpatient clinics, physicians' offices, and nursing homes. The grantee will provide education and training leading to credentials and certification.
Areas Served by Grant:	South Suburban Cook and Will counties
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Nursing, Allied Health, Long-Term Care, and Health Information Technology)
Targeted Credentials:	Associate in Applied Science (A.A.S.) degrees in Medical Assisting, Surgical Technology, Pharmacy Technician and Nursing; certificate for graduates of state-approved Practical Nursing curriculum
Targeted Occupations:	Nurses Aides, Licensed Practical Nurses, Direct Support Professionals, and Surgical Technicians.
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed individuals, dislocated workers, and low-wage workers
All Project partners:	Southland Health Care Forum, SouthSTAR Services, Robert Morris University, Coalition of African American Nurses (CAAN), Academy of Nursing; Healthcare Consortium of Illinois, YWCA of Metropolitan Chicago, Proactive Community Services, and South Metropolitan Higher Education Consortium
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	2200
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	2000
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	1000
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	800





Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	750
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	750
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	500
Other Key Project Deliverables:	N.A.
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Grant Program:	Health Care Sector and Other High Growth Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Hudson Valley Community College (HVCC)
Grantee City/State:	Troy, NY
Grant Award Amount:	\$3,382,200
Period of Performance:	March 2010-February 2013
Project Name:	Biotechnology & Bio-Manufacturing-Redefining the Workforce
Project Description:	The project will train or retrain unemployed workers and high school and community college students in the rapidly emerging fields of bioscience, biotechnology, and bio-manufacturing. HVCC and two area high schools will serve as hubs for adult education biotechnology centers. Participants will complete training in education pathways that lead to industry-recognized certificates and/or an Associate in Applied Science degree (A.A.S.) in biotechnology. Another bio-manufacturing certificate is in development and will meet the expressed needs of pharmaceutical biotechnology companies
Areas Served by Grant:	Albany, Rensselaer, Schenectady & Saratoga counties and other New York State areas
Targeted Industries:	Biotechnology/Bio-manufacturing
Targeted Credentials:	Associate in Applied Science (A.A.S.) degree-biotechnology meets state-defined standards & is accepted by regional employers; state-approved Biotechnology certificate; Bio-manufacturing certificate pending state approval
Targeted Occupations:	Occupations in the bioscience, biotechnology, and bio-manufacturing industries.
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed workers, and high school and college students
All Project partners:	Capital Region Workforce Investment Board; The Center for Economic Growth; AMRI (Albany Molecular Research, Inc.); Regeneron Pharmaceuticals, Inc.; University at Albany - State University of New York; Albany Medical College, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute (RPI); Albany High School; Averill Park High School; Questar III Board of Cooperative Educational Services (BOCES) and The Capital District Educational Opportunity Center
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	480
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	480





Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	415
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	415
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:	400
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	INA
Other Key Project Deliverables:	N.A.
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Grant Program:	Health Care Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Indianapolis Private Industry Council, Inc.
Grantee City/State:	Indianapolis, IN
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,885,812
Period of Performance:	March 2010-February 2013
Project Name:	HEALTHCAREers
Project Description:	This project focuses on strengthening the pipeline of health care workers with particular emphasis on moving incumbent workers up the career ladder. The project will elevate incumbent workers into the most critical-to-fill occupation in the region's hospital industry: Registered Nursing. Training will be provided through an Associate of Science in Nursing degree program taught on the campus of Clarian Health Partners, Indiana's largest health care provider. Simultaneously, the project will recruit dislocated and unemployed workers for credentialed education associated with the full spectrum of the non-physician/non-management career lattices.
Areas Served by Grant:	Indianapolis region (urban/suburban region)
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Nursing)
Targeted Credentials:	Associate of Science in Nursing, Central Service Technician Certificate, Patient Access Certificate
Targeted Occupations:	Registered Nurse, Medical Assistants, Patient Assess Reps
Targeted Populations:	Dislocated auto workers, unemployed and incumbent workers
All Project partners:	Region 5 Workforce Board (EGR5), Clarian Health, Community Health Network, Richard L. Roudebush VA Medical Center, University of Indianapolis, Ivy Tech Community College, Greater Marion County United Auto Workers (UAW), Wishard Health Services, St. Vincent Health Metropolitan Indianapolis Central Indian-Area Health Education Center,
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	1100
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	605
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	515





Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	515
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	515
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	515
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	438
Other Key Project Deliverables:	N.A.
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Grant Program:	Health Care Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Iowa Workforce Development
Grantee City/State:	Des Moines, IA
Grant Award Amount:	\$3,403,164
Period of Performance:	March 2010-February 2013
Project Name:	Pathways to Health Care Careers-Iowa
Project Description:	The partnership will recruit, screen, and provide training and support services to Limited English Proficient (LEP) refugees and immigrants in Iowa to help them pursue careers in the health care industry. This project will directly address the needs for: 1) qualified individuals to enter the health care profession; skilled personnel who are bi-lingual to best serve the growing number of new Iowans who do not speak English and who come from differing backgrounds and cultures; and 2) additional services to assist refugees and immigrants in overcoming the language and culture barriers that affect their ability to reach their employment goals.
Areas Served by Grant:	Des Moines, Perry, Marshalltown, and Storm Lake
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Nursing, Allied Health, Health Information Technology)
Targeted Credentials:	Nationally recognized certifications for Emergency Medical Technician-Basic & Paramedic, Medical Assistant, Medication Aide, Surgical Technologist, Nursing Assistant, Medical Billing and Coding Assistant
Targeted Occupations:	Medical Billing & Coding, Paramedic/Emergency Medical Technician, Nursing Assistant, Medical Assistant, Surgical Technologist, Medication Aide
Targeted Populations:	Limited- English proficient refugees and immigrants
All Project partners:	Iowa Workforce Development, Mercy College of Health Sciences, Iowa Bureau of Refugee Services, Mercy Medical Center
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	274
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	274
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	242
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	180





Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	211
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	INA
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	199/189
Other Key Project Deliverables:	N.A.
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Grant Program:	Health Care Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Ivy Tech Community College of Indiana
Grantee City/State:	Indianapolis, IN
Grant Award Amount:	\$ 5,000,000
Period of Performance:	March 2010-February 2013
Project Name:	Training Workers for Three Indiana High Growth Industries
Project Description:	Ivy Tech Community College and its partners will implement a state-wide project – operating in 37 of Indiana’s 45 counties—to train unemployed and displaced workers for careers in the Advanced Manufacturing, Transportation Distribution & Logistics (TDL), and Information Technology sectors. Local workforce partners will refer potential participants to Ivy Tech. Upon completion of a skill gap analysis, participants will receive a Work Keys Career Readiness Credential, Basic Skills remediation instruction, and will enroll in a certificate or degree program.
Areas Served by Grant:	Hancock, Johnson, Marion, Boone, Hamilton, Hendricks, Morgan, Shelby, Bartholomew, Decatur, Jackson, Johnson, Brown, Jennings, Blackford, Delaware, Henry, Grant, Jay, Randolph, Madison, Cass, Howard, Miami, Tipton, Fulton, Wabash, Carroll, Fountain, Montgomery, Tippecanoe, Benton, Clinton, Warren White, Elkhart, St. Joseph, Kosciusko, Marshall, Adams, Allen DeKalb, LaGrange, Noble, Steuben, Wells Whitely, Huntington, Fayette, Franklin, Rush, Union, Wayne, DuBois, Gibson, Perry, Spencer, Daviess, Knows, Pike, Posey, Vanderburgh & Warrick counties
Targeted Industries:	Advanced Manufacturing, Transportation Distribution & Logistics, and Information Technology
Targeted Credentials:	Certificates and A.A.S. degree in Advanced Manufacturing, certificates and degrees in Transportation, Distribution & Logistics, certificates & degrees in Computers & IT
Targeted Occupations:	Welder, Metalworker, Industrial Electrician, HVAC Technician, Industrial Product Technician, Truck Driver, Supply Chain Professional, Logistics Associate, Logistics Technician, Warehousing & Distribution Specialist, Network Associate, Convergence Technologies Professional
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed and displaced workers
All Project partners:	State Workforce Innovation Council (SWIC), Indianapolis Private Industry Council, Indiana Department of





	Workforce Development, regional WorkOnes, Conexus Advanced Manufacturing & Logistics, Tech Point, Chamber of Commerce, Indiana Economic Development Corporation, Family and Social Services Administration, Central Indiana Ivy Tech, WorkOne, One America, Reebok, Denison Parking, Farm Bureau Insurance, BitWise Solutions, Cummins, Electro-Spec, Tecumseh Area Partnership Inc. Regional Workforce Board, Wabash National Corporation, Greater Lafayette Chamber of Commerce, and Hayes International
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	2,916
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	1,458
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	1,312
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	1,181
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	1,023
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	984
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	849
Other Key Project Deliverables:	200 incumbent worker will retain or advance in jobs following training
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Grant Program:	Healthcare Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Kern Community College District (KCCD)
Grantee City/State:	Bakersfield, CA
Grant Award Amount:	\$2,768,572
Period of Performance:	March 2010 - February 2013
Project Name:	Southern Sierra Clean Energy Collaborative's Re-employment Project
Project Description:	The grantee will train unemployed, dislocated, and incumbent workers for technician and construction employment in the renewable energy industry. Participants will complete training in three renewable energy industry occupations that include: utility worker, wind technician, and solar technician. The project will provide hands-on industry training through classroom training, on-the-job-training/work experience, and occupational-specific group field training experiences with local employers.
Areas Served by Grant:	Kern County: Bakersfield, Delano & Ridgecrest (urban); Arvin/Lamont, California City, Shafter, Taft, Tehachapi & Wasco (rural); Tulare Co.: Porterville (urban); Mono Co.: Bishop, Lone Pine, Big Pine & Independence (rural); Inyo Co.: Mammoth Lakes (rural)
Targeted Industries:	Renewable Energy Generation, Transmission and Distribution
Targeted Credentials:	Project participants who complete training will be provided with an industry-recognized certificate.
Targeted Occupations:	Operation and Maintenance Technicians, Utility Workers, Construction Workers, Wind Techs, Solar PV Techs, Solar Concentrating Thermal Power (CSP)/Thermal Techs
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed, dislocated, and incumbent workers





<p>All Project partners:</p>	<p>Kern Inyo Mono Workforce Investment Board, Tulare Workforce Investment Board, Albiassa, NextEra Energy Resources, Terra-Gen Power, Southern California Edison, California Wind Energy Association, Independent Energy Producers Association, Kern Economic Development Corporation, Green Employer Council, Career Technical Education/Tech Prep Collaborative, Kern County High School District - Adult Education Regional Occupational Program, Bakersfield, Cerro Coso & Portersville Colleges, Taft College/West Kern District, U.C. Davis California Wind Energy Collaborative, Sheet Metal Workers International Association Local 105, The Housing Authority of County of Kern, the County of Kern Engineering and Survey Services Department and County of Kern Engineering General Services Division, Southern Sierra Clean Energy Collaborative, Southern California Edison</p>
Projected outcomes:	
<p>Total number of participants served:</p>	<p>650</p>
<p>Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:</p>	<p>650</p>
<p>Total number of participants completing education/training activities:</p>	<p>600</p>
<p>Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:</p>	<p>600</p>
<p>Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:</p>	<p>565</p>
<p>Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:</p>	<p>485</p>
<p>Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:</p>	<p>525</p>





