**Career Assessment – Orientation  
  
Instructions:**

This form will be utilized to create your personalized career plan while you’re enrolled in the Illinois Works Pre-apprenticeship program. You will have the opportunity to complete another career assessment near the end of the program.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  
  
Participant Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  
  
**Job Readiness**

Do you have an up-to-date resume? □ Yes □ No

Do you have experience taking part in job interviews? □ Yes □ No

Will you be readily available to transition to a DOL-registered apprenticeship program immediately after program completion? □ Yes □ No  
  
 If no, when do you plan to transition? (i.e. within 3 months, 6 months, 1 year, more than 1   
 year or other).

**□** 1**-**3 months **□** 3-6 months **□** 6 months – 1 year **□** 1 year + **□** Other: \_\_\_\_\_\_

What is the **primary goal** for your career? (Select one)

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|  | DOL-registered apprenticeship - union |  | Advanced construction training/education (including college) |
|  | DOL-registered apprenticeship – non-union |  | Non-construction training/education |
|  | Construction employment (outside DOL registered apprenticeship) |  | Start construction business |
|  | Non-construction Employment |  | Start non-construction business |
|  | Non-construction apprenticeship |  | Other: |

What is **secondary goal** for your career? (Select one)

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|  | DOL-registered apprenticeship - union |  | Advanced construction training/education (including college) |
|  | DOL-registered apprenticeship – non-union |  | Non-construction training/education |
|  | Construction employment (outside DOL registered apprenticeship) |  | Start construction business |
|  | Non-construction Employment |  | Start non-construction business |
|  | Non-construction apprenticeship |  | Other: |

If your career goals are related to construction, rank up to five trades in order of preference. Identify your primary choice with a 1, your second choice with a 2, etc.

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|  | Carpenter |  | Electrician\* |  | Operating engineer/operator |
|  | Painter |  | Plumber |  | Cement Mason |
|  | Bricklayer |  | Pipefitter |  | Boilermaker |
|  | Ceramic tile layer/finisher |  | Drywall finisher |  | Elevator constructor |
|  | Glazier |  | Heat and frost insulator |  | Iron worker |
|  | Laborer |  | Machinery movers, riggers, and erector |  | Millwright |
|  | Plasterer |  | Roofer/waterproofer |  | Sheet metal worker |
|  | Sprinklerfitter |  | Structural iron worker |  | Teamsters |
|  | Technical engineer |  | Tuckpointer |  | Steamfitter |
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***\*If you choose Electrician, you must have one-year of high school level Algebra 1 or equivalent with a grade of “C” or better.***

Participant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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