- I-Trac Screen Shots
- WIA Youth Common Measures Report



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04 - CSC PY 2014 Year(s):

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Placement in Employment or Education

\*reporting Year/Quarters determined by Q3 after exit

51.06% 66.67% 04 48.28% 03 50.00% 02 57.14% = PY 2014 ō

Attainment of a Degree or Certificate "reporting Year/Quarter determined by Q3 after exit ■ PY 2014

60.87% 100.00% 9 55.56% 03 77.78% 02 42.86%

Literacy and Numeracy Gains "reporting Year/Quarters determined by anniversary of Participation date and Performance Year/Quarter

01	02	03	Q4	Total
57.14%	75.00%	%00.0	0 00%	34

82%



Region	Region 4 - Community Services Consortium	munity Service	s Consortium	
PY14 Estimate based on the following information	lowing informa	ion		
Fund	Staff Count*	Participant Count**	Allocation	Notes
BTWO2	20.0	70	63	
NEG DWT	20.0	28	69	
WIA WS Adult	20.0	1700	69	
WIA WS DW	0.0	1200	<del>(A</del>	5.276 Staff count reflected in Adult
WIA Youth	12.0	125	<del>(9</del>	
Total for PY14 I-Trac Contract			\$ 25,244	

## Exhibit P — 3

5% Window Report from PY13

## State of Oregon - Department of Community Colleges and Workforce Development

## **Youth 5% Window Report**

Community Service Consortium

Funding Streams: Youth (14-18), Youth (19-21)

Registered: 7/1/2013 to 6/30/2014

LWIA	Enrolled	Window	Percent	Not Eligible
Community Service Consortium	67	3	4.48 %	0
Albany	2	0	0.00 %	0
Corvallis	17	2	11.76 %	0
Lebanon	37	1	2.70 %	0
Newport	11	0	0.00 %	0
FOTAL	67	3	4.48 %	0

## 5% Window:

Low income = NO and one of the following barriers.

**School Dropout** 

Basic Skills Deficient (BSD)

Below Grade Level (BGL)

Pregnant or Parenting

Possess one or more Disabilities

Ex-Offender

Face Serious Barriers to Employment as Defined by Local Area

Federal Register /Vol. 64, No. 72 / Thursday April 15, 1999 / Rules and Regulations Subpart B Section 664.220

## Low Income includes:

**TANF** 

Poverty or 70% of the Lower Living Standard Income Level (LLSIL), 6 month period prior to application.

Food Stamps

Homeless or Runaway

Foster Child

CCWD Policy 589-30.7, Lower Living Standard Income Level and Poverty Guidelines, 4/12/2012

POLICY: Youth Eligibility for WIA Programs



## Linn, Benton, Lincoln Workforce Investment Board Linn, Benton, and Lincoln Counties



## POLICY Youth Eligibility for Workforce Investment Act (WIA) Programs

Date:

Revised May 6, 2010

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## **Barriers:**

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- c. Homeless, runaway or foster child
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  - i. Failure to succeed in local labor market.
  - ii. Computer/technology skill deficient.
  - ill. Older youth who is not self-sufficient.
  - iv. Needs assistance to complete education.

## **Documentation for:**

**Barriers:** Test scores, school records, INT-13, PA-4, telephone contact with relevant agencies, Community Human Services Self Sufficiency Programs and Child Welfare, Education Service District records, Foster Parent statements, collateral contact provided by a non-minor.

Self-certification is an individual's signed attestation that the information he/she submits to demonstrate eligibility for a program under title I of WIA is true and accurate.

Income: A low-income individual is one who meets one of the following income guidelines:

- a. Receives, or is a member of a family that receives, cash payments under a Federal, State or local income based program; or
- b. Receives an income, or is a member of a family that receives a total income, for the 6 month period prior to application date for Core B program (exclusive of unemployment compensation, child support payments, payments described in paragraph (a), and old age and survivors insurance benefits received under section 202 of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 402)) that in relationship to family size (see OAR policy number 589-30.1 for definition of family and state-expanded list of income inclusions and exclusions) does not exceed the higher of:
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- Qualifies as a homeless individual, as defined in Subsections (a) and (c) of section 103 of the Stewart B. McKinney Homeless Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 11302); or
- e. In cases permitted by regulations promulgated by the Secretary of Labor, is an individual with a disability whose own income meets requirements of a program described in subparagraph (a) or of subparagraph (b), but who is a member of a family whose income does not meet such requirements; or

**Documentation:** Where possible, and readily obtainable, CSC will use hard documentation.

**Citizenship:** I-9 documents (i.e. ODL and SS card), birth certificate, U.S. Passport, school records, Community Human Services records, court records, DD214 (if shows place of birth and birth date), Tribal I.D.

**Eligibility to work in the U.S.:** Social Security Card defining status, or alien registration form.

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In or Out of School Status: School records, or other official documentation.

## **Summary Comments:**

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Carolyn Gardner, Chair

34 May 2010
Date

Exhibit P — 7a

**POLICY: Youth Supportive Services** 

## Linn, Benton, Lincoln Workforce Investmen Linn, Benton, and Lincoln

## **Youth Supportive Services**

Date:

Revised May 6, 2010

Subject:

Youth Supportive Services

Purpose:

To establish guidelines for the issuance of supportive services to WIA participants

Background:

Supportive services are defined as services which are necessary to enable an individual who is eligible for services under WIA, and who cannot afford to pay for services, to participate in a job search, a training program, or a retention activity funded under the Act.

Provision of supportive services is based on need and is demonstrated first by self-certification by the participant followed up by the budget document. The budget document outlines personal/family income and personal/family expenses for an individual in WIA Services. The budget outlines the projected costs to be incurred by training, a job search, or a retention plan. These documents are contained in participant files.

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WIA participants are eligible for supportive service payments only in the following categories: Transportation, childcare, health care, residential support, clothing, emergency, grooming, or meals.

Decision to issue support services is negotiated between the participant and staff and authorized by the Operations Manager or designee. They will be provided with consideration to the limit of available funding, and utilization of funds from other programs or resources in the community. Amount will not exceed \$5000.00.

All participant requests will be reviewed individually and the amount provided to one person will be based on their individual needs, their plan, and the progress the participant is making toward their employment, training, or rebention goals.

Support services can include follow-up supportive services post exit as per the guidelines of the Act.

Carolyn Gaffiner, Chair

24 May 2010

Exhibit P — 7b

**Incentive Pay Master List** 

## Incentive Pay Schedule Master List

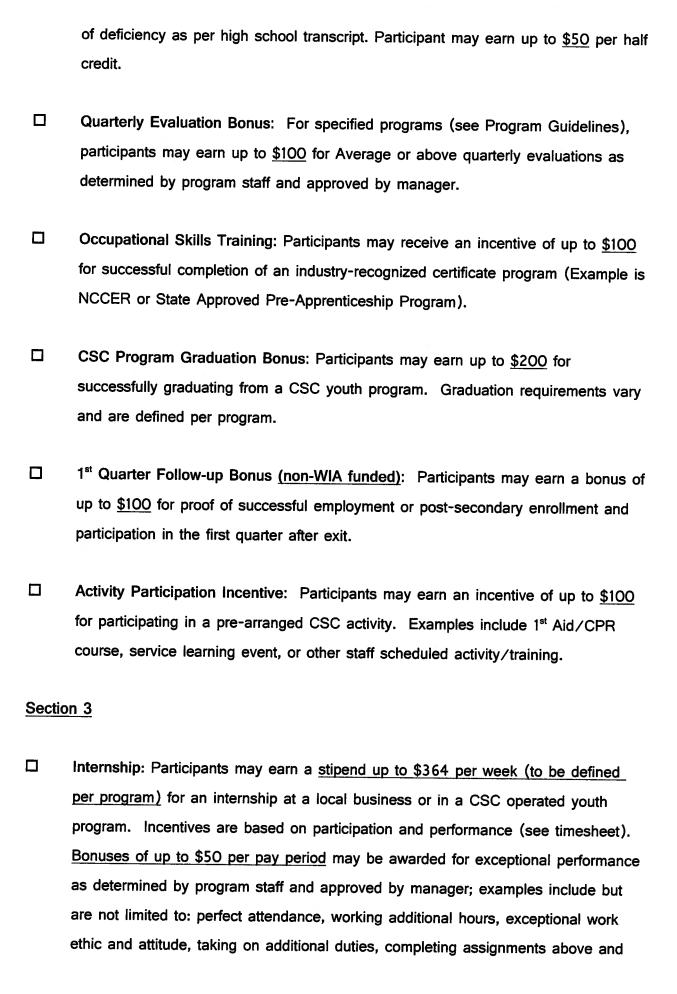
## CSC Youth & Education Programs Updated 01/01/2014

The following Incentive Payment opportunities may be offered to Community Services

Consortium youth and young adult participants dependent upon a participant's enrollment
in a specific program and as established in agreement with a participant's Youth Advisor.

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Ma	teracy/Numeracy Skill Attainment: For basic skill deficient youth in Reading or ath, up to \$75 may be earned for an increase of one Educational Function Level (FL) in either subject.
	e-Employment Training/Job Club: Participants may earn up to \$100 for ccessful completion of this course.
□ GE	ED: Participants may earn up to \$250 upon GED completion.
	gh School Diploma: Participants may earn up to \$250 upon High School coloma or State recognized High School Completion Certificate attainment.
Section 2	Use Attainments Incentive Payment Form to process payments in this section
□ Hig	gh School Credit Recovery: Complete specified course curriculum in subject area



beyond expectations, etc. A stipend increase of <u>up to \$75 per pay period</u> may be implemented during the course of internship for achieving a program-defined set of objectives within a specified timeframe. (Use Incentive/Evaluation Form Y-5B)

Learn to Earn: Participants may earn up to \$15/day for participation in academic class activities in pursuit of a GED, HS Diploma, or other identified learning objectives. Participants must meet specified criteria (see Learn to Earn Incentive Pay Sheet) to earn full pay. Bonuses of up to \$50 per pay period may be awarded for exceptional performance as determined by program staff and approved by manager; examples include but are not limited to: perfect attendance, working additional hours, exceptional work ethic and attitude, taking on additional duties, completing assignments above and beyond expectations, etc. (Use Learn to Earn Incentive Pay Sheet Form Y-8C)

## Section 4

□ Work Experience: While not technically an incentive, participants may earn a wage of \$9.10/hr (or current minimum wage) for participation in a work experience at a local business, agency, or organization. (Use Work Experience Timesheet Form 3A)

NOTE: Changes in funding may result in an increase or reduction of expected incentives. Participants will be notified when changes occur.

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POLICY: Adult and Dislocated Worker Individualized Employment
 Plan



## **POLICY**

## Adults and Dislocated Workers Individualized Employment Plan

**Date:** Revised February 23, 2010

Subject: Adults and Dislocated Workers Individualized Employment Plan (IEP)

## Purpose:

To provide guidelines for the development of Individualized Employment Plans for Adult and Dislocated WIA Title IB Intensive and Training participants.

## **Background:**

The results of this assessment will be used to develop a client-centered, mutually negotiated Individual Employment Plan (IEP) that outlines the occupational goal, current and required skill levels, skill development needs, labor market outlook, potential employers and training/skill development plan.

## **Definitions**

Decisions concerning appropriate services shall be client-centered and ensure that the participant is not excluded from training or career options on the grounds of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age disability, political affiliation or belief, citizenship or participation in WIA Title IB.