<p>Other Key Project Deliverables:</p>	<p>Project deliverables include:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. American Wind Energy Association (AWEA) - aligned wind technician curriculum including with industry-requested hydraulics, troubleshooting, PLCs, and re-powering topics.2. DACUM (Developing A CurriculUM) /WorkKeys Job Task Analysis for entry level utility-scale solar PV and Concentrating Thermal Power (CSP) /Thermal technicians and wind energy production analysis skills.3. Realigned solar PV and CSP/Thermal curriculum. Updated curriculum modifications and alignment with industry and AWEA national training standards will be vetted by industry and academic partners, the Green Employer Council and industry experts.
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Grant Program:	Healthcare Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Louisiana Technical College, Greater Acadiana Region 4
Grantee City/State:	Lafayette, LA
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,859,040
Period of Performance:	March 2010 - February 2013
Project Name:	Transportation Jobs Supporting South Louisiana's Intermodal Gateway
Project Description:	The grantee will train and upgrade participants' skills in several career pathways related to the region's transportation industry – a sector that is being transformed by new technologies including alternative fuel engines and the logistics needed to operate intermodal facilities. Participants will explore careers at shipping and receiving centers and be placed in customized training programs including industrial/agricultural mechanics, aviation technology, heavy equipment operation, and business services for warehousing and distribution.
Areas Served by Grant:	The project will serve the rural parishes of Acadia, Evangeline, Iberia, St. Landry, St. Martin, Lafayette, and Vermillion.
Targeted Industries:	Transportation
Targeted Credentials:	Louisiana Community and Technical College System Certifications (LCTCS): Technical Competency , Technical Studies, Technical Diploma ; Associate of Applied Science (Louisiana Board of Regents); National Center for Construction Education and Research (NCCER); Airframe & Powerplant Mechanic Automotive Service Excellence (ASE); National Safety Council
Targeted Occupations:	Industrial/Diesel Machinery Mechanic, Aircraft/Truck/Auto Mechanics, Truck Drivers, Heavy/Tractor-Trailer/Light-duty, Excavating/Loading Machine/Drumline Operators/Industrial Truck and Tractor Operators/Crane and Hoist Operators Shipping, Receiving, and Traffic Clerks
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed and low-wage workers
All Project partners:	Iberia Parish Government, The Acadiana Regional Airport Authority, Industrial Development Foundation (IDF), Iberia Economic Development Authority (IDEA), The Greater Iberia Chamber of Commerce, Workforce Investment Boards #40 and #41, Francis Drilling Fluids, Hi-Tech Automotive, Cargill Salt, Louisiana Community and Technical College System, and Aggreko





Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	1220
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	1030
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	854
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	768
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:	683
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	478
Other Key Project Deliverables:	NA
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Grant Program:	Healthcare Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Los Rios Community College District
Grantee City/State:	Sacramento, CA
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,988,561
Period of Performance:	March 2010 - February 2013
Project Name:	The Los Rios Community College District HealthForce Project: A project designed to teach workers necessary skills for, and help them pursue careers in, high growth health care sector jobs.
Project Description:	The grantee will establish the HealthForce Institute of workforce development programs and services supporting the health care industry in the greater Sacramento region. The HealthForce Initiative will maintain an already increased rate of production of Registered Nurses to address the region’s chronic shortage of nurses. The project will also improve the employability of new nurse graduates, nurses returning to the workplace, and returning veterans with health care skills, by offering “nursing residency” training programs that link Associate’s degrees to Bachelor’s and Master’s degrees. Specialized post-Associate degree programs will be offered in medical/surgical acute care, critical care, gerontology/long-term care, and blood banking and infusion nursing. Nursing cohorts will be composed of graduates from Associate and advanced degree backgrounds to enhance the employability, specialty skills, and currency of the trainees.
Areas Served by Grant:	Greater Sacramento Region (Urban and suburban; not automotive related)
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Nursing, Allied Health and Health Information Technology)
Targeted Credentials:	Registered Nurse (RN) - Associate Degree, Nursing; Completion of National Council Licensure Examinations for Practical and Registered Nurses (NCLEX-PN and NCLEX-RN) exam, Accreditation: CA Board of Registered Nursing; Medical Lab Tech (MLT) - Associate Degree in MLT, Accreditation: Nat. Accrediting Agency for Clinical Laboratory Science; Medical Sonographer - 60 semester credits and a clinical internship, Accreditation: Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA)
Targeted Occupations:	Medical Laboratory Technicians, Registered Nurses, Medical Sonographer
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed, dislocated and incumbent workers including low-wage workers





All Project partners:	American River College, Cosumnes River College, Sacramento City College, Folsom Lake College, Sacramento Employment and Training Agency, BloodSource, Sutter Health, Kaiser Permanente, Mercy Hospitals, Sutter Health, Betty Irene Moore School of Nursing at University of California Davis, and UC Davis Medical Center, Catholic Healthcare West, Sacramento State University and UC Davis
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	770
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	680
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	613
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	613
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	205
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	202
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	597
Other Key Project Deliverables:	<p>The HealthForce Initiative project proposes to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maintain an already increased rate of production of Registered Nurses to address the chronic shortage of nurses regionally and improve the employability of new nurse graduates, nurses returning to the workplace from temporary stop-outs, and returning veterans with healthcare skills, by offering “nursing residency” training programs that are on pathways linking Associate’s degrees to Bachelor’s and Master’s degrees. Specialized post Associate Degree





	<p>programs will be offered in medical/surgical acute care, critical care, gerontology/long term care, and blood banking and infusion nursing.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop, launch, and deploy a new regional training program for Medical Laboratory Technologists, using existing curriculum. This program will allow regional healthcare providers to control costs of the increasing needs of diagnostic testing by providing skilled technician level workers to augment the work of professional level Clinical Laboratory Scientists. • Develop, launch, and deploy a new accredited regional training program for Diagnostic Medical Sonographers, using existing curriculum. • Provide an entry-level training program in medical digital record keeping and informatics to bridge incumbent workers from hand-written records to the emerging electronic medical record. This program will bridge workers from entry-level computer skills to the training offered by employers on their in-house electronic medical record software systems. • Partner with healthcare providers to increase the employment rates of graduates of the regional healthcare training programs, strengthen career awareness of students and graduates, and transition them when appropriate from critically impacted programs to less impacted alternatives. • Create a strong pipeline in the continuum of educational opportunities in healthcare with outreach to K-12 and articulation to four-year colleges and universities.
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Grant Program:	Healthcare Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Macomb Community College
Grantee City/State:	Warren, MI
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,971,642
Period of Performance:	March 2010 - February 2013
Project Name:	Defense Education and Training
Project Description:	The grantee will prepare workers in Southeast Michigan for jobs in the defense industry by filling knowledge and skill needs in acquisitions and logistics, engineering and advanced technology. The training will prepare participants with the necessary leadership and business skills required for further training in advanced, defense-oriented engineering and information technology. Participants also may pursue more advanced skills training through the grantee's new relationship with Defense Acquisition University. The grantee and its partners will provide support services, including remediation for workers who lack basic skills, wrap around services to support appropriate access to child care and transportation, and intensive job preparation, placement, and referral.
Areas Served by Grant:	Lapeer, Livingston, Macomb, Oakland, St. Clair, and Wayne Counties, MI
Targeted Industries:	Defense Acquisitions, Logistics, Engineering & Technology
Targeted Credentials:	Certificates of completion and credits toward degrees; Credits toward an Associate's Degree in Business; Credits toward degree programs including Associate Degree in Automated Systems Technology, Manufacturing Technology, Electronic Engineering Technology, Welding or Business
Targeted Occupations:	Procurement Clerks; Information and Record Clerks; all other Transportation, Storage, and Distribution Managers; Purchasing Agents and Buyers; Farm Products Wholesale and Retail buyers, except Farm Products Logisticians; Business operation specialists; all other Accountants and Auditors; Management analysts; Computer-Controlled Machine Tool Operators, Metal and Plastic; Numerical tool and process control programmers; Computer support specialists; Electrical and electronic engineering technicians; engineers; Engineers - Computer Software, Electrical , Industrial, Materials, Mechanical; Engineering managers; Computer and information systems managers
Targeted Populations:	Veterans, unemployed individuals, and dislocated workers
All Project partners:	Southeast Michigan Community College Consortium, St. Clair





	Michigan Works! Agency, General Dynamics Land Systems, BAE Systems, National Defense Industrial Association, Detroit Regional Chamber, Wayne State University, Ferris State University, Defense Acquisition University, L'anse Creuse Public Schools, Michigan Department of Military and Veterans Affairs, Michigan Veterans Association, and United Auto Workers (UAW)/General Motors, Southeast Michigan Works! Agency Council, U.S. Army's TACOM, TARDEC and Detroit Arsenal, General Dynamics Land Systems, BAE, Visioneering, Talascend, Corporation for a Skilled Workforce (CSW)
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	2320
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	1760
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	1330
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	654
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	1267
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	883
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	1014
Other Key Project Deliverables:	<p>MCC has several goals and objectives in pursuing this grant:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. meet talent needs of employers through defined education/training pipeline, 2. assist workers in entering careers in defense, 3. support workers in achieving educational goals and long-term employment,





	4. provide workers with skills relevant to defense but applicable to multiple other industries.
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Grant Program:	Healthcare Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Maine Department of Labor
Grantee City/State:	Augusta, ME
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,892,213
Period of Performance:	March 2010 - February 2013
Project Name:	A Multi-Sector Partnership to Accelerate Credentialing and Employment in Maine’s High-Demand Health Care Occupations
Project Description:	Project partners will use a Maine-based, employer approved, Health Care Career Lattice as a tool to help workers identify their career path and the types of credentials and training programs they need to complete in order to obtain a higher paying, higher skill job. As workers move up their career paths to higher skilled jobs, the positions they vacate will provide employment for the next wave of people in the process of earning credentials and moving up the career ladder.
Areas Served by Grant:	Maine
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Nursing and Allied Health)
Targeted Credentials:	All project activities are designed to end in completion of a training program and attainment of the related certificate or degree.
Targeted Occupations:	Nurses, Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA), Medical Assistants, Radiography Technician, Surgical Technician, Allied Health
Targeted Populations:	Incumbent workers, displaced workers, unemployed workers
All Project partners:	Tri-County Workforce Investment Board, Central/Western Maine Workforce Investment Board, Eastern Maine Medical Center, Acadia Hospital, Aroostook Medical Center, Sebecook Valley Hospital, Inland Hospital, Blue Hill Memorial Hospital, C.A. Dean Memorial Hospital and Nursing Home, Mercy Health System of Maine, University of Maine at Orono, University of Maine at Fort Kent, Husson University, Saint Joseph’s College, University of Southern Maine, Maine Department of Labor - Maine Apprenticeship Program, Maine Department of Education, Maine Department of Labor – Bureau of Employment Services, Medical Center College of Nursing and Health Professions, St. Mary’s Health System, CMCC School of Nursing, Maine General Health, Coastal Counties Workforce Inc., MaineHealth, Mercy Hospital, Eastern Maine HomeCare, Maine Institute for Human Genetics





	and Health and Rosscare; Visiting Nurses of Southern Maine, Maine Medical Center, Maine Physician-Hospital Organization, Miles Health Care, NorDx, PracticePartners, St. Andrews Hospital and Healthcare Center, Spring Harbor Hospital, Southern Maine Medical Center, Synernet, Waldo County Memorial Hospital, Western Maine Healthcare, MaineGeneral Health, Mid-Coast Health System, New England Rehabilitation Hospital, PenBay Health Care, Sisters of Charity Health System; Aroostook & Washington Counties Workforce Investment Board; Central/Western Maine Workforce Investment Board serving Androscoggin, Franklin, Kennebec, Oxford, and Somerset Counties; and Coastal Counties Workforce Inc. serving Waldo, Knox, Lincoln, Sagadahoc, Cumberland, and York Counties
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	400
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	400
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	346
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	332
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	310
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	310
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	280
Other Key Project Deliverables:	NA





