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Overview

The Service Needs Assessment is used to identify is support or barrier reduction services and/or referrals are needed. The results are compared to service and referral data in the system to determine if the service need has been addressed.

Who Enters/Maintains Data

Grantees/Career Planners – complete and update their customer's intake information.

Access JTED Service Needs Assessment

- 1. Go to www.IllinoisworkNet.com and log into your partner account.
- 2. Go to My Dashboard.
- 3. Select the IWIS icon (formerly Customer Support Center) in the Partner Tools section.
- 1. Select JTED Project Group.
- 2. Select a customer and then select the Intake tab.
- 3. Select the Service Needs Assessment button to complete the assessment.
 - a. Once the assessment is complete, a link to <u>View Service Needs Assessment mm/dd/yyyy</u> results is available.
 - b. The assessment can be updated by selecting the Service Needs Assessment button, making updates, and saving the results.
 - c. The results of the assessment compared to the actual Barrier Reduction/Support Services and referrals that are entered into the system. For example, if the results indicate a transportation support service or referral is needed and a transportation support service or referral is not in the system, the dashboards will indicate the customer "Needs Attention". Once the system can match the results to a service/referral that was provided, the status will change to "Good".

Service Needs Assessment

1. Do you have housing concerns that could affect your participation in the program? If yes, select from the following:

Select Options	Recommendation	Multi-select options.
Homelessness	Review the Emergency and Transitional Housing Provider List and Housing	 Referral for Housing Assistance Deposits (i.e., Security, Key)
Financial Challenges	Programs/Services available through the Illinois Department of Human Services (IDHS) site.	 First month's rent Application/Background Check Fees Arrears (i.e., Rent, utilities)
	Review local <u>Community Action Agency</u> or local faith based organization services.	RelocationRentStorageUtilities

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2. Do you have transportation concerns that could affect your participation in the program? If yes, select from the following:

Select Options	Recommendation	Multi-select options.
Financial Challenges	Review local <u>Community Action Agency</u> or local faith based organization services.	 Referral for Transportation Assistance Public transit fare/cards Car repairs (up to a \$500 dollar threshold) Plate sticker/city sticker renewal Gas cards Rideshare Fees Bike Repairs Rental Cost of Driver's License
No car insurance	Review local <u>Community Action Agency</u> or local faith based organization services.	Referral for Transportation AssistanceLiability Insurance
No transportation	Review local <u>Community Action Agency</u> or local faith based organization services.	 Referral for Transportation Assistance Public transit fare/cards Rideshare Bike Repairs Rental Cost of Driver's License or State ID Driver's Education Lessons
Transportation schedule may conflict with training schedule	Review local <u>Community Action Agency</u> or local faith based organization services.	 Referral for Transportation Assistance Rideshare Bike Repairs Rental

3. Will you need assistance with your family members' support/care while you're in the program? If yes, select from the following:

Select Options	Recommendation	Multi-select options.
Need Child Care Caring for a child with a	Use the following link to identify a provider https://www.inccrra.org/about/sdasearch	Referral for Child CareChild Care Assistance
disability	Review <u>child care programs/services</u> available through the IDHS site.	
Caring for an elderly or disabled relative	Review <u>developmental disability programs/services</u> available through the IDHS site.	 Referral for Dependent Care Dependent Care Assistance

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	Review <u>Disability & Rehabilitation</u> programs/services available through the IDHS site.		
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4. Do you have legal-related situations or expenses that would prevent you from participating in the program or that would make it difficult for you to get a job in this career pathway? If yes, select from the following:

Select Options	Recommendation	Multi-select options.
Financial Challenges Criminal Charges Pending	Review Illinois Equal Justice Foundation Helpful Links to find services in your area.	 Referral for Legal Aid Background Check Fees Legal Fees - Reasonable/Necessary for Employment
Ex-offender		

5. Are there health care assistance necessary to complete the program and/or get a job in this career pathway? If yes, select from the following:

Select Options	Recommendation	Multi-select options.
Financial Challenges	Review Health & Medical programs/services available through the Illinois Department of Human Services (IDHS) site.	 Referral for Health Care Prescriptions Medical Device/Equipment Inoculations Mental Health Substance Abuse Dental work Eyeglasses Medical exam Medical deductible/copay
Family/Friends Related Issues	Review Substance Use Disorder and Violence & Abuse Prevention programs/services available through the Illinois Department of Human Services (IDHS) site.	 Referral for Child Safety Referral for Domestic Violence Referral for Health Care Mental Health Substance Abuse Medical deductible/copay
Personal/Emotional Related Issues	Review <u>Substance Use Disorder</u> and <u>Mental Health</u> programs/services available through the Illinois Department of Human Services (IDHS) site.	 Referral for Health Care Mental Health Substance Abuse Medical exam Medical deductible/copay

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6. Are there any other fees or assistance that is needed to ensure your attendance and completion of the program? If yes, select from the following:

Select Options	Recommendation	Multi-select options.
Uniforms/professional attire	Review local <u>Community Action Agency</u> or local faith based organization services.	Uniforms/Professional Attire
Entrance Fees		Entrance Fees
State ID		Cost of State ID
Food Assistance	Review <u>Food programs/services</u> available through the Illinois Department of Human Services (IDHS) site.	Referral for Other: Health/NutritionFood Assistance
Equipment/Tools		Equipment/Tools
Books		• Books
Reliable access to the internet		Referral for Other: InternetBroadband fees
Computer to participate in lessons and online instruction		 Referral for Other: Technology Rental Technology Rental
Phone to communicate with your case manager, providers and employers		Referral for Other: PhoneCell Phone acquisition

7. Are there any other situations that may impact completion of the program? If yes, select from the following:

Select Options	Recommendation	Multi-select options.
Limited Education or Training		Referral for ABE/ESL ProgramEducation/Training Service
Limited Work History/Experience		Transitional Jobs Training ServiceComplete Employment 101
Special Accommodations		Open Text field



Example of Service Needs Assessment Compared to Data in the System