## **Policy:**

The Individual Employment Plan must include the following minimum elements:

- An employment goal for which the participant may receive WIA Title IB services including training. All training goals will be in areas documented to be in demand in the local labor market or in an area the participant will relocate to.
- Name of training provider
- Estimated cost and financial aid applied or received
- Target date of completion
- The IEP will be signed and dated by the WIA participant and WIA representative, and a copy will be given to the participant.

Bilingual Program Information



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Podrá ser necesario cumplir con requisitos Los fondos se basan en la disponibilidad. Los servicios son gratis. para tener derecho.

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# Salones de recurses y laboratories de computación Con ayuda del personal — Auteaprendizaje

# EVALUACIÓN DE HABILIDADES:

WIN Skills está estructurado para determinar el nivel de habilidad del participante en leer y utilizar información, matemáticas aplicadas y encontrar información.

La prueba de evaluación TABE es un localizador de habilidades bulcas en actura y matemáticas, y también puede ser utilizada para monsticar el éxito en el GED (siglas en inglés de Desarrollo Educativo General).

CIS: el Sistema de Información de Carreras evalúa las aptitudes en campos de carreras potenciales basándose en información personal. CRC: El Certificado de Nivel de Preparactón Laboral es un sistema de acreditación de empleados que mide las habilidades fundamentales y las habilidades de apoyo para el trabajo. El certificado verifica el nivel de preparación para el trabajo a diversos niveles de habilidades y les proporciona a los empleadores una manera de identificar a los solicitantes de trabajo con el mayor potencial.

## REMEDIACIÓN DE HABILIDADESI-HABILIDADES BÁSICASIGED:

Los tutoriales de WIN Skills están disponibles para la remediación de habilidades básicas o sea la "mejora de habilidades des". También se puede proporcionar preparación para el GED y ayuda con los costos del examen en asociación con los colleges comunitarios.

## CAPACITACIÓN EN HABILIDADES VOCA-CIONALESIOCUPACIONALES:

Los especialistas en Educación y Fuerza Laboral del CSC trabajan con los participantes para elaborar planes de Capacitación que les ayuden a ingresar a un empleo, o a mejorar las oportunidades de obtener empleo. Basándose en estos planes, los participantes podrán ser recomendados a capacitación avanzada. Pueden existir algunos recursos para ayudarles con los costos de capacitación.

# ASESORAMIENTO DE CARRERAS Y AYUDA DE BOLSA DE TRABAJO:

Los especialistas en Educación y Fuerza Laboral estudian los resultados de la evaluación de habilidades , plan de capacitación y metas laborales de cada participante para identificar estrategias y trayectorias de carreras. Estos especialistas proporcionan un menú de talleres de capacitación y se dispone de un salón de recursos con personal para ayudar a los participantes en sus esfuerzos para encontrar empleo.

## El Laboratorio de Computación ofrece

- WIN Skills (Evaluación de habilidades básicas)
  - Skillwise de Math.com
- Planificación de carreras Cómo manejar su dinero
- Sistema de Información de Carreras (Evaluación de
- Tarjeta de manejo de alimentos

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# TALLERES

# Solicitante general de empleo

- Llenado de solicitudes
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- Habilidades para actuar con confianza en entrevistas
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- Cómo demostrar sus habilidades únicas
- Para sobrevivir en el trabajo: adaptándose a la pérdida del empleo y a los cambios en la vida
  - Habilidades esenciales para todos los empleos
- Habilidades transferibles
- Cómo usar OLMIS (Sistema de Gestión Laboral de Oregón ) y el sitio
   Web de WorkSource.
- En español: Sólo en Newport
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Guia del Programa para Jóvenes

# Programas para los jóvenes

cación para la Juventud del Community Services Se ofrecen los programas de Puerza Laboral y Edu-Consorthim a Jóvenes desfavorecidos entre las edades de 14 y 21 años, en los condados de Linn, Benbon, and Lincoln. Deseamos reducir los factores de riesgo que los fovenes vulnerables enfrentan, mediante programas eficaces que forjen una base sólida para el empleo. El enfoque de todos los programas es mejorar las habilidades de trabajo y de la vida para facultar a los vida mediante la educación, la capacitación, y el participantes a ser autosuficientes, obtener y retener empleo a largo plazo, y enseñarles e inculcarles un compromiso con el aprendizaje durante toda su assoramiento y apoyo profesional. El derecho a servicios se basa en los ingresos y en las barreras tales como: deficiencia en habilidades para leer y escribir, abandono de la preparatorfa, bajo custodia tutelar con una familia, adolescente embarazada o adolescente con hijos, o aquellos que requieran ayuda adictonal para completar su educaadolescente que ha huido de su casa o se encuentra clón y obtener empleo.

# Nuestros programas ofrecen:

- de preparatoria, preparación para el GED Apoyo académico tal como tutorías, capamiento y apoyo para obtener el diploma (Desarrollo Educativo Genera) y ayuda para ingresar a college o a capacitación citación sobre cómo estudiar, asesora-
- Créditos para preparatoria / recuperación de créditos.
  - Exploración de carreras.
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  - competencia laboral y certificaciones vo-Clases de carreras con capacitación de cacionales,
- Oportunidades de desarrollo de liderazgo.
  - Manejo de casos individuales.
- Planificación y difusión y alcance posteriores a la preparatoria.
  - Servicios de apoyo para ayudarles a los jóvenes alcanzar el éxito.

Oportunidades de empleo.



## Oportunidades de educación y de fuerza laboral



## Desarrollo de la fuerza laboral

Se enfoca en el desarrollo de habilidades necesarias para el empleo mediante oportunidades en experiencias de trabalo, capacitación previa al empleo, y servicios de apoyo per Ofrecemos experiencias de prácticas en negocios locales y sonales. Esto faculta a los jóvenes a obtener las valiosas habilidades necesarias para lograr el éxito en el empleo. en equipos de conservación ambiental.

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# SKILLS REMEDIATIONIBASIC SKILLS/GED

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POLICY: WIA Grievance Policy and Procedures



## Linn, Benton, Lincoln Workforce Investment Board Linn, Benton, and Lincoln Counties



## POLICY WIA Grievance Policy and Procedures

Date:

May 6, 2010

Subject:

**WIA Grievance Policy and Procedures** 

## Purpose:

These program procedures implement the Linn, Benton, Lincoln Workforce Investment Board's Grievance Policy. The procedures and accompanying forms will be used by all recipients of WIA Title IB financial assistance when processing a complaint that alleges a violation of the Workforce Investment Act (WIA or "the Act"), regulations, grant, or other agreements administered under the Act, terms and conditions of employment, or discrimination.

## Reference:

- Public Law 105-220 (Workforce Investment Act), Section 181 & 188
- Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, Title II, Subpart A
- Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended
- Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973
- Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972
- Titles VI and VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended
- 20 CFR Part 667.275, Subpart F 667.600 650
- 29 CFR Parts 31, 32, 34 and 37
- Oregon Administrative Rule (OAR) 151-010-0015
- Oregon Administrative Rule (OAR) 151-010-0020
- Oregon Administrative Rule (OAR) 151-020-0042
- Oregon Administrative Rule (OAR) 151-020-0045
- Oregon Revised Statutes (ORS) 183.502 Alternative Disputes Resolution
- Oregon Revised Statutes (ORS) Chapter 36 Mediation and Arbitration
- State Workforce Investment Act (Grievance) Policy No. 589-40.3

## Background:

Through federal and state law, regulation and policy, recipients of WIA funds are required to maintain a process for the resolution of non-criminal complaints that relate to terms and conditions of employment or allegation of a violation of the WIA regulations, grant or other agreement under the Act, and are also required to maintain a process for resolving complaints involving allegations of criminal conduct or known or suspected fraud and/or abuse. In addition, recipients of WIA funds are also required to comply with nondiscrimination and equal opportunity provisions that prohibit discrimination on the grounds of race, color,



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religion, sex, national origin, age disability, political affiliation or belief, and for beneficiaries only, citizenship or participation in a WIA-Title-IB-financially-assisted program or activity. These program procedures provide operational guidance for: grievance procedure requirements for recipients and beneficiaries of WIA Title IB funding established under section 181 (c) of the WIA and 20 CFR 667.600-650, subpart F, as well as Oregon Administrative Rule 151-020-0042; and for the implementation of the nondiscrimination and equal opportunity provisions specified in Section 188 of WIA and 29 CFR Part 37, and the state of Oregon Methods of Administration.

The Linn, Benton, Lincoln Workforce Investment Board and its Service Providers value customer service and customer satisfaction and prefer that dissatisfaction and complaints are resolved amicably as close to the point of service delivery as possible. Whenever possible, all parties are encouraged to use the Alternative Disputes Resolution (ADR) process (see II.F.4 in the Methods of Administration). When this is not possible, written complaints including those related to discrimination or involving criminal conduct are to be processed following these program procedures.

## The Methods of Administration:

- 1. Provide guidelines for the resolution of grievances or complaints related to nondiscrimination and equal rights provisions of WIA IB.
- 2. Designate the Regional Equal Opportunity (EO) Officer and an Equal Opportunity Coordinator.
- 3. Establish requirements for each Service Provider operating within the Region 4 WorkSource center for assuring:
  - a. Designation of an EO Coordinator, in compliance with the state of Oregon Methods of Administration (MOA) using the Equal Opportunity and Grievance Officer Designation (Methods of Administration Comment(s)/Concern(s) Process).
  - The EO Coordinator provides notification to the Regional EO Officer immediately upon the receipt of any complaint related to the provision of WIA IB services or services provided through a WorkSource center that is a recipient or beneficiary of WIA IB funding; and,
  - c. Each WorkSource center or affiliated WorkSource site within the region that is a recipient or beneficiary of WIA IB funding has established a written process assuring that grievances related to WIA IB or non-WIA IB programs or services are referred to the appropriate program for resolution.

## Policy:

Written complaint procedures shall be furnished to every applicant of WIA IB services. Reasonable efforts will be made to assure that complaint procedures are understood by participants, individuals, and recipients of federal assistance under WIA Title IB. The written complaint procedure will include notice that the complainant and respondent have the right to be represented by an attorney or other individual of his or her own choice. With the exception of



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discrimination complaints, all other complaints must be filed within one year (365 days) from the date of the alleged occurrence. Discrimination complaints must be filed within one half year (180 days) from the date of the alleged act of discrimination unless the time is extended by the Assistant Secretary of the Department of Labor for good cause.

All references to days shall be defined as calendar days. The thirty (30)-day clock to a formal hearing or initial determination, and the sixty (60)-day clock to a final determination, begin the day a complaint is received by either the EO Coordinator or the Regional EO Officer. Time lines may be extended if good cause is shown, and if both the complainant and respondent parties agree in writing to waive the timelines.

A complaint may be withdrawn by the complainant at any time. Such a withdrawai must be in writing.

## Inquirtes:

Inquiries should be addressed to the Equal Opportunity Coordinator.

Clay Martin Community Services Consortium 545 SW 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Suite A Corvallis, OR 97333 541-758-2615

Attachments:

Methods of Administration Comment(s)/Concern(s) Form Understanding Your Rights Declaration

Carolyn Gardner, Chair

24 May 2010
Date



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METHODS OF ADMINISTRATION
Workforce Investment Act Section 188: Nondiscrimination (29USC 2938)

#### **Title IB Programs**

#### Purpose:

The purpose of the Methods of Administration is to provide a reasonable guarantee of Oregon's compliance with the Americans with Disability Act, section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Section 188 of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998, and 29 CFR Part 37 as the state implements and executes the Workforce Investment Act of 1998, as amended. The MOA is supported by the Governor's Executive Order EO-96-38, regarding affirmative action and equal opportunity for Oregonians. The MOA applies to (1) any recipient and (2) programs and activities that are part of the WorkSource delivery system and that are operated by WorkSource partners listed in section 121(b) of the Workforce Investment Act. The MOA is equally applicable to all contractors, vendors, grantees, agents, recipients and providers of services funded in whole or part with federal funds.

