

**PY 2014 Characteristics and Services of WIA Exiters with Positive and Negative Outcomes  
Older Youth**

(Derived from PY 2014 Q4 WIASRD Records)

January 20, 2016

	Exiters from October 2013 to September 2014			Exiters from April 2013 to March 2014		
	All	Entered Employment		All	Retained Employment 3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter After Exit	
		Yes	No		Yes	No
<b>NUMBER OF EXITERS</b>	35,761	19,849	8,055	37,577	19,796	4,000
Statewide programs	175	102	36	228	121	33
Local programs	35,686	19,802	8,040	37,497	19,742	3,989
<b>CHARACTERISTICS OF EXITERS (%)</b>						
Female	55.2	54.0	53.6	55.5	57.6	52.8
Individual with a disability	10.3	9.1	12.8	9.2	8.0	9.3
Race/ethnicity						
Hispanic	27.6	28.1	26.8	27.0	26.3	23.2
Not Hispanic						
American Indian or Alaskan Native (only)	1.1	1.0	1.4	1.2	0.9	1.4
Asian (only)	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.2	1.1
Black or African American (only)	36.3	36.8	40.0	37.0	36.0	39.3
Hawaiian Native or other Pacific Islander (only)	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.3
White (only)	30.4	29.7	27.0	30.5	32.7	32.1
More than one race	2.8	2.6	2.9	2.7	2.7	2.7
Veteran	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.1
Campaign veteran	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Employed at participation	12.9	0.0	0.0	12.2	17.6	9.5
Homeless or runaway youth	6.9	7.1	7.6	6.7	6.0	7.4
Offender	9.8	9.1	11.7	10.1	8.1	12.7
Pregnant or parenting youth	24.3	24.4	23.7	25.0	25.9	28.3
Basic literacy skills deficient	67.4	67.4	74.2	66.3	63.3	70.2
Ever in foster care	2.4	2.1	3.1	2.1	1.8	2.2
Youth who needs additional assistance	56.8	56.1	56.3	58.0	57.4	58.2
Average quarterly preprogram earnings (among earners)	\$1,881	\$1,902	\$1,424	\$1,868	\$2,069	\$1,526
Limited English-language (excludes Puerto Rico)	2.1	2.2	2.0	2.1	2.0	1.7

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Single parent	17.1	17.3	16.2	17.6	19.0	19.1
UI claimant	4.0	4.7	2.3	4.4	5.5	3.5
UI claimant referred by WPRS	0.7	1.0	0.4	0.8	1.0	0.7
UI exhaustee	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5
Low income	93.7	93.8	92.8	95.0	94.7	95.5
Public assistance recipient	44.3	45.4	47.2	45.4	44.3	49.2
TANF	5.5	5.8	6.4	6.1	5.6	6.8
Other public assistance including SNAP and SSI	42.9	44.0	45.4	43.9	43.0	47.4
Highest grade completed						
8 <sup>th</sup> or less	2.4	2.0	3.7	2.6	1.8	2.8
Some high school	38.9	37.1	49.3	40.5	34.0	48.2
High school graduate	44.9	47.1	37.1	42.8	48.2	38.4
High school equivalency	5.1	5.1	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.0
Some post-secondary	8.6	8.6	5.1	9.2	11.0	5.6
College graduate (4-year)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Attending school						
High school or less	6.0	5.4	7.6	6.0	5.0	5.3
Alternative school	2.1	2.0	2.6	2.0	1.7	2.0
Postsecondary	8.0	7.1	4.4	8.3	9.5	4.7
Not attending school						
High school dropout	33.3	31.9	43.0	35.3	29.2	43.9
High school graduate (or equivalent)	50.5	53.7	42.4	48.4	54.5	44.2

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<b>SERVICES RECEIVED BY EXITERS (%)</b>						
Partner program participant	58.8	60.1	55.6	56.7	58.6	53.4
Support services	53.2	53.7	50.9	51.8	52.2	50.6
Youth activities (among with activities)						
Educational achievement services	46.1	46.5	49.9	46.4	44.1	49.1
Alternative school	5.8	5.4	6.3	6.1	5.4	8.2
Summer employment	11.1	11.1	11.2	12.3	11.1	9.7
Work experience	32.6	35.0	30.9	31.7	32.0	32.3
Leadership development	27.7	28.8	26.4	25.3	25.8	25.3
Adult mentoring	9.5	9.5	9.5	8.2	8.1	8.4
Career guidance/counseling	43.3	43.8	43.6	41.1	41.1	43.3
Basic skills training	9.7	9.7	7.6	10.3	11.1	11.3
Occupational skills training	28.9	28.9	21.2	29.0	34.2	26.7
Occupation of training						
Managerial, professional, & technical	24.9	22.2	20.7	25.8	26.6	20.6
Healthcare practitioners and technical occupations	11.2	9.3	5.9	10.9	12.7	6.8
Service occupations	38.5	39.0	35.4	38.8	40.4	40.2
Healthcare support occupations	25.9	25.2	21.0	26.2	28.7	25.2
Sales and clerical	18.1	19.2	24.7	17.8	15.6	18.9
Farming, fishing, forestry, construction and extraction	4.2	4.5	5.5	4.7	4.0	6.3
Installation, maintenance, repair, production, transportation, and material moving	14.3	15.1	13.7	12.9	13.4	14.0
Enrolled in education	63.7	62.0	59.0	66.8	67.4	66.6
Pell Grant recipient (among trainees, excludes Puerto Rico)	7.4	6.6	3.8	7.3	8.9	4.0

Note: Performance measures exclude individuals with qualifying exit reasons. The number of exiters in the columns labeled “All” includes individuals who are excluded from the performance measures. Therefore the sum of the number of exiters in the “Yes” and “No” columns is less than the number of exiters in the “All” column. All percentages are column percentages—the percentage of exiters with the characteristic identified by the row heading among those identified by the column heading. Missing data are excluded from some percentages.