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Grant Program:	Healthcare Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Maryville University - St. Louis
Grantee City/State:	St. Louis, MO
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,699,354
Period of Performance:	March 2010 - February 2013
Project Name:	Nursing Career Advancement for Displaced and Incumbent Workers
Project Description:	The grantee will provide a Weekend and Evening College (WEC) pre-licensure Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) program for 64 students; a BSN Completion Program for 90 nurses at the diploma or associate degree level; and a Rehabilitation Nursing Certificate for registered nurses (RNs) and training for licensed practical nurses (LPNs) and licensed vocational nurses (LVNs) for 160 individuals. These academic programs will be delivered within Maryville University's existing nursing programs for adult students. Expanding current healthcare programs will provide dislocated, incumbent, and unemployed workers with opportunities to enter or advance within the growing health care sector in the St. Louis region. In addition to education and training, the grantee's strategic partners will provide career counseling, job placement and employment for students.
Areas Served by Grant:	St. Charles and St. Louis Counties, MO
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Nursing)
Targeted Credentials:	Pre-licensure Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) program; Degree - Registered Nurse License (when licensing exam is passed); BSN completion program; The Rehabilitation Nursing Certificate and Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurses (LPN/LVNs); Certificate – Registered Nurses (RNs) could become certified
Targeted Occupations:	Registered Nurses (RNs), Licensed Practical Nurses (LPNs) and Licensed Vocational Nurses (LVNs)
Targeted Populations:	Dislocated, incumbent, and unemployed workers
All Project partners:	St. Luke's Hospital, RehabCare, Saint Louis County Human Services – Workforce Development, SSM Health Care St. Louis, Maryville University, RehabCare
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	314
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	INA
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	INA





Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	INA
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:	INA
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	INA
Other Key Project Deliverables:	NA
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Grant Program:	Healthcare Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Maysville Community and Technical College
Grantee City/State:	Maysville, KY
Grant Award Amount:	\$2,007,637
Period of Performance:	March 2010 - February 2013
Project Name:	Increased Training for Regional Enhancements in Nursing (I-TRAIN)
Project Description:	The grantee will develop curriculum and support services to accelerate and enhance the education of adult learners interested in nursing careers. The project will also expand training opportunities to increase access and availability to nursing education, by expanding the capacity of Maysville Community and Technical College’s Registered Nursing (RN) program and providing night and weekend classes for the RN program and other courses and clinical opportunities.
Areas Served by Grant:	The project will serve a 17-county rural region in northeastern Kentucky, including: Mason, Carter, Lewis, Fleming, Robertson, Bracken, Elliott, Morgan, Menifee, Montgomery, Harrison, Bourbon, Nicholas, Powell, Bath, Rowan, and Wolf. Additionally – related by automotive-related restructuring: Bourbon, Bracken, Carter, Fleming, and Montgomery Counties, KY
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Nursing)
Targeted Credentials:	Nurse Aid – State Certification Practical Nursing – State Exam and Licensure Registered Nursing – State Exam and Licensure
Targeted Occupations:	Nursing
Targeted Populations:	Underprepared adult workers
All Project partners:	Maysville Community and Technical College, TENCO Workforce Investment Board and One-Stop System, Meadowview Regional Medical Center, Harrison Memorial Hospital, Kentucky Community and Technical College System
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	475* *NOTE: Number of participants included the total number of students admitted into the new RN programs (100), number FastStart for health care student participants (100) and college success workshop participants (300).
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	100





Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	30 (50 participants will still be enrolled at the end of the grant award period)
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	30 (50 participants will still be enrolled at the end of the grant award period)
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	25 (50 participants will still be enrolled at the end of the grant award period)
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	25 (50 participants will still be enrolled at the end of the grant award period)
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	25 (50 participants will still be enrolled at the end of the grant award period)
Other Key Project Deliverables:	NA
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Grant Program:	Healthcare Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Mid-South Community College
Grantee City/State:	West Memphis, AR
Grant Award Amount:	\$3,391,053
Period of Performance:	March 2010 - February 2013
Project Name:	Arkansas Delta Airframe & Powerplant Technician Training Project
Project Description:	The grantee will develop an integrated, Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) - certified training program for airframe and powerplant technicians. Utilizing internships and on-the-job training, participants will gain the needed experience to enter the aviation industry. The grantee will develop an FAA-certified training program that will be disseminated and utilized by schools in Los Angeles, Indianapolis, and New York.
Areas Served by Grant:	12 counties affected in eastern Arkansas: Arkansas, Crittenden, St. Francis, Mississippi, Poinsett, Craighead, Jackson, Monroe, Cross, Woodruff, Lee and Phillips
Targeted Industries:	Aviation Technology
Targeted Credentials:	Basic Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) Airframe and Powerplant (A&P) Certification
Targeted Occupations:	Airframe & Powerplant (A&P) Technicians
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed, dislocated, and incumbent workers
All Project partners:	Mid-South Community College, Arkansas Northeastern College, Arkansas Delta Training and Education Consortium, Workforce Investment Board of Eastern Arkansas, FedEx, and Aviation Repair Technologies
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	600
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	480
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	384
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	307
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:	230 (75% of all completers)
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	207 (90% of all employed)
Other Key Project Deliverables:	NA
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Grant Program:	Healthcare Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Mt. San Antonio Community College District
Grantee City/State:	Walnut, CA
Grant Award Amount:	\$2,239,714
Period of Performance:	March 2010 - February 2013
Project Name:	Fast-Track Training for High-Wage Jobs in the Emerging “Green” Building Automation Systems Industry
Project Description:	The project will train unemployed and low-wage workers in skills required to enter and advance in Building Automation Systems’ (BAS) occupations. BAS controls technicians work in building maintenance, energy management, and direct digital controls (DDC) positions installing, programming, maintaining, and selling mechanical equipment designed to provide fire safety, security, and energy cost savings.
Areas Served by Grant:	Cities of: Baldwin Park, Chino, Chino Hills, Covina, Diamond Bar, El Monte, Fontana, Glendora, Hacienda Heights, Industry, Irwindale, La Puente, La Verne, Montclair, Ontario, Pico Rivera, Ponomo, Rancho Cucamonga, San Dimas, Santé Fe Springs, South El Monte, Upland, Walnut, West Covina, and Whittier; Counties of: Los Angeles, CA and San Bernardino, CA
Targeted Industries:	Heating/Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Building Automation Systems (BAS)
Targeted Credentials:	Building Automation Systems (BAS) certificate program
Targeted Occupations:	Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Controls Technicians; Building Maintenance Technicians; Energy Management Technicians; Energy Management Commissioning Technicians; Direct Digital Control Programmers; and Direct Digital Control Sales/Project Managers
Targeted Populations:	Displaced, unemployed, and low-wage incumbent workers
All Project partners:	Rio Hondo College; Chaffey College; Rio Hondo College; LA Works; Los Angeles Urban League (LAUL)-Pomona; Rosemead & Los Altos High Schools; ABM Engineering Services; Advanced Automated Systems; Air-Ex Air Conditioning, Inc.; Aire Rite Air Conditioning & Refrigeration, Inc.; Integrity Automated Solutions; Retrofit Service Company, Inc.; Source Refrigeration & HVAC, Inc.; TMCI, Inc.; Ponomo WorkSource Center;





Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	576 The project will serve at least 192 participants per year, for a total of 576 participants throughout the project period.
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	144 The strategic partnership will enroll two cohorts of 24 students during the first year of the grant. At a minimum, the partners will enroll at least 48 participants per year, for a total of 144 participants throughout the project period. (Based on industry demand, the colleges will increase the number of cohorts per year.)
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	120 At least 40 participants per year will complete the education activities, for a total of 120 participants throughout the project period.
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	120 At least 40 participants per year will receive a certificate, for a total of 120 participants throughout the project period.
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	108 At least 36 participants per year will be placed into unsubsidized employment upon completion of education activities, for a total of 108 participants throughout the project period.
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	102 At least 34 participants will be placed into training-related unsubsidized employment upon completion of education activities, for a total of 102 participants throughout the project period.
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	96 At least 32 participants placed in unsubsidized employment will be retained in the first and second quarters following initial placement, for a total of 96 participants throughout the project period.
Other Key Project Deliverables:	NA
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Grant Program:	Healthcare Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	National Council of La Raza
Grantee City/State:	Washington, DC
Grant Award Amount:	\$3,457,516
Period of Performance:	March 2010 - February 2013
Project Name:	Carreras en Salud – Chicago’s Health Care Career Pathway Partnership
Project Description:	The grantee will expand on an existing program to provide participants a flexible, multi-entry career pathway to progressively more skilled nursing and related health occupations. The range of careers includes Certified Nursing Assistant and Certified Medical Assistant to Licensed Practical Nurse and Registered Nurse. Occupational training and English language training with a vocational focus are included among the program’s 10 levels and components.
Areas Served by Grant:	Chicago and Cook County, IL
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Nursing and Allied Health)
Targeted Credentials:	Certified Nurse Assistant (CNA); Medical Assistant (CMA); Licensed Practical/Vocational Nurse (LPN/LVN); Registered Nurse (RN); State (CNA) and/or professional association (CMA) certification or state licensure (LPN and ADN); National Council Licensure Examinations for practical and registered nurses (NCLEX-PN and NCLEX-RN).
Targeted Occupations:	Medical Assistants and other healthcare support occupations, Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA), Certified Medical Assistant (CMA), Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN), Registered Nurse, Occupational Therapy Assistant, Radiology Technician, Nursing Home Administrator
Targeted Populations:	Latinos, age 18 and older, who currently work in low-skill, low-wage jobs, unemployed and/or dislocated workers
All Project partners:	National Council of La Raza (NCLR), Humboldt Park Vocational Education Center (HPVEC) of Wilbur Wright College, Instituto del Progreso Latino, Association House of Chicago, Chicago Workforce Investment Council, Greater Humboldt Park Community of Wellness, Instituto in Pilsen (Lower West Side), Little Village (South Lawndale), Back of the Yards (New York City), Case Central, Alivio Medical Center, Erie Neighborhood Family Clinics, Metropolitan Chicago Healthcare Council (MCHC)





Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	728
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	362
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	326 (90%)
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	310 (95%)
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:	303 (98%)
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	1 st Quarter – 273 (90%) 2 nd Quarter – 243 (80%)
Other Key Project Deliverables:	NA
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Grant Program:	Healthcare Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Nevada Cancer Institute
Grantee City/State:	Las Vegas, NV
Grant Award Amount:	\$3,262,676
Period of Performance:	March 2010 - February 2013
Project Name:	Plus One Programs - An Employment Transition Program for High Demand Health Care Workers in Las Vegas
Project Description:	The grantee and its partners will implement a formal, sustainable program to develop jobs and train individuals in nursing and allied health jobs focused on cancer treatment and research. The Plus One Program will help transition new graduates of community college programs in nursing, medical laboratory technology, radiation technology and health information technology into highly specialized fulltime jobs available at the Nevada Cancer Institute.
Areas Served by Grant:	Las Vegas, Clark County, Nevada
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Allied Health and Nursing)
Targeted Credentials:	Oncology Certified Nurse (OCN) exam; Medical Laboratory Technician - National Accrediting Agency for Clinical Laboratory Sciences (NAACLS); Radiation Therapy - The American Registry of Radiologic Technologist (ARRT); Health Information Technician - RHIT (Registered Health Information Technician) credential
Targeted Occupations:	Oncology Certified Nurse, Medical Laboratory Technician, Radiation Therapy, Health Information Technician
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed and dislocated workers
All Project partners:	Nevada Cancer Institute, Southern Nevada Workforce Investment Board, and College of Southern Nevada
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	130
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	130
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	108
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	100