Designation of Equal Opportunity Coordinator(s) and Regional Officer:

The State Equal Opportunity Officer (EOO) for the purposes of the MOA resides in the Oregon Employment Department. The State EOO reports to the Director of the Oregon Employment Department who serves in the Governor's Cabinet. Local Workforce Investment Boards are responsible for designating a local Equal Opportunity Coordinator(s) (EOC) and a Regional Equal Opportunity Officer to assure compliance with the Methods of Administration.

Equal Opportunity Coordinator: Clay Martin, Workforce & Education Director Community Services Consortium 545 SW 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Suite A Corvallis, OR 97333 541-758-2615

Regional Equal Opportunity Officer: Melissa Vigil, Human Resources Director Community Services Consortium 545 SW 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Suite A Corvallis, OR 97333 541-758-2757







#### Responsibilities:

The primary partnership in resolving complaints under the MOA is between the Regional EOO and the EOC at the WorkSource Centers.

The Equal Opportunity Coordinator is responsible for carrying out the following duties:

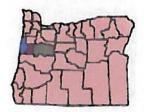
- 1. Receiving and processing complaints based on prohibited grounds of discrimination.
- Providing notification to the Regional EO Officer immediately upon the receipt of any complaint related to the provision of WIA IB services or services provided through a WorkSource center that is a recipient or beneficiary of the WIA IB funding.
- 3. Providing information about non-discrimination and equal opportunity laws and the complaint process to agency staff, beneficiaries and interested members of the public on request.
- 4. Developing and providing compliance reports for review by the state Equal Opportunity Officer (EOO), who submits compliance reports to the U.S. Department of Labor Civil Rights Commission.
- 5. Ensuring compliance with the MOA by all of its staff and sub-recipients.
- 6. Monitoring and reporting required data elements to the state EOO.
- 7. Conducting internal self-evaluations of performance in compliance with the MOA and under the guidance of the state EOO.

#### Comment(s)/Concern(s) Process:

In compliance with the Methods of Administration, a Comment(s)/Concern(s) Form has been developed for the use by all partner staff as a first step for reporting potential complaints. The form shall be used at all partner agency locations that provide services or receive funding under Title IB of The Workforce Investment Act.

#### Steps for using Comment(s)/Concern(s) Form:

- A customer has a comment/concern that he/she would like to express.
- 2. Staff addresses and resolves concern immediately, if appropriate.
- If concern is not resolved, and the customer wishes to take the concern further, staff gives the customer the Comment(s)/Concern(s) Form to complete, sign and date.
- 4. Staff informs customer that his/her concern will be forwarded to the Equal Opportunity Coordinator and that he/she will be contacted within seven (7) working days from receipt of the form by the Equal Opportunity Coordinator.
- 5. Within 24 hours staff delivers (hard copy, fax, or email) completed Comment(s)/Concern(s) Form to Equal Opportunity Coordinator.
- 6. The Equal Opportunity Coordinator assigns to appropriate agency to resolve according to their resolution process (including if elevated to the state level).



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A copy of the Comment(s)/Concern(s) Form will be delivered (hard copy, fax, or email) to the appropriate agency.

7. The agency handling the concern will report status of the concern to the Linn, Benton Lincoln Workforce Investment Board's Equal Opportunity Coordinator by completing the "Staff Use Only" section of the Comment(s)/Concern(s) Form and delivering (hard copy, fax, or email) the form back to the Linn, Benton, Lincoln Workforce Investment Board Equal Opportunity Coordinator.

NOTE: A customer can receive staff assistance in completing the Comment(s)/Concern(s) Form if needed or desired by the customer.

NOTE: All Comment(s)/Concern(s) Forms are to be delivered to the Equal Opportunity Coordinator whether resolved or not.

If you have any questions regarding this process, please contact the Equal Opportunity Coordinator.

#### I. NON-CRIMINAL COMPLAINTS EXCLUDING DISCRIMINATION

The procedures described below apply to all non-criminal WIA IB complaints filed against the Linn, Benton, Lincoln Workforce Investment Board or its regional WorkSource Service Providers. The Regional EO Officer will coordinate and assist in the resolution of all WIA, noncriminal complaints.

#### A. Filing Requirements

- The complainant must file the complaint with the Equal Opportunity Coordinator, who will provide a copy to the Regional EO Officer. The complaint shall be submitted on the Linn, Benton, Lincoln Workforce Investment Board's, Workforce Investment Act, Comment(s)/Concern(s) Form provided for this purpose.
- The local EO Coordinator will determine if the complaint relates to discrimination, a violation or alleged violation of Title IB of the WIA, regulations, grant, or other agreements under the Act, or to terms and conditions of employment, or is more appropriately referred to another program or organization offering services through the WorkSource System.
- The local EO Coordinator will contact the complainant within five (5) days of the receipt of the complaint to discuss the nature of the complaint. Within ten (10) days of the filing of the complaint, the EO Coordinator will attempt to resolve the matter.
- 4. The complainant will be notified in writing of the determination of the complaint within fifteen (15) days of the filing of the complaint. As appropriate, notification will include the referral of the complaint to the





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appropriate non-WIA IB program or organization offering services through the WorkSource system.

#### **B. Processing of Complaints**

Complaints Not Involving a Violation or Alleged Violation of the WIA Act
Within ten (10) days of the filing of a complaint, the EO Coordinator will
attempt to resolve the matter informally with the complainant and respondent. If
the complaint is related to employment, the complainant will be given the
opportunity to be heard by a party other than the complainant's direct supervisor.

Within ten (10) days after this meeting to clarify issues and early efforts at informal resolution, a written summary of the meeting and its outcomes will be provided to the complainant, respondent, and Regional EO Officer by the EO Coordinator. The summary shall include the:

- a. Filing date of the complaint:
- b. Date of informal meeting to clarify or resolve the complaint;
- c. Determination of the nature of the complaint;
- d. Summary of the process used to investigate the complaint;
- e. Findings regarding the complaint, including the names and contact information for the parties involved;
- f. Proposed resolution of the complaint;
- g. Signed receipt or statement that a copy of the complaint process was transmitted to the complainant; and,
- h. Date and method of transmittal of the summary to the complainant.
- Recourse Available to the Complainant Under the Informal Resolution Process
   After completing the above process, if the complainant is dissatisfied with the proposed resolution, the complainant may request in writing that the complaint be reviewed by the Regional EO Officer. A written request for review must be submitted to the Regional EO Officer within ten (10) days of the date of transmittal of the summary to the complainant.

Upon a request to review, the Regional EO Officer will review information related to the complaint, investigate further as warranted, and determine whether the informal resolution process was followed and that rules and regulations were properly interpreted.

Within thirty (30) days of the receipt of the request for review the complainant and the EO Coordinator will be notified of the Regional EO Officer's decision.

If it is determined that a non-criminal violation of the WIA, regulations, grant, or other agreement under the Act has occurred, the Regional EO Officer will notify the complainant and the EO Coordinator of this and will process the complaint through the procedure outlined below. If there was not a violation of





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the WIA, regulations, grant, or other agreement under the Act, and there were no improprieties in the informal resolution process the decision of the EO Coordinator is final.

3. Complaints Alleging Non-Criminal Violation of the WIA or Regulations
If it is decided that the complaint does relate to a non-criminal violation or
alleged violation of the Act, regulations, grant, or other agreement under the
Act, the parties to the complaint are afforded the opportunity to informally
resolve the matter. Both parties may agree, in writing, to waive the thirty (30)
day timeline for formal hearing and sixty (60) day time line for a decision in
order to attempt to resolve this matter informally. Regional EO Officer will be
notified in writing of the decision to waive the timeline and will be provided
signed copies of the parties' agreement. The EO Coordinator will then begin
informal resolution efforts and investigations. All efforts will be reported in
writing.

The EO Coordinator will set a date for an informal resolution and issues clarification meeting within ten (10) days of the receipt of the complaint. Within ten (10) days of the completion of informal resolution, the EO Coordinator will provide a written summary and decision of the meeting to the Regional EO Officer, the complainant, and the respondent.

4. Requesting and Scheduling a Formal Hearing

If dissatisfied with the results of the informal resolution meeting, the complainant may request a formal hearing. Such requests must be made in writing and, if no informal resolution was attempted, within twenty-five (25) days of the date of filing of the complaint. The request for hearing should be directed to the Regional EO Officer. The complaint may be amended, in writing, at any time within ten (10) days before the formal hearing.

The Regional EO Officer will schedule the formal hearing within thirty (30) days from the receipt of the complaint, notify the complainant in writing of the hearing date, time and place, unless the parties have agreed, in writing, to waive this time line.

#### 5. Hearing Officer

Upon receipt of a request for a formal hearing, the Regional EO Officer shall designate a Hearing Officer. The complainant or respondent may request a

different Hearing Officer be appointed. The request for a change in Hearing Officer must be filed within five (5) days after parties received notification of the hearing schedule and the designation of the Hearing Officer. No party shall be permitted to make more than one (1) claim of partiality in any one complaint, and only one request for designation of an alternate Hearing Officer may be





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made by either party for each complaint. In such a case all timelines shall automatically be extended ten (10) days.

#### 6. Conducting the Formal Hearing

The Hearing Officer coordinates the formal hearing. Both parties shall be provided an opportunity to present evidence, cross-examine witnesses, and be represented by legal counsel. The hearing shall be taped, and a record, including all exhibits, shall be maintained. The complainant may withdraw the complaint in writing at any time. The Hearing Officer shall provide to all parties a written recommendation, defining issues, facts, and suggested resolution. If the complainant or representative does not appear for the hearing, the complaint may be dismissed or the Hearing Officer may rule on the evidence presented.

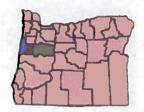
- 7. Decision by the Linn, Benton, Lincoln Workforce Investment Board Director
  The Linn, Benton, Lincoln Workforce Investment Board Director shall consider
  the complaint, informal resolution efforts, and the Hearing Officer's
  recommendation. The Director shall then issue a written decision defining
  issues, facts, and resolution and forward a copy of the decision to each party.
  The decision shall include notice that the complainant has the right to request
  that the State review the decision. The decision shall be made no later than
  sixty (60) days after the filing of a complaint, unless extended upon a showing
  of good cause and upon agreement by both parties, in writing, to waive the
  timelines.
- 8. Recourse Available to the Complainant Under the Formal Resolution Process
  If the complainant receives an unsatisfactory decision or if the Linn, Benton,
  Lincoln Workforce Investment Board fails to issue a decision within the prescribed
  timelines, unless the timelines have been waived, the complainant or respondent
  may request a review by the State.

#### 9. State Review

The request for State review of the decision must be submitted on behalf of the complainant or respondent within ten (10) days of the decision of the Linn, Benton, Lincoln Workforce Investment Board Director to:

State Grievance Coordinator
Oregon Department of Community Colleges and Workforce Development (CCWD)
255 Capitol Street NE
Salem, OR 97310

Or, in the absence of a decision, within fifteen (15) days from the date the



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complainant should have received a decision.

The State may request all necessary information, including, but not limited to the following:

- Copy of the written complaint/grievance
- Synopsis of the informal resolution efforts
- Tapes of and exhibits from the hearing
- Hearing Officer's recommendation
- Linn, Benton, Lincoln Workforce Investment Board Director's decision.

