WIOA National Dislocated Worker Grants

Assistance Listings Number: 17.277
Types of Assistance: B – Project Grants
Department/Ind. Agency: Department of Labor
Sub-Tier: Employment and Training Administration
Award Amount: $1,480,000.00
Related Federal Assistance: N/A

Overview

DWGs are supplemental, time-limited funding assistance provided in response to major economic dislocations or other events that cause significant impact on states and local areas that exceed the capacity of existing formula funds and other relevant resources. DWGs enable states and communities to respond to and recover from large, unexpected dislocation events.

The Department funds two types of DWGs: Disaster Recovery and Employment Recovery. Disaster Recovery DWGs provide disaster relief and humanitarian assistance employment to minimize the employment impact of disasters, in addition to employment and training services. Employment Recovery DWGs provide resources to states and other eligible applicants to respond to major economic dislocations, such as large, unexpected layoff events that cause significant job losses. This funding, which supports only employment and training activities, is intended to temporarily expand the service capacity of the state or area to serve dislocated workers, including military service members, and to meet increased demand for WIOA employment and training services caused by major dislocations, with an aim toward reemploying laid off workers and enhancing their employability and earnings.

Authorizations

Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) of 2014. The Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) was signed into law on July 22, 2014, and went into effect on July 1, 2015. It amends the Wagner-Peyser Act and the Rehabilitation Act of 1973. The regulations were published in the Federal Register on August 19, 2016. The regulations for the Title I WIOA Adult, Dislocated Worker and Youth programs are at 20 CFR Parts 680 through 683, as well as the joint Department of Labor and Department of Education regulations found at 20 CFR parts 676 through 678., Public Law 113-128, Public Law 113-128

Reports

Progress Reports: Project Narrative Reports are submitted quarterly.

Expenditure Reports: Financial reports are submitted quarterly.
Performance Reports: Performance reports are submitted quarterly.

Records

States are required to maintain adequate records in accordance with 29 CFR 95 and 97.