<p>Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:</p>	<p>INA</p>
<p>Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:</p>	<p>92</p>
<p>Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:</p>	<p>92</p>
<p>Other Key Project Deliverables:</p>	<p>The Plus One Program will deliver 24 nurses and 84 allied health care workers who are prepared to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. earn industry-recognized certificate examinations, 2. provide specialty cancer care and 3. provide specialized cancer laboratory support. <p>With this additional training and industry-recognized certificates, individuals completing the program will garner higher wages, have upward job mobility and maintain jobs in the high demand area of cancer care and research.</p>
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Grant Program:	Healthcare Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	North Central Texas College (NCTC)
Grantee City/State:	Gainesville, TX
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,150,005
Period of Performance:	March 2010 - February 2013
Project Name:	Allied Health Matrix
Project Description:	The grantee will train participants from the targeted groups for careers in the health care sector. Participants can complete basic skills training, as well as training in career pathways that include: Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA), Medication Aide, Pharmacy Technician, Phlebotomist, Medical Billing and Coding, Radiology Technologist, Surgical Technician, EKG Technician, Medical Assistant, Licensed Vocational Nurse (LVN), and Registered Nurse. The project will also provide continuing education credits for incumbent workers.
Areas Served by Grant:	Rural Cooke and Montague Counties and the suburban Denton County in north central Texas
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Allied Health and Nursing)
Targeted Credentials:	Physical Therapy Aide – CPR Certification and North Central Texas College (NCTC) Marketable Skills Achievement Award; Certified Nurse Aide – Texas Department of Aging & Disability Services; Surgical Tech - North Central Texas College (NCTC) Certificate in Surgical Technology and professional certification from the National Board of Surgical Technology and Surgical Assisting; Radiology Tech - AAS in Radiological Technology, certification from American Registry of Radiologic Technologists (ARRT); EKG Tech - American Society of Phlebotomy Technician (ASPT) – Electrocardiograph (EKG) Technician exam; Medical Assistant - North Central Texas College (NCTC) Marketable Skills Achievement Award (MSAA) – Medical Assistant; Medical Billing/Coding - North Central Texas College (NCTC) Marketable Skills Achievement Award – Medical Billing & Coding; Medication Admin. - Texas Department of Aging & Disability Services Registration Service; Pharmacy Technician - Pharmacy Technician Certification Board, Institute for the Cert. of Pharm. Tech.; Phlebotomist - North Central Texas College (NCTC) Marketable Skills Achievement Award – Phlebotomy; Instrument Tech - Certified Registered Central Service Technician (CRCST) Certification Exam; Licensed Vocational Nurse (LVN) - Certificate of Licensed Vocational Nurse (LVN) training and passing of the National Council Licensure





	Examinations for Practical and Registered Nurses (NCLEX-PN and NCLEX-RN); RN - Completion of Associate Degree in Nursing(ADN) and passing of the National Council Licensure Examinations for Practical and Registered Nurses (NCLEX-PN and NCLEX-RN);
Targeted Occupations:	Certified Nursing Aide, Radiological Technologist, Surgical Technician, Physical Therapy Aide, EKG Technician, Medical Assistant, Certified Medication Aide, Medical Billing/Coding Clerk, Pharmacy Technician, Phlebotomist, Instrument Technician, Licensed Vocational Nurse and Registered Nurse.
Targeted Populations:	This project will target unemployed workers, underemployed workers, first generation college students, Spanish speaking population, and incumbent workers at potential employers seeking job promotion or different job options, and those unable to gain entry into the Licensed Vocational Nurse (LVN) or Associate Degree in Nursing (ADN) programs.
All Project partners:	Texoma Workforce Board (Cooke County), North Texas Workforce Board (Montague County), and North Central Texas Workforce Board (Denton County), North Central Texas College, North Texas Medical Center, Bowie Memorial Hospital, Renaissance Healthcare, Bellmire Healthcare Facilities, Denton Rehabilitation and Nursing Center, Good Samaritan Society – Denton Village, CVS Pharmacy, Wal-Mart, Walgreens, Kroger, Tom Thumb , Clinical Path Lab & Denton Regional Medical Center
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	2525
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	2525
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	2146
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	2146
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	2100





Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	2100
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	2090
Other Key Project Deliverables:	NA
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Grant Program:	Healthcare Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Northland Community and Technical College
Grantee City/State:	Thief River Falls, MN
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,996,844
Period of Performance:	March 2010 - February 2013
Project Name:	"Establishing Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS) Maintenance Technician Certificate Curriculum and Training Programs for Employment of Incumbent and Dislocated Workers in Emerging UAS Industries."
Project Description:	<p>Northland Community and Technical College (NCTC) will develop and implement training curriculum to prepare target populations for employment as maintenance technicians in the unmanned Aircraft Systems. The UAS curriculum will expand the College's current Aviation Maintenance Technology training program to include a 16 credit UAS certificate program. The curriculum will be co-developed with key partners and will focus on three primary fields of UAS maintenance:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Computer systems; 2. UAS vehicle body; 3. Integration training to combine both skills. <p>In addition to the proposed target populations, the maintenance training program will work with incumbent and displaced Federal Aviation (FAA) workers. For participants with previous certifications in this cohort, the UAS maintenance technician training program will take less than six months from enrollment to job placement.</p>
Areas Served by Grant:	State of Minnesota; Minnesota counties including: Clearwater, Kittson, Marshall, Norman, Pennington, Polk, Red Lake, Roseau, Mahnomen, Hubbard, Beltrami, and Lake of the Woods County.
Targeted Industries:	Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS)
Targeted Credentials:	UAS Maintenance Certificate
Targeted Occupations:	UAS Maintenance Technician; UAS Maintenance and Repair
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed, dislocated workers, and Veterans
All Project partners:	Northland Community and Technical College; Office of the Chancellor of the Minnesota State Colleges and University System; UND Center of Excellence; Grand Forks Air Force Base; General Atomics; Northrop Grumman; Thief River Falls WorkForce Center; Crookston WorkForce Center; Northwest Private





	Industry Council; Rural MN CEP, Inc.; UAS Division of BAE Systems; INSITU UAS Division of Boeing Industries; Drysden Research Center of NASA; Air Resources Laboratory of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA); VistaNAv Division of Mercury Computer Systems, Inc.; and UVS Canada
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	148
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	150
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	148
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	148
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:	148
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	148
Other Key Project Deliverables:	NA
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Grant Program:	Healthcare Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Otero Junior College
Grantee City/State:	La Junta, CO
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,999,350
Period of Performance:	March 2010 - February 2013
Project Name:	Nursing Innovations in Rural Colorado
Project Description:	The grantee and its partners will implement the <i>Nursing Innovations in Rural Colorado</i> project to recruit and train certified nurse assistants (CNAs), licensed practical nurses (LPNs) and registered nurses (RNs). The project will expand the successful Nontraditional Evening and Weekend (NEW) program, and create extensive clinical simulation through mobile laboratories. Through these capacity building efforts, participants will have the unique opportunity to develop their hands on skills by working in high-tech human-patient simulated clinical settings in which they will experience a wide range of situations using programmable mannequins.
Areas Served by Grant:	The 11 rural southern Colorado counties of Otero, Bent, Crowley, Las Animas, Huerfano, Alamosa, Conejos, Saguache, Mineral, Costilla and Rio Grande.
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Nursing)
Targeted Credentials:	Certified Nurse Assistants (CNAs), Licensed Practical Nurses (LPNs) and Registered Nurses (RNs)
Targeted Occupations:	Certified Nurse Assistants (CNAs), Licensed Practical Nurses (LPNs) and Registered Nurses (RNs)
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed and dislocated workers
All Project partners:	<i>Workforce Investment System:</i> Colorado Department of Labor (Colorado Workforce System - Southeast Workforce Center, South Central Workforce Center), Rocky Mountain SER; <i>Education/Training:</i> Otero Junior College, Trinidad State Junior College; <i>Employers & Industry:</i> San Luis Valley Regional Medical Center, Mt. San Rafael Hospital; <i>Continuum of Education:</i> La Junta School District, Trinidad State Junior College Educational Foundation, Trinidad State Junior College Adult Education
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	700
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	700
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	650





<p>Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:</p>	<p>650</p>
<p>Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:</p>	<p>625</p>
<p>Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:</p>	<p>600</p>
<p>Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:</p>	<p>575</p>
<p>Other Key Project Deliverables:</p>	<p>The following have been identified as the outcomes for this three-year project:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Certify, train and license 650 certified nurse assistants, licensed practical nurses and registered nurses. ▪ Increase the number of nursing students pursuing a bachelor’s degree in nursing by 10%. ▪ Increase by 20% the number of Certified Nurse Assistant (CNA), Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) and Registered Nurse (RN) graduates employed in the healthcare sector six months after graduation.
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Grant Program:	Healthcare Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Passaic County Community College
Grantee City/State:	Paterson, NJ
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,475,041
Period of Performance:	March 2010 - February 2013
Project Name:	Passaic County Multi-Skilled Healthcare Worker Training Initiative
Project Description:	The Passaic County Multi-Skilled Healthcare Worker Training Initiative is a comprehensive partnership committed to helping unemployed and entry-level incumbent workers obtain the competencies and skills needed to access high-demand healthcare opportunities in Passaic County. The program is comprised of six individual employer and industry-recognized credentials. Participants may earn up to 15 college credits that can be applied towards an Associate's Degree in Health Science.
Areas Served by Grant:	Passaic County, New Jersey
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Allied Health and Health Information Technology)
Targeted Credentials:	Pharmacy Technician Certification Board Exam, the American Society for Clinical Pathology (ASCP) National Phlebotomy Certification Exam, the Electronic Medical Records Certificate, the Medical Coding Certificate, the Supervisory/Frontline Management certificate, and the Customer Service certificate
Targeted Occupations:	Pharmacy Technician, Phlebotomist, Electronic Medical Records, Medical Coding, Supervisory/Frontline Management, and Customer Service
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed and incumbent workers
All Project partners:	St. Joseph's Health Care and Medical Center, Preakness Healthcare Center, Van Dyk Healthcare, North Hudson Community Corporation, Chilton Memorial Hospital, Lab Corp (Northern New Jersey Region), Walgreens Pharmacy (New Jersey North District), St. Mary's Hospital, Passaic County Workforce Investment Board, and Passaic County Workforce Development Center
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	1150 (unduplicated number)
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	A total of 300 unemployed and 850 incumbent healthcare workers will begin education/training activities (unduplicated number).