The CCWD will review the complaint within ten (10) days of receipt of the request for review to ensure that the hearing process was followed and that any regulations were correctly interpreted. For purposes of the review, the Linn, Benton, Lincoln Workforce Investment Board's factual determination will be accepted. If the record contains enough information to render a decision, CCWD will issue a final decision within thirty (30) days of receipt of the request for review as to whether the process was followed and whether a material regulation or legal requirement was incorrectly or inadequately interpreted.

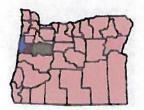
If the hearing was in accordance with the hearing procedure, and the material regulations were correctly interpreted, CCWD shall issue a final written decision to all parties affirming Linn, Benton, Lincoln Workforce Investment Board's decision.

If within ten (10) days of receipt of the request for review CCWD finds any evidence of an irregularity in the hearing process, or determines that a material regulation was incorrectly or inadequately interpreted and additional information is needed to render a final decision, the Linn, Benton, Lincoln Workforce Investment Board will be given fifteen (15) days to gather and provide CCWD the additional information. Such requirement for additional information will include any necessary instructions. CCWD will review the additional information and issue a final decision to all parties within thirty (30) days of receipt of the request to review, either affirming or denying Linn, Benton, Lincoln Workforce Investment Board's decision.

10. Recourse Available to the Claimant After State Review Process

If the State does not complete a review within thirty (30) days of receipt of request, the complainant or respondent may request a review with the Secretary of Labor within sixty (60) days from the original review completion date (see 20 CFR 667.610).

If either party has received an adverse decision from the State they may appeal





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to the Secretary of Labor within one hundred twenty (120) days from the date of filing of the complaint with the State, or the filing of the appeal of a local complaint with the State (See 20 CFR 667.610).

All appeals must be submitted by certified mail, return receipt requested, and addressed to:

Secretary of Labor U. S. Department of Labor Washington, D.C. 20210 Attention: ASET

A copy of the appeal must be simultaneously provided to the opposing party and to the Employment and Training Administration Regional Administrator addressed as follows:

Regional Administrator Employment and Training Administration U. S. Department of Labor 71 Stevenson Street, 8th Floor San Francisco, CA 94119

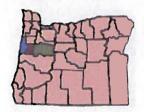
#### II. PROCEDURE FOR DISCRIMINATION COMPLAINTS

Complaints alleging violation of the equal employment opportunity and nondiscrimination provision of the Workforce Investment Act and implementing regulations will follow the State of Oregon Methods of Administration (MOA), and will be processed in such a manner as to assure accurate and timely communication among the CCWD, Regional Equal Opportunity Officer and the Equal Opportunity Coordinator.

The complaint may be filed either with the WorkSource site, Regional EO Officer, Equal Opportunity Coordinator, CCWD EO Officer, State of Oregon EO Officer, or directly with the Director of the U.S. Department of Labor Civil Rights Center (CRC). In order to provide for prompt and informal resolution, any complainant alleging violation of

the equal employment opportunity or nondiscrimination provisions of the WIA relating to a Service Provider of the Linn, Benton, Lincoln Workforce Investment Board or an affiliate is encouraged to file the complaint directly with that agency or with the Regional EO Officer.

To the extent possible, complaints will be resolved amicably as close to the point of service as possible. The complainant has the option of resolving the complaint through the Alternative Disputes Resolution (ADR) process (see II.F.4 below).





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## A. Notification and Responsibilities in the Receipt of a Complaint Notification and communication requirements are in place to assure that all appropriate parties are notified of an EO complaint. These procedures call for:

- All complaints received by the CCWD EO Officer and referred to the Equal Opportunity Coordinator for resolution will be referred through the Regional EO officer.
- 2. The EO Coordinator receiving a complaint directly from a complainant, a WorkSource site, or a referral directly from the CCWD EO Officer is responsible for notifying the Regional EO Officer of the complaint.
- 3. A WorkSource site receiving a complaint directly from a complainant is responsible for notifying the EO Coordinator by following the Comment(s)/Concern(s) Process.
- 4. Complaints filed with the Regional EO Officer will be referred to the EO Coordinator for resolution. In cases where a potential conflict of interest may exist, the Regional EO Officer may be asked to assist in the resolution of the complaint.
- 5. When a complaint is filed against a partner in a WorkSource setting, the EO Coordinator must notify all co-located partners. The EO Coordinator is responsible for notifying the Regional EO Officer that a complaint has been received and the basis for the complaint without revealing confidential information. The Regional EO Officer is responsible for notifying the Linn, Benton, Lincoln Workforce Investment Board Director and Chair of the Board of the complaint.

#### **B.** Complaint Processing Procedures

The complaint process is defined in considerable detail in the body of the MOA, which recipients are required to sign as a condition of compliance. Recipients must comply with the procedures defined in the State of Oregon MOA in the event a complaint is filed against a WIA financially assisted program or activity on the basis of prohibited grounds of discrimination or lack of equal opportunity. All other complaints filed in WorkSource settings on the basis of grounds not described herein, such as food stamp eligibility, are not subject to this complaint procedure and

are resolved by the state partner agencies using their own established complaint processes. Most federal contractors have complaint processing procedures that meet federal standards and must assure that their subcontractors also comply with federal standards.

#### C. Basis for a Complaint

 Complaints may be filed under the MOA on the basis of alleged discrimination on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, age, disability, political affiliation or belief, and for beneficiaries only, citizenship and WIA Title





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I participation; and,

- Complaints may be filed under the MOA if an individual believes they have been intimidated, retaliated against, threatened or coerced because they have:
  - a. Filed a complaint under WIA Section 188;
  - b. Opposed a practice prohibited by the non-discrimination and equal opportunity provisions of WIA;
  - c. Furnished information to, or assisted or participated in any manner, an investigation, review, hearing, or any other activity related to the provisions under 29 CFR 37; or
  - d. Exercised any rights and privileges under WIA Section 188.

#### D. Elements of the Complaint Process

The complaint process includes five general elements:

- 1. Jurisdiction;
- 2. Methods of resolution or disposition:
- 3. Notice of final disposition:
- 4. Processing time-frames; and,
- 5. Recordkeeping.

At the service level, the EO Coordinator and Regional EO Officer oversees the complaint process, which may progress to the State CCWD EO Officer (in the case of WIA IB funds) or to the recipient's state agency EO Officer (in the case of non-WIA IB funds) and on to DOL's CRC through the statewide EO Officer. When a complaint is filed against a partner in a WorkSource setting, the EO Coordinator must notify all co-located partners and the Regional EO Officer a complaint has been received and the basis for the complaint without revealing confidential information.

#### E. Who May File Complaints and When

- 1. Complaints may be filed by:
  - a. Applicant/registrant for aid, benefits, services or training, eligible applicants/registrants, participants; or
  - b. Employees; applicants for employment; or
  - c. Eligible service providers and service providers that may be attributed a characteristic protected under the WIA.
- 2. Generally, there are three types of complaints:
  - Individuals filing on their own behalf;
  - b. Individuals or a group filing on a class basis; or,
  - c. A third party complaint authorized by the complainant in writing.

All complaints must be submitted in writing within 180 days of the alleged incident, and must contain standard information as described in 29 CFR 37.73 as printed in the Department of Labor's Civil Rights Center's (CRC) Complaint Information





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Form. However, for good cause shown, the Directorate of the CRC may extend the filing time. The Linn, Benton, Lincoln Workforce Investment Board's, Workforce Investment Act Comment(s)/Concern(s) Form is provided to all Service Providers for this purpose.

The time period for filing is for the administrative convenience of CRC, and does not create a defense for the respondent.

#### F. The Complaint Process

1. Receipt of a Complaint

On receipt, the EO Coordinator and Regional EO Officer review the complaint for:

- Jurisdiction;
- · Timeliness; and the
- Basis of the complaint.

#### a. Jurisdiction

Any complaint alleging discrimination must meet the following criteria to be considered under this policy:

- That the individual making the complaint believes that he/she, or any class of individuals, has been subjected to discrimination on a basis prohibited by Workforce Investment Act Section 188 and/or 29 CFR 37.
- That the individual or entity against which the complaint is filed receives financial assistance under the Workforce Investment Act (refer to 29 CFR Part 37.4 for definitions of recipient, etc.);

#### b. Timeliness

The written complaint is filed within 180 days of the alleged discriminatory act. If received later than 180 days from when the discriminatory action took place, the office may close the complaint as being untimely (The Director, Civil Rights Center may extend the filing time if good cause is shown); and

#### c. Basis for the Complaint

That the complaint is filed in writing, is signed by the complainant or their authorized representative, contains the complainant's name and address (or gives other specific means of contact), identifies the respondent, and describes the complainant's allegations in sufficient detail to allow the recipient to determine if the complaint has merit.

- d. The written complaint must contain the following information:
  - The complainant's name and address (or other means of contact);
  - The identity of the respondent (the individual or entity that the complainant alleges is responsible for the discrimination);
  - · A description of the complainant's allegations. This description



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must include enough detail to allow the Director of the recipient, as applicable, to decide whether:

- USDOL CRC or the recipient, as applicable, has jurisdiction over the complaint;
- The complaint was filed in time; and
- o The complainant has apparent merit; in other words, whether the complainant's allegations, if true, would violate any of the nondiscrimination and equal opportunity provisions of WIA or this part; and the complainant's signature or the signature of the complainant's authorized representative.
- The Linn, Benton, Lincoln Workforce Investment Board's Workforce Investment Act Comment(s)/Concern(s) Form is provided for this purpose and meets the above standards.

#### 2. Written Notification

Immediately upon receipt of a written complaint the EO Coordinator must send written notice to the complainant. This written notice must contain:

- A complaint process timeline, including that written Notice of Final Action is due 90 days after the complaint is filed;
- References to ADR options;
- Option of direct filing with USDOL CRC; and
- An acknowledgment that the recipient has received the complaint.

The complaint must be entered in the Equal Opportunity Discrimination Complaint Log and a copy of the written complaint must be forwarded to the Regional EO Officer within 5 days of the filing of the written complaint. The EO Coordinator logging the complaint also notifies other state recipient

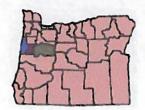
partners in the WorkSource and other required parties that a complaint has been filed against a specific recipient, and the alleged basis for the complaint.

The EO Coordinator investigates and prepares the Initial Response within 20 days. The Initial Response must contain a statement of the issue(s), including a list of the issues raised in the complaint, and for each such issue, a statement whether the recipient will accept the issue for investigation or reject the issue, and the reasons for each rejection.

#### 3. Notice of Lack of Jurisdiction

The EO Coordinator will notify the complainant in writing immediately, if it is determined that:

• There is no jurisdiction, or multi-jurisdiction. In such cases, the





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complainant must be notified immediately in writing of the reason(s), noting the right to file a complaint with the CRC within 30 days of the date on which the complainant receives the notice. Lack of jurisdiction may be based upon untimely filing of a complaint that is filed more than 180 days from the alleged incident. Should the complainant appeal a decision based on late filing with the CRC, the complainant has the burden of proving to the Directorate of the CRC that the time limit should be extended as described at 29 CFR 37.81.

 The complaint falls outside the scope of the State of Oregon MOA. In such cases the complainant will be referred to the recipient assigned jurisdiction and the complaint will be processed through the appropriate complaint process.

