

WIOA Title I Services: Adult, Dislocated Worker and Youth





Round I: Update of WIOA Title I Services and Definitions in IWDS



Today's Objectives

Provide Introduction to WIOA Title I Service Updates in IWDS – "Round I"

- Policy and Reporting Directives That Led to Updates
- Explain Key Changes to Service Menus
- Introduce a New *Single* Youth Service Level
- Introduce New Service Level for Disaster Recovery Services (DRE)
- Preview New Services Table and Definitions



WIOA Title I Policy Update

- Aligns with the Act/Regulations and DOL Guidance, TEGLs, and PIRL reporting, etc. as well as common service definitions among partners (i.e. Career Pathways Dictionary)
 - PIRL Reporting Online Resource Release 2.0 (January 2020)
 - TEGL 12-19 National Dislocated Worker Grant Program Guidance
 - TEGL 14-18 Aligning Performance Accountability Reporting, Definitions, and Policies Across Workforce Employment and Training Programs Administered by the U.S. Department of Labor (DOL)
 - TEGL 19-16 Guidance on Services provided through the Adult and Dislocated Worker Programs under the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA)
 - TEGL 21-16 Third Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Title I Youth Formula Program Guidance
 - TEGL 13-16 Guidance on Registered Apprenticeship Provisions and Opportunities in the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA)
 - TEGL 10-16, Change 1 Performance Accountability Guidance for Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Title I, Title II, Title III, and Title IV Core Programs
 - Career Pathways Dictionary Contains an extensive base of stakeholders, developed agreedupon definitions to ensure alignment across agencies, legal frameworks, and initiatives.



WIOA Title I Services Policy

- ePolicy 4.2.3 Case Management/Career Planning
 - Updated the WIOA Implementation guidance text of the policy.
 - Revised the Services Chart that was attached to the Exit Policy.
 - The definitions provided in this document are based on a combination of established State and federal statutes and regulations, TEGLs, as well as reporting requirements such as the PIRL.
 - As appropriate, these definitions have been further refined through interagency and stakeholder engagement, and are strategically aligned to the fullest extent possible in order to minimize duplication and confusion.
 - ABE, ASE, Foreign Language HSE (Spanish) Instruction, and English as a Second Language (ESL)/English Language Acquisition (ELA) definitions confirmed with Adult Education.
 - Updates to Registered Apprenticeships based on TEGLs and PIRL reporting elements.
 - Reconciling the Work-Based Learning activity of Work Experience is an individualized career service for reporting purposes; however the IWIB has allowed it to be counted as "training" towards the minimum training expenditure requirement.
 - Future updates include convening a working group regarding career planning which would include assessment guidance and adding resources developed for other grant opportunities.



Data, Analysis and Research:

- WIOA PIRL Reporting Instructions
 - PIRL Participant Individual Record Layout
 - Training, Career, Work based Learning and "Youth Only" Service Categories
- DOL/ETA Guidance
- Frequency of Service Records for IA, ID and IY "counts"
- Comparison with WIA vs WIOA Service "old" vs "new"
- OET Policy Input and Collaboration with Partner Titles for Definitions



Conclusion:

- Streamlined Dropdowns in IWDS -
 - ➢Identified Work Based Learning Services (WBLs).
 - Identified Supportive Services with "SS" pre-fix.
 - Services in the Career vs. Training Levels match PIRL Categories.
 - >One New Service Level for Youth.
 - ➢ Programmers Implemented Requested Changes in IWDS.
 - Staff Tested in IWDS Test Environment (ongoing).



WIOA Career Service Updates

"New" WIOA Career Service :

See Paula's Excel doc "Services New vs Old IWDS" ➤ Career Planning (Case Management)

"Old" (WIA) Career Service Labels: (No longer available in IWDS)

• Case Management

Comprehensive Guidance and Assessments

Group Workforce Research/Workshops/Job Clubs Asset Development, Diagnostic Testing, Ind-Depth Interviewing and Evaluation, Personal Counseling, Individual Job Development, Personal Counseling

Group Counseling, Workshops, Job Clubs

Adult Basic Education (Developmental Education)

 Adult Education and Literacy Activities, Basic Academic Training, Remedial Training, Other Academic Training

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WIOA Training Service Updates

"New" WIOA Training Services:

See Paula's Excel doc "Services New vs Old IWDS"

"Placed in Adult Secondary Education (ASE)" "Old" (WIA) Career Service Labels:

(No longer available in IWDS)

o Equivalency/GED

Non Registered Apprenticeship

 \odot Not previously available in IWDS.

➢Skill Upgrading/Retraining

Skill Upgrading, Vocational Retraining

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Career vs. Training: IA, ID

The Career and Training level services menus in IWDS have been updated.