<p>Total number of participants completing education/training activities:</p>	<p>A total of 225 (75%) unemployed participants and 638 (75%) incumbent health care workers will complete at least one certificate program; a total of 90 (30%) unemployed participants and 255 (30%) incumbent health care workers will complete two or more certificate programs.</p>
<p>Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:</p>	<p>100% of unemployed (225 persons) and incumbent health care workers (638 persons) that complete education/training activities will receive a certificate.</p>
<p>Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:</p>	<p>A total of 158 unemployed participants (70%) who complete the training program and earn a certificate will be placed into unsubsidized employment; A total of 72 (80%) unemployed participants who receive two or more certificates will be place into unsubsidized employment.</p>
<p>Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:</p>	<p>The project does not anticipate placing individuals into training-related unsubsidized employment.</p>
<p>Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:</p>	<p>A total of 142 (90%) unemployed persons that earn a certificate and are placed into unsubsidized employment will retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following placement; A total of 68 (95%) unemployed persons that earn two or more certificates and are placed into unsubsidized employment will retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following placement.</p>
<p>Other Key Project Deliverables:</p>	<p>Within three months, the project will have identified and updated six curriculum modules and the program website will be operational. Within six months, the partners will establish a healthcare jobs database.</p>
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Grant Program:	Healthcare Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	MN State Colleges & Universities DBA Pine Technical College
Grantee City/State:	Pine City, MN
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,230,950
Period of Performance:	March 2010 - February 2013
Project Name:	HOPES: Healthcare Occupations Providing Economic Stimulus
Project Description:	<p>Occupations Providing Economic Stimulus-HOPES has utilized a variety of evidence based research models to develop a ten point training program to prepare participants for healthcare careers. Project efforts will;</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Develop and deploy a web based CNA simulation program; 2. Expand a series of entry level courses for high school and college students to include a curriculum for nursing assistant professions; 3. Provide Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA); Home Health Aide (HHA); Trained Medication Assistant (TMA); Practical Nursing (PN); Registered Nurse (RN); Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN); Master of Science in Nursing (MSN), Clinical Laboratory Technician/Medical Laboratory Technician (CLT/MLT) training leading to appropriate certificates or degrees; 4. Offer Healthcare efficiency training leading to Winona State University Lean certification; and 5. Provide primary schools with distance learning programs and educational kits to introduce healthcare career opportunities to students at earlier ages.
Areas Served by Grant:	Seven Counties: Chisago, Isanti, Kanabec, Milli Lacs, and Pine in Minnesota; Polk and Burnett in Wisconsin
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Nursing, Allied Health, and Long-Term Care)
Targeted Credentials:	Certified Nursing Assistant /Home Health Aide: 29 credits (Pine Technical College/Anoka Ramsey Community College for License or Certificate); Trained Medication Assistant: 3 credits; Licensed Practicing Nurse: 63 credits (Pine Technical College for License, Diploma, Associate Degree, Associate of Applied Science); Registered Nurse: 64 credits (Pine Technical College/Anoka Ramsey Community College for License, Diploma, Associate Degree, Associate of Applied Science); Bachelor of Science in Nursing: 120 credits





	(Winona State University for director of nursing or nursing supervisor, with advancement opportunity to Masters in Nursing); Practical Nursing to Registered Nurse: 52 to 60 credits Pine Technical College for License, Diploma, Associate Degree, Associate of Applied Science; Clinical Laboratory Technician/Medical Laboratory Technician: preparatory, general education courses at Pine Technical College with follow-on ITV and, later, online curriculum and clinical supervision with Lake Superior College (LSC) in Duluth, MN, leveraging LSC’s established curriculum; and Health Support Specialist: at Pine Technical College via adoption of HealthForce certificate.
Targeted Occupations:	Certified Nursing Assistant/Home Health Aide; Trained Medication Assistant; Licensed Practicing Nurse; Registered Nurse; Bachelor of Science in Nursing; Practical Nursing; Clinical Laboratory Technician/Medical Laboratory Technician; Health Support Specialist
Targeted Populations:	Displaced workers and incumbent workers
All Project partners:	East Central Minnesota & Western Wisconsin: Lakeside Medical/Pine City Area Clinic; Burnett Medical Center; Cambridge Medical Center, clinics in Hinckley, Mora, North Branch, Pine City; Kanabec Hospital; Fairview Lakes Health Systems; St. Croix Regional Medical Center; Pine Medical Center; Central Minnesota Jobs & Training Services, Anoka Ramsey Community College (ARCC), Pine Technical College (PTC), Area Health Education Center (AHEC), Lake Superior College, HealthForce, Winona State University, Cambridge/Isanti District 911, East Central Minnesota Educational Cable Cooperative (ECMECC); Healthcare Education Industry Partnership (HEIP), ISEEK; Minnesota Nurses Association, Ford Twin Cities Assembly Plant Dislocated Worker Program
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	9396 (Total including outreach, recruitment, training and education)
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	1460
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	1314 (90% completion)
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	1314 (90% completion rate)





Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	1183 (90% will be employed)
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	1124 (95% of total employed)
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	1183 (100% of total employed)
Other Key Project Deliverables:	NA
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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
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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Grant Program:	Healthcare Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	San Diego State University Research Foundation
Grantee City/State:	San Diego, CA
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,953,575
Period of Performance:	March 2010 to February 2013
Project Name:	Biotechnology Readiness, Immersion, Certification and Degrees for Gainful Employment (BRIDGE)
Project Description:	The Biotechnology Readiness, Immersion, Certification and Degrees for Gainful Employment (BRIDGE) project will provide education, training, and placement services in the Biotechnology industry to unemployed and dislocated workers and veterans within the San Diego region. BRIDGE's certificate and degree training will focus on fields of high need, including Clinical Laboratory Sciences, Medical Laboratory Technology, Regulatory Affairs, Quality Assurance/Control, Computational Sciences, Medical Physics, and Bioinformatics/Medical Informatics. The project will provide access to online job search assistance, skills assessment, immersion training, education programs, and on-the-job training necessary for individuals to gain employment in the Biotechnology industry. The project's online tools will serve as a major resource for One-Stop Centers, educational institutions, veterans, and job seekers served through Individual Training Accounts.
Areas Served by Grant:	San Diego County (Urban/Suburban/Rural Communities) (No Automotive Restructuring)
Targeted Industries:	Biotechnology
Targeted Credentials:	Clinical Laboratory Sciences (BS and Certificate), Medical Laboratory Technology (AA and Certificate), Regulatory Affairs (MS and Certificate), Quality Assurance/Control (Certificate), Computational Sciences (Professional Science Master's [PSM] and Certificate), Medical Physics (PSM and Certificate), and Bioinformatics/Medical Informatics (PSM)
Targeted Occupations:	Medical Laboratory Technicians (MLT); Clinical Lab Scientist (CLS)
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed, dislocated workers, and veterans
All Project partners:	San Diego Workforce Partnership, the San Diego Workforce Investment Board, San Diego One-Stop Centers, BIOCOM and the BIOCOM Institute, San Diego Community Colleges, California State University San Marcos, the Southern California Biotechnology Center, Miramar Community College, San Diego County high





	schools, San Diego Marine and Navy Bases, Boston Scientific, Celgene, Genentech, Life Technologies, and Prometheus Laboratories, California Department of Veterans Affairs, California Employment Development Department, ZBglobal, Genoptix, Genlantis, La Jolla Institute for Allergy & Immunology, Gen-Probe
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	1031
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	1031 (100%)
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	825 (80%)
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	825 (100%)
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	660 (80%)
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	619 (75%)
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	528 (60%)
Other Key Project Deliverables:	NA
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Grant Program:	Healthcare Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	San Jacinto Community College District
Grantee City/State:	Pasadena, TX
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,722,919
Period of Performance:	March 2010 to February 2013
Project Name:	Gulf Coast Partnership Information Network (GC-PIN) High Growth Training Grant
Project Description:	San Jacinto Community College, in partnership with Brazosport College and Lee College, will provide comprehensive petrochemical training programs for low income unemployed and incumbent workers that lead to relevant certificates or associate degrees that meet industry needs of the Gulf Coast of Texas. Each College will spearhead a distinct training program. San Jacinto College will lead a series of lecture/lab advanced manufacturing programs in: Industrial Automation Technician, Computer-Numerical Controlled Equipment training, and Programmable Logic Controller training. Brazosport College will couple incumbent worker/new hire training with a Process Technology training program that can be used towards a degree in process technology. Lee College will make modifications to their Industrial Instrumentation Technology program and increase services to low- income and displaced workers, as well as provide a career ladder for incumbent automation technology workers.
Areas Served by Grant:	Counties: Harris, Brazoria, Chambers, Galveston and Liberty
Targeted Industries:	Petrochemical
Targeted Credentials:	Industrial Automotive Technician Certificate; Computer Numerically Controlled (CNC) Operator Certificate; Programmable Logic Controller (PLC) Programming Certificate; Industrial Instrumentation Technician Certificate or Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degree; Custom Fieldbus Certificate; Custom Instrumentation Certificate; Process Operator – Fast Track Certificate; Advanced Troubleshooting Certificate; Computer-based courses Certificate





Targeted Occupations:	System Operators; Refinery Operators; Industrial Technology; Instrumentation Technology; Automation Technology; Industrial Automotive Technician Computer Numerically Controlled (CNC) Operator ; Programmable Logic Controller (PLC) Programming; Industrial Instrumentation Technician; Custom Fieldbus; Custom Instrumentation; Process Plant Science
Targeted Populations:	Low income, unemployed, and incumbent workers. A special emphasis for worker training will be placed on attracting and training Hispanic and female participants
All Project partners:	Brazosport College, Lee College, Dow Chemical, BASF, local Workforce Investment Board, East Harris County Manufacturers Association, Shell Oil Company, Industrial Instrument, Bayer Technology Services, San Jacinto College District, Workforce Investment System
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	1646
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	1646
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	1413
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	1413
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	1304
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	1304
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	1293
Other Key Project Deliverables:	NA





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Grant Program:	Healthcare Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	San Jose State University Research Foundation
Grantee City/State:	San Jose, CA
Grant Award Amount:	\$5,000,000
Period of Performance:	March 2010 to February 2013
Project Name:	California Statewide Biotechnology Clinical Laboratory Consortium Project
Project Description:	The grantee will recruit, train and place unemployed workers and dislocated biotech workers for employment in biotechnology. Participants will complete pre-clinical training with the project’s educational partners, and will then be placed in clinical training at a State- approved employer partner laboratory. Training will prepare participants for licensure and certification as Medical Laboratory Technicians (MLT), Clinical Laboratory Specialists (CLS), Clinical Genetic Molecular Biologist Scientists (CGMBS), and Cytogeneticists. Participants will also receive workforce readiness skills training, résumé assistance, and opportunities for professional networking.
Areas Served by Grant:	San Francisco Bay Area (Alameda, Contra Costa, Marin, Napa, San Francisco, San Mateo, Santa Clara, Solano and Sonoma Counties), Los Angeles County, Orange County, and San Diego County, and Town of Colusa and City of Stockton, California.
Targeted Industries:	Health Care, Biotechnology
Targeted Credentials:	Medical Laboratory Technician (MLT) - Associates in Arts (AA)/ Associate of Applied Science (AAS); Cytogenetic Scientist – B.A./B.S.; Clinical Genetic Molecular Biologist Scientists (CGMBS) – B.A./B.S.; Clinical Laboratory Scientist (CLS) – B.A./B.S.
Targeted Occupations:	Clinical Genetic Molecular Diagnostic Scientists, Cytogeneticists, Generalist Clinical Laboratory Scientists, Medical Laboratory Technicians and Phlebotomists
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed individuals, dislocated workers, and veterans
All Project partners:	California State University, California State University Los Angeles (CSULA), California State University Dominguez Hills, California State Polytechnic College, Pomona (CPP), University of California, California Community College Systems, California Workforce Investment Boards, California Applied Biotechnology Center, East Bay Biotechnology Education Program, Biotechnology Human Resources Network, Labs are Vital – Abbott