#### The written Notice of Lack of Jurisdiction must include:

- A statement of the reasons for that determination;
- Notice that the complainant has a right to file a complaint with USDOL CRC within 30 days of the date on which the complainant receives the Notice. If the complaint that does not involve a recipient as defined under 29 CFR Part 37.4, the EO Coordinator will assist the complainant in forwarding the complaint to the most appropriate agency for resolution; and.
- Referral, as appropriate, to the recipient agency with jurisdiction over the complaint.

#### 4. Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR)

It is the policy of the State that Alternative Dispute Resolution programs exist in every state agency, for use internally and with external customers. In addition, Oregon Revised Statutes Chapter 36, Mediation and Arbitration,

state that it is the intent of the State to foster the development of community based programs to assist citizens in resolving disputes and developing skills in conflict resolution. To facilitate this intent, the Oregon Dispute Resolution Commission operates a clearinghouse to point disputants toward ADR resources. ADR activities are authorized at Oregon Revised Statutes 183.502. The ODRC website can be found at: www.ordc.state.or.us

EO Coordinator are trained on the elements of ADR and all WorkSource sites have been encouraged to identify and use local ADR resources. The Service Provider EO Coordinator will attempt to initiate the ADR process with the complainant and contact the state/recipient agency EO Coordinator if necessary. The complainant must be offered ADR immediately upon receipt of the complaint. The choice whether to use ADR rests with the complainant; the preferred form of ADR is mediation.





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Mediation is a voluntary process during which a neutral third party assists both parties (complainant and respondent) to communicate their concerns and come to an agreement about how to resolve a dispute. The mediator does not make decisions, rule as to who is right or wrong, take sides or advocate for one side or the other. The role of the mediator is to help with communication so the parties can reach an understanding about how to best resolve their differences. As the law allows, mediation proceedings and the information shared are confidential and no information divulged during this mediation may be used in court or any legal or administrative proceedings.

If ADR fails, the complaint will be processed through the recipient's standard complaint resolution process. A party to any agreement reached under ADR may file a complaint with the Director, USDOL CRC in the event the agreement is breached. In such circumstances, the following rules will apply:

- The non-breaching party may file a complaint with the Director, USDOL CRC within 30 days of the date on which the non-breaching party learns of the alleged breach;
- The Director, USDOL CRC must evaluate the circumstances to determine whether the agreement has been breached. If he or she determines that the agreement has been breached, the complainant may file a complaint with USDOL CRC based upon his/her original allegation(s), and the Director will waive the time deadline for filing such a complaint.

If the parties do not reach an agreement under ADR, the complainant may file a complaint with the Director, Civil Rights Center.

#### 5. Fact Finding/Investigation

The EO Coordinator has 30 days in which to resolve the complaint. During this time the EO Coordinator should gather all available information relating to the alleged discriminatory actions. At a minimum this fact finding should include:

- Discussion with the complainant to identify the elements of the complaint;
- Interviews with witnesses or others who have knowledge of the issue involved;
- Review of written and electronic files and records which pertain to the complainant and the alleged discrimination; and
- Interviews with the person(s) accused of the act (the respondent).

The investigator should take extensive notes during this process to assure nothing is missed and to help with the resolution of the complaint.





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#### 6. Initial Response

The EO Coordinator has up to 20 days from receipt of the complaint to investigate and prepare and issue the Initial Response, which includes acknowledgment that:

- The recipient has received the complaint:
- The complainant has the right to be represented in the complaint process;
- A statement of issues accepted or denied and reasons for denial; and,
- Other required elements specified at 29 CFR 37.70 et seq.

Following the Initial Response, the EO Coordinator continues to investigate and attempts to resolve the complaint for up to 20 additional days.

#### 7. Notice of Final Action

Within 90 days of the receipt of a complaint, a written Notice of Final Action must be provided to the complainant. The Notice must contain the following information, for each issue raised in the complaint, a statement of either:

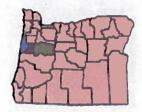
- The recipient's decision on the issue and an explanation of the reasons underlying the decision, or a description of the way the parties resolved the issue; and
- Notice that the complainant has a right to file a complaint with USDOL CRC within 30 days of the date on which the Notice of Final Action is issued if he or she is dissatisfied with the recipient's final action on the complaint.

The EO Coordinator prepares a draft Notice of Final Action for review by the statewide EO Officer residing at the Oregon Employment Department. The

statewide EO Officer takes up to 30 days to provide technical support to those preparing the Final Notice to assure that it contains the required elements per CFR, before the Service Provider EO Coordinator returns the Final Notice to the complainant. The written Final Notice explains for each issue raised:

- The recipient's decision and basis for it; or a description of the way the parties resolved the issue; and
- Appeal rights.

The Statewide EO Officer logs the complaint, informs the Governor and USDOL CRC of its resolution, and recommends to the Governor or Governor's representative corrective action and/or sanctions that may be needed to cure the complainant. If corrective actions are required, the Statewide EO Officer monitors them and reports to the Governor and USDOL CRC on their satisfactory completion, within the remaining 20 days remaining in the 90-day complaint process.





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The Final Notice is due 90 days from the date of initial filing of the complaint. If the complainant is dissatisfied with the Final Notice, or there is no Final Notice issued, the complainant must wait an additional 30 days from the issue of the Final Notice, or the date the Final Notice was due, before filing a complaint with USDOL CRC.

#### 8. Resolution

Resolution means that legitimate complaints (those complaints with merit) are resolved to the satisfaction of the complainant. If the complaint is determined not to have merit, the complainant must be notified immediately as explained under II.F.3. Notice of Lack of Jurisdiction above.

If the EO Coordinator is unable to reach resolution within 30 days the complaint and all information gathered during the local-level investigation must be passed to the Regional EO Officer responsible for resolution.

An extension may be requested by the EO Coordinator, with the permission of the Regional EO Officer, to facilitate resolution. Resolution may include such actions as:

- Disciplinary action against the party found responsible for discriminatory action(s);
- Corrective actions required by the recipient; and
- Sanctions against the recipient of WIA funding, including the withdrawal of WIA funding.

#### a. Due Process

During the process of attempting to come to resolution of the complaint, the EO Coordinator (and Regional EO Officer in cases where the complaint is passed on after unsuccessfully reaching resolution) shall assure that all parties involved are given due process. These due process elements include:

- Notice to all parties of the specific charges;
- Notice to all parties of the responses to the allegations;
- The right of both parties to representation;
- The right of each party to present evidence, and to question others who present evidence; and
- A decision made strictly on the evidence on the record.

#### b. Determinations

At the conclusion of the investigation of the complaint, the investigating authority must take the following actions:

· Determine whether there is reasonable cause to believe that the



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respondent has violated the nondiscrimination and equal opportunity provisions of WIA or 29 CFR Part 37; and

 Notify the complainant and respondent, in writing, of that determination.

#### i. Violation Found

If the investigating authority finds reasonable cause to believe that the respondent has violated the nondiscrimination and equal opportunity provisions of WIA or 29 CFR Part 37, an Initial Determination must be issued. The Initial Determination must include:

- The specific findings of the investigation;
- The corrective or remedial action that the Governor's Office and Statewide EO Officer proposes to the respondent, under I.B.9 of this MOA and 29 CFR Part 37.94;
- The time by which the respondent must complete the corrective or remedial action;
- Whether it will be necessary for the respondent to enter into a written agreement under I.B.9 of this MOA and 29 CFR Part 37.95 and 37.96; and
- The opportunity to engage in voluntary compliance negotiations.

#### ii. Violation Not Found

If the investigating authority determines that there is no reasonable cause to believe that a violation has taken place, a Final Determination must be issued. The Final Determination represents the Governor's Office and Statewide EO Officer's final action on the complaint. The Final Determination must:

- Be issued within the 90 day complaint resolution period;
- Give the investigating authority's decision on the issue and an explanation of the reasons underlying the decision; and
- Notice that the complainant has the right to file the complaint with the Director, Civil Rights Center.

#### c. Corrective Actions

If, during the course of investigating the complaint, discriminatory actions are discovered, corrective action will be taken immediately, regardless of whether the complaint is resolved at the state level or is filed with USDOL CRC. This process of corrective actions and sanctions





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is described in Element Nine of the State of Oregon MOA.

#### G. Record Maintenance

EO Officers shall maintain records regarding complaints and actions taken for at least three years. Such records shall be maintained in a secure area and made available only to those with authorization. The complaint and any information gathered during the investigation may not be discussed or revealed to anyone not legitimately entitled to access (29 CFR 37.41). Investigators from the USDOL CRC will have access to any information collected by each recipient as outlined in 29 CFR 37.40.

General Guidelines for Allegations of Criminal Fraud and/or Abuse: Information and complaints involving criminal fraud, waste, abuse or other criminal activity must be reported immediately.

## A. Notification through State Department of Community Colleges and Workforce Development

The Policy of the State Department of Community Colleges and Workforce Development (CCWD) is that "all incidents of suspected criminal activity shall be reported through the State CCWD to the Regional Office of Inspector General (OIG) and the Regional Administrator of the united State Department of Labor (DOL). CCWD will manage the investigation and resolution process to assure reported incidents are closed in a timely manner." (CCWD Policy Number 589-40.2)

All allegations of fraud, waste, abuse or other criminal activity must be reported directly to the State CCWD via telephone (800-282-6514).

Once reported via telephone, prepare and forward to CCWD, within one workday, the DOL Incident Report DLI-156 8/83 with a copy to Linn, Benton, Lincoln Workforce Investment Board Director. CCWD will notify DOL Regional OIG Office and Regional Administrator and analyze the report and draft recommendations for further action.

#### **B. Notification through DOL Incident Reporting System**

Customers and staff may also report incidents through the DOL's Incident Reporting System. There are several methods through which allegations may be reported:

- 1. Website Report: Go to www.oig.dol.gov and select OIG Hotline. Complete the HOTLINE FORM and submit as directed.
- 2. Email: Allegations may be sent via email to: oig.dol.gov (put "hotline complaint" in the subject line).
- 3. Telephone: Call the toll-free telephone number: 800-347-3756.
- 4. Fax: Send a fax statement to: 202-693-7020.



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5. Letter: Write a complaint and send it to:

US Department of Labor Office of Inspector General Office of Investigations Room 55506 200 Constitution Avenue NW Washington DC 20210

Individuals who provide information on allegations of fraud, waste, abuse, and mismanagement of federal funds in programs administered or funded by the DOL may remain anonymous, ask that their identities be held in confidence, or provide their names, with no restrictions. The request for confidentiality must be specified. The DOL policy is to honor requests for confidentiality and not to release any data that would identify such individuals unless required to do so by order of law (e.g., court order, subpoena).

# THE LINN, BENTON, LINCOLN WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD Workforce Investment Act COMMENT(S)/CONCERN(S) FORM

NAME (please print)	
	DATE
ADDRESS	PHONE
	EMAIL
Comment(s) / Concern(s) Please explain as briefly and	I clearly as possible (Use backside if needed)
Staff person responsible (if applicable):  Date of occurrence (if applicable):	
Do you seek a solution? [ ] Yes [ ] No	
If yes, what solution do you seek for this concern to be re	esolved to your satisfaction?
Would you like to be contacted regarding your concern?	Yes [ ] No [ ]
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#### UNDERSTANDING YOUR RIGHTS DECLARATION

#### **EQUAL OPPORTUNITY IS THE LAW**

It is against the law for this recipient of federal financial assistance to discriminate on the following basis:

Against any individual in the United States, on the basis on race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, disability, political affiliation or belief; and against any beneficiary of programs financially assisted under Title I of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998 (WIA), on the basis of the beneficiary's citizenship/status as a lawfully admitted immigrant authorized to work in the United States, or his or her participation in any WIA Title I-financially assisted program or activity.

