

Mass Workforce Issuance

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Policy Information

To: Chief Elected Officials
Workforce Investment Board Chairs
Workforce Investment Board Directors
Title I Administrators
Career Center Directors
Title I Fiscal Officers
DCS Regional Managers

cc: WIA State Partners

From: Michael Taylor, Director
Department of Workforce Development

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Subject: **Update of *Career Moves* Publication**

Purpose: To notify Local Workforce Investment Boards, One-Stop Career Center Operators and other local workforce investment partners of the recent update of the *Career Moves* publication with information from the latest industry/occupational projections and occupational wage data.

Background: The Department of Workforce Development's Economic Analysis Office has recently published an update to *Career Moves*. This publication features descriptions of specific jobs, education and training requirements, wages and salaries, and industries where the jobs are currently found. All levels of job opportunities are included: professional jobs requiring advanced education, those that require technical training or apprenticeship, and those requiring no specialized training beyond high school.

The publication is updated every two years in order to incorporate the latest information from the bi-annual industry/occupational projections as well as the most current occupational wage information. The current edition includes information from the 2006-2016 projections and the May 2008 occupational wage statistics. *Career Moves* can be found on the LMI homepage at:

www.mass.gov/lmi.

Action

Required: Please ensure that appropriate staff are aware of the availability of this updated publication.

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