	Laboratories, South San Francisco Unified School District and Adult School, De Anza College, College of the Canyons, Saddleback College, Southwestern College, San Jose State University, CSUDH, CSULA and CPP, UCSD, San Francisco State University, Gene Security Network, Hunter Laboratories, St. Joseph’s Hospital, Valley Care Medical Center, St. Rose Hospital, San Mateo County Medical Center, Satellite Lab Service, Colusa Regional Medical Center, Work2Future (WIB), Alameda County (WIB), NOVA (WIB), Foothill (WIB), Verdugo (WIB), Hollywood Worksource, LA/Orange County Biotech Center, California Department of Veterans Affairs, Genzyme, Specialty Labs, Cedars Sinai Medical Center, UCLA Health Systems, Providence Holy Cross Medical Center, City of Hope, Fountain Valley Regional Hospital, San Diego Workforce Partnership, UCSD, University of California San Diego Medical Center, Palomar-Pomerado Hospital, Sharp Metropolitan Medical Center, Scripps Mercy Hospital, Scripps Memorial Hospital, Scripps Coastal Group, Naval Medical Center of San Diego, El Centro Regional Medical Center, Sharp Chula Vista Medical Center
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	INA
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	200
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	90%
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	99%
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:	180





Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	95%
Other Key Project Deliverables:	NA
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Grant Program:	Healthcare Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Shenandoah Valley Workforce Investment Board, Inc. (SVWIB)
Grantee City/State:	Harrisonburg, VA
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,951,991
Period of Performance:	March 2010 - February 2013
Project Name:	The Shenandoah Valley Energy Partnership: Developing Energy Talent in the Shenandoah Valley in Virginia
Project Description:	<p>The <i>Shenandoah Valley Energy Partnership</i> is a multi-organizational, collaborative project to develop and promote awareness of the many regional opportunities emerging within the energy sector. The project will focus on current and future employer needs in three sectors of the energy industry:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Manufacturing of green technology and industrial energy efficient processes; 2. Renewable energy support for wind and photovoltaic and solar; and 3. Efficiency assessment and green construction and retrofitting. <p>Participants will engage in a comprehensive wrap-around support program in which they will accumulate basic to industry specific skills as they advance along an individualized three-tiered training pathway.</p>
Areas Served by Grant:	Shenandoah Valley of Virginia: Counties of: Frederick, Clarke, Warren, Shenandoah, Page, Rockingham, Augusta, Highland, Bath, & Rockbridge. Cities of: Winchester, Harrisonburg, Staunton, Waynesboro, Buena Vista, & Lexington
Targeted Industries:	Green Technology Manufacturing, Renewable Energy, Efficiency Assessment and Green Construction and Retrofitting
Targeted Credentials:	Certified Industrial Energy Technician (CIET), Certified Industrial Energy Auditor (CIEA), Sustainability and Green Building Practices Career Studies Certificate (CSC) Awards through nationally recognized credentialing organizations include Building Performance Institute (BPI), Residential Energy Services Network (RESNET), Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED), Green Advantage and North American Board of Certified Energy Practitioners (NABCEP) for Photovoltaic (PV) Installer certifications. Certified Industrial Technician, Certificate in Advanced Green Manufacturing, Wind





	Turbine Technician certificate, Career Studies Certificate (CSC) and Associate of Applied Science (AAS) degree, Sustainability and Green Building Career Studies Certificate (CSC), and four year degrees from partnering universities with articulation and guaranteed admission agreements.
Targeted Occupations:	Wind Turbine Service Technician, Photovoltaic and Solar Thermal Installer and Technician, Solar Energy Installation Manager, Energy Project Engineer, Building Performance or Retrofitting Specialist, Metal Fabricators, Green Technology Assemblers, Energy Auditor, Home Rater, Insulation and Weatherization Technician, Industrial Energy Auditor, Industrial Energy Technician, Project Managers, HVAC Technicians/Installers/Mechanics, Carpenters, Electricians, Plumbers and Pipefitters, Masons, Concrete Finishers, Welders, Cutters, Solderers, Brazers
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed and dislocated workers
All Project partners:	SolAVerde, Inc., Virginia Manufacturers Association, James Madison University, Shenandoah Valley Workforce Investment Board, Inc. (SVWIB), Invenergy LLC, Lord Fairfax Community College, T Dabney S. Lancaster Community College (DSLCC), Blue Ridge Community College (BRCC), Tangarie Alternative Power, LLC, SolAverde Inc., the Associated General Contractors of Va, Inc. Education, Shenandoah Sustainable Technologies, LLC, Virginia Department of Business Assistance, Virginia Association of Manufacturers (VMA), the Associated General Contractors of Virginia, Inc., the Virginia Chapter of Associated Builders and Contractors, Inc.,
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	1010
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	1010
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	777
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	777
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	704





Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	634
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	580
Other Key Project Deliverables:	In addition to worker participant outcomes, the Regional Sustainability Center will serve 450 employers, individuals and school systems over the three year period of performance. The center will disseminate information on products, services and concepts related to sustainability and green technologies to employers, the public and the secondary school systems. It will provide a connection to secondary education to ensure the development of a worker pipeline.
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Grant Program:	Healthcare Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	South Central College
Grantee City/State:	North Mankato, MN
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,506,101
Period of Performance:	March 2010 - February 2013
Project Name:	Building Health Care Education Pathways for Regional Employment Needs
Project Description:	The grantee will establish four health care degree and certificate programs (Health Unit Coordinator, Medical Assistant, Radiography, and Pharmacy Technician), deliver customized certified nurse aide (CNA) training in partnership with Adult Basic Education, and implement a Health Support Specialist Apprenticeship Program. In addition, the Building Health Care Education Pathways project will create a Health Care Careers FastTRAC Academy and provide job placement and retention services for participants.
Areas Served by Grant:	South Central and Southeast Minnesota - SCC serves a 13-county area: Brown, Sibley, Nicollet, Le Sueur, Watonwan, Blue Earth, Waseca, Martin, Faribault, Rice, Goodhue, Steele, and Dodge. Riverland Community College, an educational partner in this proposal, serves the remaining counties in the Southeast region. All of the counties served are located in rural Minnesota and none of them are listed as counties impacted by automotive-related restructuring.
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Nursing, Allied Health, and Long-Term Care)
Targeted Credentials:	Health Unit Coordinator (HUC) Certificate, Medical Assistant (MA) – Diploma & Associate of Applied Science (AAS), Radiography – Associate of Applied Science (AAS), Pharmacy Technician (Pharm Tech) – Diploma & Associate of Applied Science (AAS), Certified Nurse Aide (CNA), Health Support Specialist (HSS) Apprenticeship Program
Targeted Occupations:	Health Unit Coordinator (HUC), Medical Assistant (MA), Radiography Technician, Certified Nurse Aide (CNA), Health Support Specialist (HSS)
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed, dislocated, incumbent and low-wage workers
All Project partners:	Workforce Development, Inc., South Central WorkForce Council, Immanuel St. Joseph’s-Mayo Health System, River’s Edge Hospital & Clinic, Mankato Clinic, Three Links Care Center, Riverland Community College, Adult Basic Education (Mankato and Faribault), Minnesota





	Valley Action Council, Healthcare Education-Industry Partnership, Northfield Community Action Center, Walgreens, Pathstone Living, Thro Company, State Capital Bonding, SCC, Mankato & Faribault Adult Basic Education (ABE), South Central College, Riverland Community College.
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	627
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	627
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	551
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	90% - 496
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	95% - 471
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	85% - 421
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	90% - 423
Other Key Project Deliverables:	NA
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Grant Program:	Healthcare Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	San Bernardino Community College District
Grantee City/State:	San Bernardino, CA
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,260,863
Period of Performance:	March 2010 - February 2013
Project Name:	Southern California Logistics Technology Collaborative
Project Description:	The Southern California Logistics Technical Collaborative (SCLTC) project will focus on improving logistics workforce skills for entry level and incumbent workers in the logistics corridor between the Long Beach and Los Angeles ports. Projected logistics industry expansion in Southern California is increasing the need for incumbent skill upgrading and a ready pool of new hires with industry appropriate skills. The SCLTC, a four college collective, will offer course work for training in Entry Level Logistics, Technician Levels, and Advanced Levels. Training at each college will include curriculum developed for entry level workers pursuing a Certified Logistics Associate degree, as well as higher skilled and incumbent workers pursuing a Certified Logistics Technician certification.
Areas Served by Grant:	Los Angeles County, San Bernardino County, Riverside County of California
Targeted Industries:	Logistics
Targeted Credentials:	Certified Logistics Associate (CLA), Certified Logistics Technician (CLT),
Targeted Occupations:	Logistics Associate, Fork Lift Operators, Logistics Technician, Diesel Technician, Diesel Mechanic, Logistics Manager
Targeted Populations:	Incumbent workers
All Project partners:	Long Beach City College, East Los Angeles College, Riverside College, San Bernardino College, Pacific Gateway Long Beach, Los Angeles County Workforce Investment Board, Career Partners Worksource, East Los Angeles Employment Workforce Investment Board, Hub Cities Consortium, Community Career Development, Riverside County Workforce Investment Board, San Bernardino County Workforce Investment Board, United Parcel Service, Port of Long Beach, Hillwood Associates, Small Manufactures Institute, Schneider Logistics, Manufacturing Skills Standards Council, The Alliance for Education, Community Action Partners, Grace Chapel, Archdiocese of Los Angeles, Veteran Affairs, Los Angeles Unified District, San Bernardino County – ROP, Calif.





	Comm. Colleges C.O., Long Beach Unified School District, Long Beach City College, East Los Angeles Employment and Business Center – WorkSource California and East Los Angeles College, Pacific Gateway Workforce Investment Board (WIB)
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	2,400
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	2,000
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	1,733
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	1,029
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	1,104
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	0
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	940 (85%)
Other Key Project Deliverables:	NA
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Grant Program:	Healthcare Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Southern University at Shreveport
Grantee City/State:	Shreveport, LA
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,296,308
Period of Performance:	March 2010 - February 2013
Project Name:	Project Success
Project Description:	The grantee will implement a ladder curriculum/career ladder model to train unemployed and underemployed workers for employment in the health care industry. Participants will complete training in six career pathways that include: Dental Hygiene, Health Information Technology, Nursing, Medical Lab Technology, Radiology Technology, and Respiratory Therapy. The project will also develop EKG technician curriculum to support a career pathway to respiratory therapy programs.
Areas Served by Grant:	Louisiana
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Allied Health and Nursing)
Targeted Credentials:	Dental Assistant - certificate of technical studies and licensure, Dental Hygienist - associate degree and license or national certification, Medical Specialist Coding - certificate of technical studies and licensure, Health Information Technology - associate degree and license or national certification, Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) - certificate of technical studies and licensure, Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) - certificate of technical studies and licensure, Registered Nurse (RN) - associate degree and license or national certification, Medical Lab Technician (MLT) - associate degree and license or national certification, Radiology Technician - associate degree and license or national certification, EKG Technician - certificate of technical studies and licensure, Respiratory Therapist - associate degree and license or national certification
Targeted Occupations:	Dental Assistant , Dental Hygienist, Medical Specialist Coding, Health Information Technology, Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA), Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN), Registered Nurse (RN), Medical Lab Technician (MLT), Radiology Technician, EKG Technician, Respiratory Therapist
Targeted Populations:	Low-income/unemployed, single parents, incumbent workers, dislocated workers, and veterans