The recipient must not discriminate in any of the following areas:

Deciding who will be admitted, or have access, to any WIA Title I-financially assisted program or activity; providing opportunities in, or treating any person with regard to, such a program or activity; or making employment decisions in the administration of, or in connection with, such a program or activity.

## WHAT TO DO IF YOU BELIEVE YOU HAVE EXPERIENCED DISCRIMINATION

If you think that you have been subjected to discrimination under a WIA title IB financially assisted program or activity, you may file a complaint within 180 days from the date of the alleged violation with either:

The recipient's Equal Opportunity Officer (or the person whom the recipient has designated for this purpose); or The Director, Civil Rights Center (CRC), U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue NW, Room N-4123, Washington, DC 20210.

- If you file your complaint with the recipient, you must wait either until the recipient issues a written Notice of Final Action, or until 90 days have passed (whichever is sooner), before filing with the Civil Rights Center (see address above).
- If the recipient does not give you a written Notice of Final Action within 90 days of the day on which you filed your complaint, you do not have to wait for the recipient to issue that Notice before filing a complaint with the CRC. However, you must file your CRC complaint within 30 days of the 90-day deadline (in other words, within 120 days after the day on which you filed your complaint with the recipient).
- If the recipient does give you written Notice of Final Action on your complaint, but you are dissatisfied with the
  decision or resolution, you may file a complaint with the CRC. You must file your CRC complaint within 30 days of
  the date on which you received the Notice of Final Action.

#### WHAT TO DO IF YOU HAVE A NON-CRIMINAL COMPLAINT EXCLUDING DISCRIMINATION

If you have a non-criminal complaint excluding discrimination it must be filed with the Equal Opportunity Coordinator. Please ask a representative for The Linn, Benton, Lincoln Workforce Investment Board Workforce Investment Act Comments(s) / Concern(s) Form to submit your complaint. Complaints must be filed within 1 year of the alleged occurrence. Upon receipt of the complaint, the EO Coordinator will contact you within five-days to discuss the nature of your complaint. Within ten-days of the filing of the complaint, the EO Coordinator will attempt to resolve the matter. You will be notified in writing of the determination within 15 days of the filing of the complaint.

FOR INFORMATION OR TO FILE A COMPLAINT, CONTACT: Community Services Consortium, 545 SW 2<sup>nd</sup>, Suite A, Corvallis, OR 97333, 541-758-2615.

I, the undersigned, have read and unders	tand the notice on this page.
Signature:	Date:

The Linn, Benton, Lincoln Workforce Investment Board is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action employer. Ascailary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities.

### Exhibit P-17

- WIA Documentation Tab
- I-Trac Organization Policy/Standard Operating Procedures





## **WIA Documentation Tab**

Documentation of eligibility elements is required to validate the integrity of the workforce system data. The primary purpose of this tab is to document WIA eligibility and determine appropriate priority of service for customers that will engage in WIA intensive and training services. Documentation is not required for the customer to engage in WIA self directed & informational or staff assisted services.

Rules are built into I-Trac service controls to prevent intensive and/or training services from being added to the customer record until all required eligibility elements are documented as appropriate and the Documentation Completion control is populated.

Some eligibility elements may be considered documented with a customer attestation, which is secured during the WSO customer registration process. Where a customer attestation is allowable, the documentation dropdown allows staff to select 'WSO Customer Registration Attestation'.

I-Trac will go through a process to determine the documentation completion status (Documentation Results control), which include Pending Missing Information and WIA Prioritization.

- <u>Pending Missing Information:</u> will indicate the data elements that are missing and required in order to document eligibility.
- WIA Prioritization: will indicate the type of prioritization for this customer.
  - Veteran: requires the customer is a documented veteran. If the documentation selected is 'No Document – Eligible/Not Prioritized', then the customer is a non-documented veteran and priority cannot be provided. (WIA Adult or WIA DW funds)
  - o Low Income: requires the customer is documented low income. (WIA Adult funds only)
  - Public Assistance: requires the customer is a documented public assistance recipient. If the
    document selected is 'No Document Eligible/Not Prioritized', then the customer is a nondocumented public assistance recipient and priority cannot be provided. (WIA Adult funds only).

Documentation is complete when staff enters a date and staff name into the Documentation Completion control. I-Trac rules will prevent staff from being able to do this until all missing information has been entered. Once this step is complete, all controls are locked and cannot be modified.

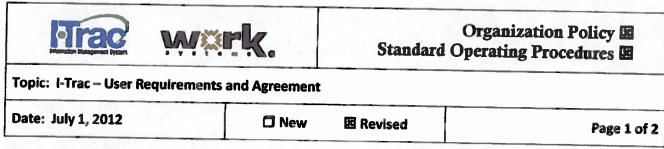
### **WIA Adult/DW Program Status Control**

This is a read only control which contains data related to the enrollment.

WS Job Seeker ID: this I-Trac customer record was created from this WS Job Seeker ID in WOMIS. This ID cannot be modified.

<u>Application Date</u>: a date imported from WOMIS and is the date the staff indicates debrief was completed in WOMIS.

Registration Date: a date imported from WOMIS and is the date the staff indicates debrief was completed in WOMIS. A registration date must be present for the customer to begin receiving WIA services and indicates the customer has completed all WIA eligibility criteria.



#### **Policy Statement**

The I-Trac Information Management System and related tools (I-Trac) are managed and operated by Worksystems, Inc. (WSI) System Administrators. I-Trac System Administrators, WSI staff, or other designated employees of WSI contractors will authorize Users of I-Trac based on a job-related need to access and input data to the system. Permissions and access levels are defined by fund for each User. The following outlines the account requirements, the confidentiality standards, and data entry requirements that all Users must agree and adhere to. Any misuse or violation of this User Agreement will result in account termination.

#### **User Agreement**

User access may be terminated at any time without prior notice to Users or authorized managers. Users will cooperate with any necessary investigation concerning the misuse or misappropriation of information. WSI or authorized managers monitor activities related to the use of I-Trac without any additional notice to Users.

#### **Account Requirements**

- Users must agree to this User Agreement in its entirety. The User Agreement may be updated at any time, at which time all Users will be required to review and agree again.
- Authorized managers must agree to the Users' required access to I-Trac and assign User permissions by fund and appropriate access levels.
- Users must complete I-Trac training conducted by an authorized I-Trac Trainer prior to permissions assignment. Training is designed and conducted by fund, and access to multiple funds may require multiple trainings.
- Users must be an employee of an organization authorized by WSI to use I-Trac.
- Each User must have an email account issued by the authorized organization with an authorized domain. Hotmail, Yahoo, Gmail and other accounts of this nature are not acceptable.
- Users may not have access to funds where they are also a participant of the fund, with the only
  exception of WIA Adult and WIA Dislocated Worker. Where User has access to WIA Adult and WIA
  Dislocated Worker funds and has ever been a customer, they may not access their personal customer
  record/data for any reason at any time.

#### **Confidentiality Standards**

 All information in the I-Trac database and related data systems is confidential and shall not be disclosed to any person or organization except those authorized to receive information.





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- Users will comply with all applicable federal and state privacy and confidentiality laws. Failure to comply with such laws may result in a criminal prosecution or civil sanctions.
- Users working directly with WorkSource customers must also comply with the Oregon Employment Department's confidentiality standards, complete training and sign related Agreements.
- Users no longer needing I-Trac access due to changes in job duties or employment will no longer access
  the database or related data systems. Authorized approvers are responsible for informing I-Trac
  System Administrators or authorized employees of WSI contractors to deactivate User accounts when
- Users will not share username/passwords with anyone for any reason. If username/password has been compromised, User will notify I-Trac System Administrators or authorized employees of WSI contractors and change their password immediately.
- Users that are logged in will not allow anyone for any reason to view, enter, modify or delete any data
- Users will not use I-Trac for personal activities and will only access information as it pertains to the User's job duties.
- Users will comply with this User Agreement even after authorization to use I-Trac has expired or account deactivated.

#### **Data Entry Timeline**

Timelines are established to ensure that all data is current and processed in a timely manner to avoid disallowed costs, service delays and ensure accurate and timely data transmissions and reports. All required information must be entered within five business days of the event that generated the information.

#### I-Trac Support:

Direct questions to support@i-trac.org

## Exhibit P-20

• WSI POLICY: Data Safeguards





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#### Purpose

Defines the procedures and precautions used to safeguard Worksystems, Inc. I-Trac data.

## **Policy Statement**

- All access to data requires authentication.
- All reports accessible from the web that show individual client data require authentication.
- No reports accessible from the web will show Social Security Number.
- The network infrastructure is designed so that data stores are not directly accessible from the web.
- All information access from the web is via a middle tier application that requires user authentication.

#### **Procedures**

- All databases are backed up daily.
- Databases with the capability run transaction logs synchronized with successful backups.
- Databases with the capability dump data nightly to a different server.
- All servers use fault tolerance for data drives that can include mirroring or RAID 5.
- Tapes are stored offsite.

### Exhibit P-21

I-Trac Exit Procedure





## **WSO Registration Tab**

This tab reflects the data related to enrollment eligibility and is imported data collected in WOMIS during customer registration. For more information about customer registration process, please see WorkSource Customer Registration section of this manual.

## WIA Adult/DW Program Status Control

This is a read only control which contains data related to the enrollment.

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Participation Date: this date reflects the first WIA service entered in the Services Tab of this enrollment episode.

Exit Date: this is the date the customer was exited. If this date is blank, the customer enrollment episode has not been exited. An exit occurs when the customer does not engage in a service for 90 days. The exit is automated by I-Trac as the most recent of the following:

- LQOED Service Date
- LQ Fund Service Date
- LQ Partner Fund Service Date

<u>WIA Documentation Date:</u> this is the date that WIA Documentation was completed. The date comes from the Documentation Completion control on the WIA Documentation Tab.

<u>LQOED Service Date:</u> 'Last Qualifying Oregon Employment Department' Service Date. This date is imported from WOMIS and is the last iMatchSkills or Trade Act (TAA) service date recorded for this customer. This date is considered in the I-Trac automated exit procedure.

<u>LQ Fund Service Date:</u> 'Last Qualifying' Service Date. This date reflects the most recent service date entered into this enrollment. This date is considered in the I-Trac automated exit procedure. This is the most recent date of the following elements:

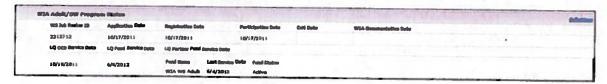
- Service Start Date
- Service End Date
- Date of a Case Note that Extends Participation





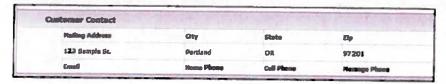
LQ Partner Fund Service Date: 'Last Qualifying' Fund Service Date in the I-Trac Partner Fund(s). In other words, the fund name(s) listed in this field represent all the funds the customer is co-enrolled in anytime during the WIA enrollment episode. This date is considered in the I-Trac automated exit procedure.

<u>Definitions Link</u>: provides definitions for these data elements.



#### **Customer Contact Control**

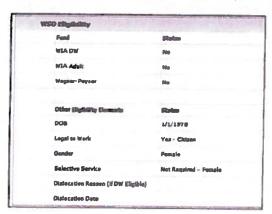
This is a read only control and is data imported from WOMIS. If this information needs to be updated, it must be updated in the WOMIS database by staff or the customer.



#### **WSO Eligibility Control**

This is a read only control and is data imported from WOMIS. This information is related to customer WIA eligibility for this enrollment. If this information needs to be updated, it must be updated in the WOMIS database by staff or the customer.