- Only "CAREER" services are available on the "Career Service" dropdown;
- "TRAINING" services are available on the "Training Services" dropdown.
- Background: In the past, there were some Work Based Learning (WBL) services, which are reported as "Career" services, on the Training Service level dropdown in IWDS.



Training Service Level: IA and ID

Services were *Removed* From the Training Level dropdown in IWDS...because they are NOT reported to DOL (in the PIRL) as training services...:

- ✓ See Paula's Services NEW vs OLD in IWDS document.
- Remedial Training (433) "Remedial" (this term is not in line with Adult Ed definition = Adult Basic Education (Developmental Education)
- English Language Proficiency (434) vs WIOA (Career)
- Financial Literacy Education (496) (Career)
- Personal Counseling (497) (Career)
- Pre-Apprenticeship Training (421) (Career/WBL)
- Transitional Jobs (812) (Career/WBL)
- Adult Education and Literacy Activities (813) Career (ABE)
- Job Readiness Combined with Other Forms of Training (Career) = Short-term Prevocational Svcs.
- Vocational Retraining (825) Replaced with Skill Upgrading and Retraining (825)



Service Reporting - Career or Training?

- Career Services = "Employment" Performance Measures:
- Participants receiving ONLY a <u>Career service</u> will be included in WIOA "Employment" Performance Measures including:
 - Employment 2th Quarter after Exit
 - Employment 4th Quarter after Exit
 - Rates (MEDIAN 2nd Quarter after Exit)



Service Reporting - Career or Training?

- Training Services Definitions tab in policy table: "MSG and/or Credential Column"
- Training Services = inclusion in MSG and/or Credential measures
- Participants receiving any <u>Training</u> will be included in the Measurable Skill Gains Measure each year of participants and in training.
- Adults and Dislocated Worker will be included in the Credential Attainment Rate measure unless the only service they received was On-the-Job Training or Customized Training.



IWDS Screen Modifications:

Service Screens for...

- Registered Apprenticeship Program (RAP):
 - When service is being recorded, on screen, choose YES or NO to: OJT (Private/Public) and/or Skill Upgrading and Retraining.
 - Per PIRL, 1305 when OJTs or Skill Upgrading is provided as a part of an apprenticeship program, DO NOT record them as separate services.

• Training Paid by NON-WIOA Title I Funds:

- Dropdown *Non Title I Funding Source for Training: Apprenticeship Expansion; Other (Specify); Private Sector Training; Public Sector Training, WIOA Tittle II; WIOA Title III; WIOA Title IV.
- This service is available on BOTH Career and Training level dropdowns and is available for YOUTH.



WDS Development System Case Management

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WIOA Service Updates in IWDS – IA, ID

Adult or Dislocated Worker Career and Training Services? QUESTIONS??



NEW in IWDS: One Youth Service Level – Dropdown Lists Will Include All Available Youth Services:

"Youth Service Elements: Education/Training/Career"

- Removed Youth Service Levels "Work Related Services", "Academic Learning Services", "Case Management" and "Summer Program"
- 14 Required Youth Elements
- DEFINE: TEGL 21-16, pages 14-23
- TEGL 10-16, Change 1 Attachment 7 Table B WIOA Title I Youth Program



Single Dropdown for Youth Services:

"Youth Service Elements: Education/Training/Career"

- NEW Services Created and Added to Youth:
 - WBL OJT Private Sector (Youth) (840)
 - WBL OJT Public Sector (Youth) (839)
 - WBL Internship- Youth Summer Months (841)
 - Youth Entrepreneurial Skills Training (843)
 - Non Registered Apprenticeship (838)



Single Dropdown for Youth Services:

"Youth Service Elements: Education/Training/Career"

Youth Career Services Do Not Trigger Participation in MSG or Credential Attainment Rate Performance Measures:

- Tutoring/Study Skills Instruction/Dropout Prevention (439)
- Alternative School/Dropout Recovery Services (806)
 - Includes Adult Basic Education and English Language Education



Youth Service Elements in IWDS? QUESTIONS??



Introduction of WIOA Services Table with Definitions:

- Replacing the "old" Services Chart with "WIOA Master Definitions" Policy Table.
- Include columns to identify services that count towards:
 - ✓ MSG or Credential Attainment Performance Measures
 - ✓ Minimum Training Expenditure Requirements MTE 50%
 - ✓ Work Based Learning Experience WEX 20% and
 - ✓ "Same Day Services"
- IWDS 05x Test Environment Findings, reports, fixes, updates.



"Round II" Service Refinements:

Modifications based on system testing and policy guidance.

• Ongoing Technical Assistance and Guidance:

- Definitions and Enrollment
- Recording Services



QUESTIONS ???



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