All Project partners:	Willis-Knighton Healthcare System, Southern University at Shreveport Louisiana (SUSLA), Cristus Shumpert Health System, Louisiana Medical Diagnostic , Inc., Louisiana State University Health Services Center, Summit Hospital of Northwest LA, Overton Brooks Veterans Administration Hospital, Barksdale Air Force Base, Meadowview Health and Rehabilitation, Training Academy for Dental Assistants, the City of Shreveport Department of Community Development Workforce Bureau, and Southern University at Shreveport LA Division of Community and Workforce Development.
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	325
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	110 annually
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	250
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	225
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	213
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	190
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	160
Other Key Project Deliverables:	NA
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Grant Program:	Healthcare Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	The Montgomery Institute
Grantee City/State:	Meridian, MS
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,519,625
Period of Performance:	March 2010 - February 2013
Project Name:	Building Health Care Ladder Opportunities for Unemployed and Dislocated Workers in East Central Mississippi
Project Description:	<p>Through this project, the Montgomery Institute plans to implement a model nurse residency program which will train and prepare participants for jobs in the nursing industry. Their comprehensive approach includes a number of key strategies including:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Implementation of a Nursing Career Lattice Program; 2. Recruitment, training, and placement of unemployed and dislocated workers into Certified Nurse Aid positions; 3. Improving basic skills of participants; 4. Upgrading skill levels of low wage incumbent workers; 5. Building career ladders; 6. Enhancing opportunities and resources for advancement; and 7. Reducing turnover
Areas Served by Grant:	Serving a rural, six-county region of east central Mississippi consisting of Clarke, Kemper, Lauderdale, Neshoba, Newton, and Scott Counties (no automotive impacted communities included)
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Nursing)
Targeted Credentials:	Certified Nurse Aid/Assistant (CNA) Credential, Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) credential, Registered Nurse (RN) credential
Targeted Occupations:	Health Care Assistant, Certified Nurse Aid/Assistant (CNA), Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN), Registered Nurse (RN)
Targeted Populations:	Dislocated workers, unemployed workers, incumbent workers
All Project partners:	East Mississippi Area Health Education Center, East Mississippi State Hospital, Rush Health Systems, Alliance Health Center, East Central Community College, East Mississippi Community College, Meridian Community College, the Mississippi Department of Employment Security, and Twin Districts Workforce Investment Board





Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	1992
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	1290
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	1050
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	945 (90%)
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	998 (95%)
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	945 (90%)
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	850 (90%)
Other Key Project Deliverables:	Total Incumbent Workers Beginning Advanced Health Care Skills Upgrade Training Beyond Certified Nurse Aid/Assistant (CNA) – 612; Total Incumbent Workers Completing Advanced Health Care Skills Upgrade Training Beyond CNA That Receive a Wage Increase (80%) – 490; Total Incumbent Workers Completing Advanced Health Care Skills Upgrade Training Beyond CNA That Receive an LPN or RN Degree – 150; Total Participants Beginning the Nurse Mentor and Retention Program – 90; Total Participants Completing the Nurse Mentor and Retention Program (85%) – 76; Total Participants Completing the Nurse Mentor and Retention Program That Receive a Wage Increase (80%) - 58
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Grant Program:	Healthcare Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	The University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston (UTMB)
Grantee City/State:	Galveston, TX
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,655,799
Period of Performance:	March 2010 to February 2013
Project Name:	Work School Program to Meet Demands for RNs, LVNs, and CNAs in Southeast and East Texas
Project Description:	<p>The grantee will utilize a work school model to recruit, train, employ, and retain unemployed, dislocated, and low-income incumbent workers as certified nursing assistants and licensed vocational nurses. The grantee's employer partners will provide flexible work schedules that allow time for classroom and clinical studies for either full- or part-time employees. The project strategy utilizes a sectoral intervention to achieve three goals:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. reduce nurse labor shortages in high-demand areas; 2. increase income of individual workers presently unemployed or underemployed; and 3. expand access to articulated nursing career ladders.
Areas Served by Grant:	Thirteen Texas counties served by the Gulf Coast Workforce Board (Austin, Brazoria, Chambers, Colorado, Fort Bend, Galveston, Harris, Liberty, Matagorda, Montgomery, Walker, Waller and Wharton) and residents in east and southeast Texas served by UTMB Correctional Managed Care program (Anderson, Angelina, Bee, Brazos, Coryell, Falls, Fannin, Galveston, Harris, Houston, Jefferson, Johnson, Kares, LaSalle, Liberty, Madison, Medina, Polk, Rusk, Tyler, Walker, Willacy, and Williamson). No counties impacted by automotive restructuring are included.
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Nursing)
Targeted Credentials:	Certified Nursing Assistants (CNAs), Licensed Vocational Nurses (LVNs), Registered Nurses (RN), Associate Degree in Nursing (ADNs), and Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSNs)
Targeted Occupations:	Certified Nursing Assistants (CNAs), Licensed Vocational Nurses (LVNs), Registered Nurses (RNs)
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed individuals, dislocated workers, and incumbent workers in low-wage positions
All Project partners:	The Gulf Coast Work Force Board (Workforce Solutions), Galveston Community College, the College of the





	Mainland, Alvin Community College, San Jacinto College, Lee College, the University of Texas Medical Branch School of Nursing, A&G Personnel, Bayside Hospital/ Chambers County Public Hospital, District # 1, Bellville General Hospital, Hospice Care Team, Mainland Medical Center, the University of Texas Medical Branch (UTMB), UTMB Correctional Managed Care, Home Instead Senior Care, MD Anderson Cancer Center, the University of Texas Medical Branch, and UTMB Correctional Managed Care
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	300
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	270 (90%)
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	257 (95%)
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	244 (95%)
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	232 (95%)
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	209 (90%)
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	199 (95%)
Other Key Project Deliverables:	NA
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Grant Program:	Health Care Sector and Other High Growth Industries
Grantee Name:	Trident Technical College
Grantee City/State:	Charleston, SC
Grant Award Amount:	\$2,624,532
Period of Performance:	March 2010-February 2013
Project Name:	Trident Healthcare Careers Project
Project Description:	Through this program, the grantee will: 1) increase the number of Continuing Education health care program graduates entering the workforce; 2) increase the number of (Licensed Practical Nurse) LPN and (Registered Nurse) RN credit program graduates entering the workforce in these advanced skill health care professions; and 3) provide supportive services that promote success, employment, and retention to students from the target populations. A health care careers advisor and a project director will help participants navigate the career pathways leading from short-term Continuing Education training in Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) and Medical Assisting to certificates and degrees as LPNs and RNs.
Areas Served by Grant:	Charleston, Berkley and Dorchester counties
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Nursing and Allied Health)
Targeted Credentials:	Medical Assistant-Continuing Education (CE) and credit program sponsored by the American Medical Technologist Association/Credit program accredited by the Commission on Accreditation of Allied Health Education Programs, Licensed Practical Nurse and Registered Nurse-credit (accredited by the National League for Nursing Accrediting Commission and S.C. Board of Nursing Approval)
Targeted Occupations:	Registered Nurse, Licensed Practical Nurse, Certified Nurse Assistant, and Medical Assistance
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed, underemployed, and dislocated workers
All Project partners:	Trident Workforce Investment Board, Trident One-Stop Career System, East Cooper Regional Medical Center, Trident Health System, Roper St. Francis Healthcare, Tri-County Black Nurses Association, South Carolina Nurses Association, and Franklin C. Fetter Community Health Center
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	6,360
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	2,760





Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	2,150
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	1,975
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	1,820
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	1,780
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	1,600
Other Key Project Deliverables:	Of the 6,360 participants served, 4,000 will receive basic education services and 3,750 will receive supportive services.
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Grant Program:	Health Care Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	University Behavioral Associates, Inc.
Grantee City/State:	Bronx, NY
Grant Award Amount:	\$5,000,000
Period of Performance:	March 2010-February 2013
Project Name:	Worker Training and Placement in the Health Care Sector
Project Description:	Following an extensive screening and assessment process, the grantee will train unemployed, underemployed, and relatively unskilled workers for careers as Certified Home Health Aides (HHA). The program includes a comprehensive case management system and will follow participants through placement while developing the skills and training necessary for career advancement in this industry.
Areas Served by Grant:	Bronx, NY
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Long-Term Care)
Targeted Credentials:	Certified Home Healthcare Aide
Targeted Occupations:	Home Healthcare Aide
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed, underemployed, and unskilled workers
All Project partners:	Montefiore Medical Center, Montefiore Home Care, New York City WIB, Allen Health Care Services, Bestcare, Inc., Family Aides, Inc., Gotham Per Diem, Inc., People Care, Premier, VIP Health Care Services, Bronx and Hunts Point Workforce 1 Career Centers (W1CC), 1199 SEIU, and Local 1707
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	2700
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	2700
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	1350
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	1350
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	168





Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	1012
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	495
Other Key Project Deliverables:	N.A.
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Grant Program:	Health Care Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	University of New Hampshire
Grantee City/State:	Durham, NH
Grant Award Amount:	\$2,944,732
Period of Performance:	March 2010-February 2013
Project Name:	DirectConnect: Partnering to Expand and Train NH's Direct Care Workforce
Project Description:	The grantee will provide support and training to unemployed and dislocated workers for employment in home and community based direct care occupations. Participants will complete training for direct care occupations that include: Licensed Nursing Assistants (LNA), Personal Care Service Providers (PCSP)/Personal Care Attendants (PCA), Direct Support Professionals (DSP), and Homemaker/Companions. The grantee will establish and implement a career lattice to include agency-based orientation and training, national best practice curriculums, professional credentialing processes, and established degree programs to prepare workers for placement and advancement. The program will also include a tuition scholarship program for workers and address barriers to retention of workers at both the public policy and agency level.
Areas Served by Grant:	Statewide
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Long-Term Care)
Targeted Credentials:	Human Services Certificate and Associate Degree, Direct Support Services, certificate, health Sciences Certificate and Associate Degree, LNA Certificate, Practical Nurse Certificate and Associate Degree in Nursing
Targeted Occupations:	Licensed Nursing Assistant, Person Care Service Providers/Personal care Attendants, Direct Support Professionals, Homemaker/Companions
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed and dislocated workers
All Project partners:	Workforce Opportunity Council, NH Coalition for the Direct Care Workforce, NH Department of Health and Human Services, University of NH, Community College System of NH, Granite State Distance Learning, Paraprofessional Healthcare Institute, Moore Center Services, Gateway Community Services, Granite State Independent Living, Northern Human Services, NH Home Care Association, and Moore Center Services
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	1133





Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	1133
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	1020
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	INA
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	1002
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	986
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	878
Other Key Project Deliverables:	N.A.
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Grant Program:	Health Care Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Workforce Investment Board of Herkimer, Madison, and Oneida Counties
Grantee City/State:	Utica, NY
Grant Award Amount:	\$2,700,096
Period of Performance:	March 2010-February 2013
Project Name:	Health Care Career Pipeline
Project Description:	The Mohawk Valley Health Care Career Pipeline Project will train more than 2,400 workers over two years to help residents of high-poverty areas share in the transformational growth of the region's health care sector. Training will include a wide range of opportunities at local colleges, from short-term courses that can provide required certifications for entry into health care careers, to certificate and degree programs that will help trainees move past the entry level and find good-paying jobs in hospitals, long-term care facilities, and health care employers.
Areas Served by Grant:	Herkimer, Madison, Oneida, Chenango, Delaware, and Otsego counties
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Nursing and Health Information Technology)
Targeted Credentials:	Bachelor's degree in Nursing
Targeted Occupations:	Nurse, Nurse Educator, Health Information Technology
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed individuals and incumbent workers
All Project partners:	Chenango-Delaware-Otsego Workforce Investment Board, New York State Department of Labor, Oneida County Government Agencies, Faxton-St. Luke's Healthcare, Mohawk Valley Community College, Herkimer County Community College, Presbyterian Home, Faxton-St. Luke's Healthcare, Bassett Healthcare, Rome Memorial Hospital, Masonic Care Facility, Oneida Healthcare, A.O. Fox Hospital, Chenango Memorial Hospital, Delaware Valley Hospital, Robinson Terrace, Robynwood Adult Home, Oneonta Nursing Rehab Center, At Home Care Inc., State University of New York (SUNY) Institute of Technology, Morrisville State College, SUNY at Delhi, Hartwick College, BOCES serving Oneida, Herkimer, Madison, Delaware, Chenango, and Otsego Counties
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	2,415
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	2,415





Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	2,175
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	2,175
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	1,935
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	1,800
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	1,750
Other Key Project Deliverables:	N.A.
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Grant Program:	Health Care Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Workforce Training and Education Coordinating Board
Grantee City/State:	Olympia, WA
Grant Award Amount:	\$5,000,000
Period of Performance:	March 2010-February 2013
Project Name:	Washington Health Care Worker Training Coalition: Health Career Pathways from Long-Term to Acute Care
Project Description:	The grant will support training and capacity building activities for Washington’s certificate and degree programs in Health care. Training efforts will be supported by the development of a career lattice in acute and/ambulatory care as well as between-care for workers. The career lattice will provide participants with the opportunity to develop their skills through further certification in five key areas: 1) Training Home Care Aides 2) Training existing Home Care Aides for careers as Medical Assistants; 3) Training entry level service and maintenance workers for careers in Certified Nursing; 4) Training existing certified nurses for careers in Licensed Practical Nursing; and 5) Providing associate degree training for incumbent workers.
Areas Served by Grant:	Washington State (urban, suburban and rural)
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Allied Health and Long-Term Care)
Targeted Credentials:	All training will provide participants with certifications and/ or degrees
Targeted Occupations:	Home Health care Aide, Certified Nursing Assistant, Medical Assistant, Licensed Practical Nurse, Registered Nurse, Adjunct Nurse Instructors
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed/dislocated workers, and low-wage workers
All Project partners:	Health Workforce Institute, SEIU Healthcare 1199NW Multi-Employer Fund, NWTP, SEIU Healthcare 1199 NW Training Partnership, SEIU Healthcare 775, State Board for Community and Technical Colleges, Spokane Workforce Development Council (WDC) Seattle-King WDC , Snohomish WDC, Beneton-OfFranklin WDC, Northwest WDC, North Central WDC, State Board for Community & Technical Colleges, Bellingham Technical College, Highline Community College (CC), South Puget Sound CC, Spokane CC, Wenatchee Valley College, Lower Columbia College, North Seattle CC, Columbia Basin College, Edmonds, CC, Renton Technical College, Swedish Medical Center, Northwest Hospital, Lourdes Health Network, Evergreen Healthcare, Valley Medical center, Central Washington Hospital, Stevens, Hospital,





	Highline Medical center, Group Health Cooperative, Catholic Community Services of Western Washington, Addus Healthcare, Unique Services of Vancouver, and Korean Women’s Association
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	953
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	603
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	603
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	581
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	581 (+ 350 placed in entry level jobs created by completers moving on to skilled health care jobs)
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	581
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	867/836
Other Key Project Deliverables:	Reports on lessons learned associated with: 1) Advancing Entry-Level Workers Along the Nursing Pathway; 2) Providing Jobs in Long-term Care & Creating Career Transitions to Acute/Ambulatory Care, and 3) Building the state’s healthcare educational capacity,
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Grant Program:	Health Care Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Youth Policy Institute (YPI)
Grantee City/State:	Los Angeles, CA
Grant Award Amount:	\$3,623,473
Period of Performance:	March 2010-February 2013
Project Name:	Health Care Sector Program
Project Description:	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.
Areas Served by Grant:	East San Fernando Valley and Central Los Angeles
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Nursing)
Targeted Credentials:	State-approved certifications
Targeted Occupations:	Medical Assistants, Pharmacy Technicians and Certified Nursing Assistants
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed, dislocated, and incumbent workers
All Project partners:	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
Projected outcomes:	
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
Other Key Project Deliverables:	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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Grant Program:	Health Care Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Spanish Speaking Unity Council
Grantee City/State:	Oakland, CA
Grant Award Amount:	\$3,559,139
Period of Performance:	March 2010-February 2013
Project Name:	Healthcare Career Sector Initiative
Project Description:	The Spanish Speaking Unity Council's Healthcare Sector Career Initiative (HSCI) integrates the expertise and core competencies of its education and employment partners to develop a skilled workforce that is capable of meeting the healthcare needs of a linguistically and culturally diverse population in Oakland and Alameda Counties. HSCI will: 1) develop an employer-driven curriculum that will train chronic care assistants to increase their skills in providing a higher level of care to elderly and chronically ill populations; 2) prepare incumbent medical assistants for state-level certification by creating a curriculum consisting of study groups and self-paced online community college trainings; 3) create an enhanced training to certify dental assistants in x-ray and sealant technology; and 4) link community college training with bilingual medical terminology language coaching to train medical interpreters. In addition, HSCI will provide participants with supportive services, internship placements, on-the-job wage-subsidized training, job placement support, and retention services.
Areas Served by Grant:	City of Oakland, Alameda County
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Allied Health)
Targeted Credentials:	X-Ray certification from the Dental Board of California for Dental Assistant graduates; state-level certification from the California Certifying Board for Medical Assistants; certificates of community college completion that are employer-recognized throughout the state (accreditation)
Targeted Occupations:	Chronic Care Assistants, Medical Assistants, Dental Assistants, Medical Interpreters
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed and incumbent workers
All Project partners:	Merritt College, La Clinica de la Raza, Native American Health Center, Asian Health Services, Tiburcio Vasquez Health Center, Lifelong Medical Center, The University of California at Berkeley, and University Health Services/Tang Center





Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	510
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	INA
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	405
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	INA
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:	336
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	319
Other Key Project Deliverables:	N.A.
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Grant Program:	Health Care Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	The University of South Dakota
Grantee City/State:	Vermillion, SD
Grant Award Amount:	\$5,000,000
Period of Performance:	March 2010-February 2013
Project Name:	Growing Our Own Distance Learning Program
Project Description:	The University of South Dakota’s Growing Our Own Distance Learning Program (GOODLP) targets transitioning military personnel and unemployed veterans for immediate entry-level job placements in long-term care centers or acute care hospitals. It also provides opportunities for newly placed and incumbent healthcare workers to access and progress on a nursing pathway. Specifically, GOODLP identifies qualified military personnel and veterans for positions as Certified Nursing Assistants, Licensed Practical Nurses, and Registered Nurses and then connects these candidates to employers with vacancies. GOODLP works with employers to ensure that upon placement in employment, the workers are able to pursue an Associate Degree in Nursing (ADN) through the University of South Dakota’s Nursing Program. The program also enables incumbent ADNs to participate in the University of South Dakota’s online Bachelor of Science in Nursing program, and incumbent BSN RNs to participate in its Master of Science in Nursing and Ph.D programs.
Areas Served by Grant:	Rural and underserved areas in South Dakota, Minnesota, Nebraska, Kansas, New Mexico and Arizona (aka “Project States”)
Targeted Industries:	Health Care
Targeted Credentials:	Ph.D (all but dissertation,) M.S. and B.S. in Nursing, A.A.S. Nursing, CNA certificates
Targeted Occupations:	Registered Nurses, Licensed Practical Nurses, Certified Nurse Assistants,
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed military personnel and veterans transitioning to civilian life, incumbent health care workers
All Project partners:	Workforce Investment System, Evangelical Lutheran Good Samaritan Society, Compass Point Labor Management, Army Reserve & Veterans Centers, Sunflower Health Network, Tuff Memorial, and Presbyterian Healthcare Services





Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	1066
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	1266 (Numbers reflect duplication of students enrolling in more than one training program)
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	582
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	582
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	335
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	201
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	692?? [Note that this is more than the total of 335 +201 (536); also narrative that follows on p. 19 of SOW reflects a total of 728 job placements, but only 582 participants will complete training)
Other Key Project Deliverables:	N.A.
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Grant Program:	Health Care Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	South Arkansas Community College
Grantee City/State:	El Dorado, AR
Grant Award Amount:	\$3,520,612
Period of Performance:	March 2010-February 2013
Project Name:	South Arkansas Healthcare Opportunities (SAHO)
Project Description:	The South Arkansas Healthcare Opportunities (SAHO) project will train and prepare unemployed, dislocated, and incumbent workers for careers in high-opportunity health care positions. Their comprehensive approach will create a core of Health Science courses and 11 discipline-specific courses while integrating distance-delivery opportunities. Additionally, SAHO will offer extensive supportive services in order to maximize participant success and program completion.
Areas Served by Grant:	Ashley, Bradley, Chicot and Union counties
Targeted Industries:	Health Care (Nursing, Health Information Technology, and Allied Health)
Targeted Credentials:	Associate Degree for Medical Lab Technicians, Associate Degree for Radiologic Technologists
Targeted Occupations:	Certified Nursing Assistant, Licensed Practical Nurse, Medical Coder, Medical Transcriptionists, Medical Laboratory Technicians, Phlebotomists/EKG Technician, Radiologic Technologists
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed, dislocated, and incumbent workers
All Project partners:	The Arkansas Department of Workforce Services (DWS), Area Health Education Center, Magnolia Hospital, South Arkansas Community College, Southwest Arkansas Planning and Development District, Ashley County Medical Services, Medical center of South Arkansas, Quachita County Medical center
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	359
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	359
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	277
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	INA





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:	85%
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	266
Other Key Project Deliverables:	Outreach materials, curricula, support services materials, materials relating to participant recruitment, placement and retention
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Grant Program:	Health Care Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Industries
Grantee Name:	Florence Darlington Technical College (FDTC)
Grantee City/State:	Florence, South Carolina
Grant Award Amount:	\$4,346,351
Period of Performance:	March 2010-February 2013
Project Name:	Power Up--Pee Dee
Project Description:	The <i>Power Up – Pee Dee</i> project will expand the capacity of two local community and technical colleges in order to provide training, placement and support services to prepare workers in northeastern South Carolina for employment in the electric power industry. FDTC will implement a systems-and solutions-based approach to develop new curriculum and competency-based certificates, purchase specialized equipment, and provide both online and distance learning
Areas Served by Grant:	Chesterfield, Darlington, Dillon, Florence, Marion and Marlboro Counties
Targeted Industries:	Electric Power: Construction, Generation, Transmission, Distribution and Maintenance
Targeted Credentials:	Degree for HVAC Technicians, Licenses for Industrial Technologies Operator and Lineman, MSS Certification for Electrical Maintenance Technician and Mechanical Maintenance Technicians, Certificates for Basic Welding, Electricians,
Targeted Occupations:	Welders, Electrical Maintenance Technician, Electricians, HVAC Technicians, Heavy Equipment Operators, Turbine Power Plant Operator, Industrial technologies Operator, Industrial Maintenance Staff, Lineman, Mechanical Maintenance Technicians, Nuclear Power Plant Operator, Industrial Maintenance, Pipe Fitter, Pipe Welder, Plumber, OSHA Safety Staff, Power Plant Operator, Valve Technician
Targeted Populations:	Unemployed individuals
All Project partners:	Northeaster Technical College, Pee Dee WIB, Magic Johnson Empowerment Center, Progress Energy Carolina, DZ Atlantic, Southeastern Institute of Manufacturing and Technology, S.C Advanced Technological Education Center of Excellence, Marlboro County Adult and Community Center
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	4,000
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	4,000





Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	3,800
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and receive a degree/certificate:	3,800
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into unsubsidized employment:	3,610
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities and are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	3,430
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	3,259
Other Key Project Deliverables:	N.A.
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