Since customers and WorkSource center staff have the ability to modify the customer registration mid enrollment and staff can also modify eligibility, this section will reflect the current eligibility status from WOMIS for the participant. Once the exit occurs, the enrollment's eligibility will no longer change and any changes in eligibility are reflected as current in any new enrollment episodes if the customer completes registration process.







## **Outcomes Tab**

The Outcomes screen is where exit data, outcomes/performance and placement data are entered and tracked.

## **Program Status Control**

This data control is used to display current program status and enter exit and followup status data (as appropriate). The Program Status data control displays a customer's progression through the system. The Application, Registration and Participation statuses are set on their respective screens.

WIA customers are primarily exited automatically by I-Trac when the customer does not have a State or WIA service for 90 days calculated by the LQOED Service Date and the LQWIA Service Date (for more information, see the WSO Registration Tab section of this manual). The last date of service will become the exit date.

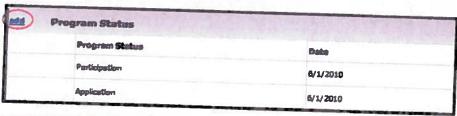
There are some special circumstances where customers must manually exit due to reasons beyond the customer's control to continue engagement in WIA Services. These reasons will remove the participant from WIA performance:

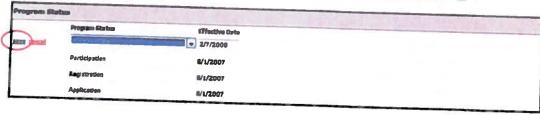
- Called to Active Duty
- Deceased
- Family Care
- Health/Medical
- Incarcerated/Institutionalized
- Reservist Called to Active Military Duty

There are many rules related to manual exit. Staff must first end all open services with appropriate dates and statuses before an exit can be entered. When an exit is automated, I-Trac will close all open services with a status of 'Not Completed' and the end date is set to the last date of service.

if there is an exit in the enrollment, the customer may be required to complete the Welcome process again to reregister.

To enter data: click add, enter data and click save





## Exhibit P-24

- Cooperating Site Training Agreement
- On-the-Job Training Agreement
- Maintenance of Effort Agreement

## COOPERATING SITE TRAINING AGREEMENT

SPONSOR:	SITE:
Community Services Consortium 545 SW 2 <sup>nd</sup> Street, Suite A	
Corvallis, OR 97333	
Purpose of Agreement:	***************************************
The purpose of this Agreement is to establish resparticipants in Community Services Consortium	ponsibilities of the parties for worksite training of programs.
Terms of Agreement:	
The Agreement is entered into between the Site, I Services Consortium, hereafter referred to as CSC	nereafter referred to as Agency, and the Community C, effective, to
Responsibilities of the parties under this Agreeme herein by this reference.	ent are set forth in Attachment "A" and incorporated
MOLES PROJECT WITH DRAFFIELT DILLSTRAM TO THIS COULTS	deral and state statutes, rules and regulations, 312 to 279.316, 279.320 and 279.334, which are erence; and, if this services agreement is for a public ct exceeds \$10,000, the parties further agree to comply thich are incorporated in this service agreement by this
Participants working under the program are not fee by the Office of Personnel Management and are no retirement, leave, etc. The Federal Tort Claims an participants at the federal worksites under this Agr	deral employees for the purpose of laws administered of entitled to any federal benefits such as insurance, d Federal Employees Compensation Act covers eement.
Participants may train at facilities and projects spormunicipal organizations.	nsored by public non-profit, private non-profit, or
COMMUNITY SERVICES CONSORTIUM	SITE
Manager	Site Name
Employment Specialist	Site Representative
Date	Title
	Date
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#### ATTACHMENT "A"

#### RESPONSIBILITIES OF SITE

The Site agrees to:

- 1. Ensure the adequate, qualified supervision of each participant, which includes the following:
  - Orienting participants to worksites and explaining safety rules and standard work policies.
  - b. Assigning tasks to participants as outlined in training goals for each participant.
  - c. Providing participants with a safe and sanitary work environment and necessary working tools and equipment ordinarily provided to regular employees.
  - d. Reporting participant progress to CSC.
- Submit to CSC accurate time records, evaluations, and other forms in accordance with instructions provided by CSC.
- 3. Provide sufficient, meaningful work to occupy all participants assigned during the hours they are at the worksite and ensure that such work is in accordance with this Agreement.
- Abide by the Occupational Safety Health Act (OSHA), Oregon Safe Employees Act (OSEA), the Fair Labor Standards Act (FLSA), and child labor laws.
- 5. Ensure that the activities of participants do not result in the displacement of currently employed workers, including partial displacement, such as reduction in hours of non-overtime work, wages, or employment benefits. No participant may be placed in training in any position when the same or substantially equivalent position is vacant due to a hiring freeze, a strike, or a displacement. If such a freeze, strike, or displacement goes into effect, it is the responsibility of the Site to contact CSC.
- Ensure that no participant will be trained on a project involving construction, operations, or maintenance of a facility used or to be used for sectarian instruction or as a place for religious worship.
- 7. Ensure that no discrimination occurs against any participant because of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, or disability pursuant to Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (Pub. Law No. 101-3360, and other applicable federal and state laws.
- 8. Release participants from scheduled duties as requested by CSC employees to allow participation in training activities.
- Refrain from involving participants in work activities outside of regularly scheduled weekly
  hours. The cost of any hours in excess of regularly scheduled weekly hours must be borne by the
  Agency.
- 10. Ensure that no individual is placed in a WIA work activity if a member of that person's immediate family is directly supervised by or directly supervises that individual.

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#### RESPONSIBILITIES OF CSC

#### CSC agrees to:

- Recruit and refer eligible participants to Site for placement at worksites that match or directly relate to occupational objectives.
- Complete all required enrollment forms.
- Ensure that worksite supervisors receive orientation regarding their responsibilities as trainers of program participants.
- 4. Ensure that participants receive orientation regarding their responsibilities, including:
  - a. Observing safety and other workplace requirements established by the Site.
  - Fulfilling service obligations as established in workplans.
- Pay participants supervised by the Site, upon receipt of timely, accurate and properly executed time sheets for the number of hours reported as work, at the rate of the state minimum wage or at an agreed upon way differential. Such wage payment will be made bi-monthly. All such wages and associated costs will be borne by CSC. CSC will not be responsible for payment of any overtime or holiday pay.
- 6. Provide participants with vocational counseling and occupational information.
- 7. Monitor all worksites for compliance with this Agreement.
- Provide workers' compensation and accident insurance coverage for participants while engaged in regularly scheduled training assignments at assigned non-federal worksites.

#### JOINT RESPONSIBILITIES

#### Both parties to this Agreement:

- Shall keep the Agreement current and accurate by making necessary and appropriate changes in a timely manner.
- 2. May terminate this Agreement immediately upon written notice by either party due to:
  - a. Failure of either party to comply with this Agreement.
  - b. Termination of program funding.

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## COMMUNITY SERVICES CONSORTIUM ON-THE-JOB TRAINING AGREEMENT

CSC Contact;	Employer:	
CSC Phone:	Address:	
Trainee:		
Trainee Soc. Sec. No.:	City:	
Title:	State:	
IRS#:	Zip:	
Employer Phone:		
Worker's Comp. Carrier I.D. #:		
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Merit Increase \$	Total Reimbursement:	
Date of Merit Increase:	Worksite Supervisor:	
Vork Schedule:	Probationary Period:	
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#### **OJT Regulations**

#### **CALCULATIONS**

Training Completion: Training is considered complete when the training period is over

Trainee Gross Pay: This is the amount earned by the trainee for work performed during the training period. Pay does not include fringe benefits.

Contact your CSC representative if the Trainee quits or employment is terminated.

#### **APPLICABLE LAWS AND REGULATIONS**

- The Employer will comply with all applicable Federal, State and local laws, rules and regulations with deal with or relate to employment.
  The Employer is responsible for compliance with provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act.
- Training opportunities covered under an OJT agreement have been created without relocating the business and displacing former employees.
- 3. The Employer has not been barred, suspended, declared ineligible or voluntarily excluded from Federal contracting.
- No Trainee shall be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, religion, gender, national origin, age, disability, political affiliation or belief, citizenship, or status as a Trainee.
- 5. The Employer will comply with all regulations issued by the Department of Labor and applicable laws.
- 6. The program will not result in the displacement of employed workers, impairment of existing contracts for services, or the substitution of federal funds for other funds in connection with work that would otherwise be performed.
- If the Employer has not established a grievance procedure regarding the terms and conditions of employment, the grievance procedure for CSC will be utilized. The Employer shall inform trainees of the grievance procedure to be followed.

#### TRAINEES

- 1. Only those persons certified as eligible by CSC will be hired and trained under this contract.
- 2. No funds received under an agreement may be used to assist, promote, or deter union organizing activities during OJT hours.
- 3. No funds received under an agreement may be used to promote political activities.
- Trainees may not perform religious or anti-religious tasks during training.
- 5. Participants in the program will not be employed in the construction, operation or maintenance of that part of any facility used for religious instruction or worship.
- No trainee will be required or permitted to work or train in conditions that are unsanitary, hazardous or dangerous to the Trainee's health or safety.

#### TRAINEE WAGES AND BENEFITS

- 1. Hourly wages paid to trainees shall not be less than the highest of the following:
  - a. State of Oregon's minimum wage.
  - b. The prevailing wage rate for persons similarly employed.
  - c. The wage rate required by an applicable collective bargaining agreement.
- 2. Appropriate worker's compensation insurance protection will be provided to all participants.
- Each Trainee shall be provided worker's compensation, collective bargaining agreement coverage, and other benefits and working conditions at the same level and to the same extent as other staff similarly employed.

#### **AUDIT AND RECORDS**

- 1. The Employer shall maintain books, records, and documents sufficient to reflect all payroll costs.
- All Trainee records are subject to audit, and must be maintained for three (3) years beyond completion of the Agreement. If any litigation, audit or claim has been initiated, the records will be maintained until a final determination has been made.
- 3. The Employer will be responsible for reporting OJT hires and terminations to CSC.

#### **TERMINATION OF CONTRACT**

This Agreement may be terminated by the Employer, Trainee or CSC upon written notice, or by mutual consent, for:

- 1. Failure of Trainee to meet Employer expectations.
- 2. Failure of Employer to comply with the terms of this Agreement.
- 3. Agreement is automatically terminated of Trainee quits the OJT position.

WORKSITE:		
CONTACT:	PHONE:	
POSITION BEING REVIEWED:		

#### **MAINTENANCE OF EFFORT** YES NO 1. Is/are the position(s) being considered for WIA participant(s) equivalent to any other position in the agency/business? Has anyone been laid-off or terminated from the position(s) 2. referred to above to facilitate this training? A. If YES, do not fill the position. 3. Is anyone in the agency/business on layoff who might bump into this position(s) referred to in Question #1? $\Box$ A. If YES, do not fill the position. The positions of those in layoff under this condition become a "substantially equivalent job." 4. Do you employ regular temporary or seasonal workers? (Regular is defined as a temporary or seasonal worker who received employee benefits AND is recalled on an "as needed" basis). A. If NO, proceed to Question #5. B. If YES, are you hiring or do you anticipate hiring the same number of regular temporary or seasonal workers into a position equivalent to the one being considered for the WIA participant as you employed in the previous season? П If NO, do not fill the position. The workers a. have essentially been laid off. However, if the number of temporary slots has been reduced at the beginning of a fiscal year due to a budget cut and no person is on a recall list for one of these slots, we may place the participant. 5. If the participant is placed in the agency/business, will any currently employed worker be displaced with regard to: A. Reduced hours? B. Reduced wages? C. Reduced employment benefits?

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6.	Does this pos of any current	ition adversely affect the promotional opportunities ly employed individual?		
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7.	Will any existing of this particip	ng contract for services be reduced due to the placement ant?		
	A. If YES	, do not place the participant.		
8.	Does the ager	ncy/business have a bargaining agreement with a union?		
	A. If YES	, is this position covered by that bargaining agreement?		
	a.	If YES, obtain Union concurrence by letter.		
	b.	If NO, request a copy of the bargaining agreement to document this fact personally or call the President of the local union to check that the position is not covered. Place documentation in file.		
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	Telephone N	umber of Representative:		
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COMMUNITY SERVICES CONSORTIUM	SITE
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# COMMUNITY SERVICES CONSORTIUM ON-THE-JOB TRAINING AGREEMENT

CSC Contact:	Employer:
CSC Phone:	
Trainee:	Address:
Trainee Soc. Sec. No.:	City:
Title:	State:
Title:	Zip:
IRS#:	Zip.
Employer Phone:	
Worker's Comp. Carrier I.D. #:	
worker a comp. Carrier I.D. #:	
COMMUNITY SERVICES CONSORTIUM (CSC), and	(EMPLOYER) hereby agree that training for the above
TRAINEE will be provided by the EMPLOYER from	through
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Addendum, which is attached to the AGREEMENT	ER, CSC, or the TRAINEE as outlined in provisions listed in the Agreemen
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Merit Increase \$	
	Total Reimbursement:
Date of Merit Increase:	Worksite Supervisor:
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#### **OJT Regulations**

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- No Trainee shall be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, religion, gender, national origin, age, disability, political affiliation or belief, citizenship, or status as a Trainee.
- The Employer will comply with all regulations issued by the Department of Labor and applicable laws.
- The program will not result in the displacement of employed workers, impairment of existing contracts for services, or the substitution of federal funds for other funds in connection with work that would otherwise be performed.
- If the Employer has not established a grievance procedure regarding the terms and conditions of employment, the grievance procedure for CSC will be utilized. The Employer shall inform trainees of the grievance procedure to be followed.

#### TRAINEES

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- No funds received under an agreement may be used to promote political activities.
- Trainees may not perform religious or anti-religious tasks during training.
- 5. Participants in the program will not be employed in the construction, operation or maintenance of that part of any facility used for religious
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#### TRAINEE WAGES AND BENEFITS

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#### **AUDIT AND RECORDS**

- 1. The Employer shall maintain books, records, and documents sufficient to reflect all payroll costs.
- All Trainee records are subject to audit, and must be maintained for three (3) years beyond completion of the Agreement. If any litigation, audit or claim has been initiated, the records will be maintained until a final determination has been made.
- 3. The Employer will be responsible for reporting OJT hires and terminations to CSC.

#### **TERMINATION OF CONTRACT**

This Agreement may be terminated by the Employer, Trainee or CSC upon written notice, or by mutual consent, for:

- Failure of Trainee to meet Employer expectations.
- Failure of Employer to comply with the terms of this Agreement.
- Agreement is automatically terminated of Trainee quits the OJT position. 3.

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		a.	If NO, do not fill the position. The workers have essentially been laid off. However, if the number of temporary slots has been reduced at the <u>beginning</u> of a fiscal year due to a budget cut and no person is on a recall list for one of these slots, we may place the participant.		
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	A.	If YES,	do not place the participant.			
8.	Does	the agend	cy/business have a bargaining agreement with a union?			
	A.	If YES,	is this position covered by that bargaining agreement?			
		a.	If YES, obtain Union concurrence by letter.			
		b.	If NO, request a copy of the bargaining agreement to document this fact personally or call the President of the local union to check that the position is not covered. Place documentation in file.			
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POLICY: Adults and Dislocated Workers Individual Training Accounts



# POLICY Adults and Dislocated Workers Individual Training Accounts

Date:

Revised February 23, 2010

Subject:

Adults and Dislocated Workers Individual Training Accounts (ITA's)

#### Purpose:

To establish guidelines for the issuance of Individual Training Accounts for participants engaged in approved training. An individual who seeks training services and who is eligible, may, in consultation with a workforce staff, select an eligible training provider from the approved training list. A dated copy of the ETP list must be included in the file. The training must be in a demand occupation.

#### Background:

Issuance of the ITA as defined in the WIA Section 134 (d)(4)(G).

#### Policy:

A decision to issue an ITA is based on the development of the Individual Employment Plan (IEP) and is negotiated between the participant and the Workforce staff.

Funding will vary but shall not exceed \$10,000 per participant for the payment of tuition and fees per enrollment.

The following must be met:

- All participant requests will be reviewed individually and the amount provided will be based on the individual needs, their income, the plan, and the progress the participant is making toward their employment and training goals.
- If a class is failed, WIA funds may not be used to repeat that class.
- The participant must agree to seek appropriate employment at the time they complete training.
- The participant must agree to 90 day contact.
- The expectation is a minimum grade point of 2.0, or passing of all requirements for continued support.
- Participants will sign an agreement (IEP) before they begin the training.

The assessed need for training will include:

- Labor market analysis documenting the demand for the occupation
- Interests, aptitudes
- Previous education/training
- Projection of probable success
- Pell grant application & determination



An eligible participant must be:

- Registered in WORP and verified in I-Trac
- Participated in Intensive services
- Unable to obtain self-sufficient employment with their current skills.

If WIA funds are limited, priority is to those most in need or most likely to benefit. Committed dollars will be locally tracked in each regional office and reported to the Director.

#### Use of Out-of-State Training Providers

It is the policy of the State of Oregon not to include out-of-state training providers on the Statewide Eligible Training Provider List (ETPL). Oregon Region 4 service providers may authorize participants to use WIA Title 1B funded Individual Training Accounts (ITA) to purchase training from out-of-state providers who are not on the statewide ETPL when the following conditions are met:

- a. The availability of training in the particular program or course of study is limited within the Region.
- The Workforce and Education Director, Operations Manager or their assignees are required to approve all out-of-state or distance learning/correspondence course trainings.
- c. Out of state eligible training providers are required to meet appropriate Oregon certification or licensing requirements (example: Oregon State Board of Nursing)
- d. The training provider is included on the state ETPL where the provider is located and the specific training program or course of study is included on the same ETPL.
- e. The conditions above are verified and documented in the participant file, along with the standard conditions outlined in the service provider's required ITA Training policies and procedures which should include, but is not limited to:
  - A reasonable expectation of employment after completion of training, including a Labor Market Review researched by the participant;
  - The training meets the needs of the participant and is compatible with the participant's training plan and capabilities;
  - All other available financial aid and resources have been applied for or secured prior to use of the ITA funds.
  - An element of urgency or exigency exists that would result in the participant's losing the opportunity (e.g., time-limited job is walting for a client if instruction is completed); and
  - A unique, one-time, non-duplicated set of individual circumstances affects an individual participant
- f. The service provider has ensured that the price for the courses is reasonable.
- g. Oregon has reciprocal agreements with Washington and Idaho. See ETPL website for agreement.



#### **In-State Training Providers**

Oregon Region 4 service providers may authorize participants to use WIA Title 1B funded Individual Training Accounts (ITA) to purchase training from in-state providers who are not on the Statewide ETPL when the following conditions are met:

- a. The provider is an accredited college or university (including community colleges) serving students within the state of Oregon:
- b. The participant needs 3 or fewer classes (up to 12 credit hours) to complete a 2- or 4-year degree or credentials to qualify for a professional license;
- c. The courses required are not available through a provider or program on the statewide ETPL;
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  - All other available financial aid and resources have been applied for or secured prior to use of the ITA funds
- e. The service provider has followed appropriate procurement procedures to ensure the price for the courses is reasonable.

POLICY: Adults and Dislocated Workers On-the-Job Training



## POLICY Adults and Dislocated Workers On the Job Training

Date:

Revised February 23, 2010

Subject:

Adults and Dislocated Workers On the Job Training

Purpose:

To establish guidelines for the development of On the Job Training (OJT) contracts and services.

#### **Background:**

Community Services Consortium (CSC) offers training to qualified WIA participants who lack occupational skills necessary to perform the essential duties as defined by the employer. The employer will be reimbursed a percentage (up to 50%) of the participant's wages, to offset the low productivity during the training period.

#### Policy:

An agreement between employer/trainer and CSC will be developed, reviewed and signed by all parties prior to commencement of training.

The participant file will document training needs.

The Agreement will outline wage, benefits, reimbursement rate, total reimbursement amount (including anticipated wage increases), new and upgrade skills, duration of training, work schedule, work site supervisor, probationary period, and total training hours.

Duration of training period will be based on the participant's skill level, the needs identified by the employer/trainer and matched to common industry standards.

On-the-Job Training Agreement

## COMMUNITY SERVICES CONSORTIUM ON-THE-JOB TRAINING AGREEMENT

CSC Contact:	Employer:	
CSC Phone:	Address:	
Trainee:		
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Title:	State:	
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IRS#:		
Employer Phone:		
Worker's Comp. Carrier I.D. #:		
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#### **OJT Regulations**

#### **CALCULATIONS**

Training Completion: Training is considered complete when the training period is over

Trainee Gross Pay: This is the amount earned by the trainee for work performed during the training period. Pay does not include fringe benefits. Contact your CSC representative if the Trainee quits or employment is terminated.

#### APPLICABLE LAWS AND REGULATIONS

- The Employer will comply with all applicable Federal, State and local laws, rules and regulations with deal with or relate to employment. The Employer is responsible for compliance with provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act.
- Training opportunities covered under an OJT agreement have been created without relocating the business and displacing former 2.
- The Employer has not been barred, suspended, declared ineligible or voluntarily excluded from Federal contracting.
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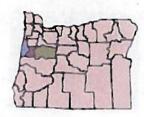
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POLICY: Youth Follow-up Service



## Linn, Benton, Lincoln Workforce Investment Board Linn, Benton, and Lincoln Counties



### POLICY Youth Follow-up Service

Date:

Revised May 6, 2010

Subject:

Youth Follow-up Service

#### Purpose:

To establish guidelines for the provision of follow-up service to participants who have either entered into unsubsidized employment or who have been exited following placement into an unsubsidized employment from a Title IB WIA program.

#### **Background:**

Required elements of follow-up services are defined in the WIA Section 134 (d)(2)(K).

#### Policy:

Follow-up Services must be made available, as appropriate, for a minimum of 12 months following the first day of employment to registered participants who are placed in unsubsidized employment.

Follow-up Services could include, but are not limited to:

- Training that is limited, but necessary to retain or advance in a job, and provided post-placement. Limited training under 40 hours is allowable in follow-up.
- b. Retention services
- c. Support services
- d. Additional career planning and counseling
- e. Contact with the participant's employer including assistance with:
  - Work-related problems
  - Peer support groups
  - Information about additional educational opportunities
  - Referral to supportive service available in the community

Youth may have the above as well as the following:

- Job shadowing;
- A "Youth Day" career exploration activity organized at the One-Stop;
- Use of technology to explore websites and facilitate communication;

To determine the appropriateness for post-placement services the needs must be reviewed and the barriers assessed for the purpose of job retention or wage enhancement.



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The provision of training and supportive services after entry into unsubsidized employment (post placement) will be part of the ISS and clearly documented in the participant case file. In the event an unscheduled need arises, the case notes will reflect the nature of the need.

Carolyn Gardner, Chair	Date
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