

**Massachusetts Workforce Investment Act
Title I Youth Program
Eligible Providers List
FY 2006
WORCESTER LOCAL WORKFORCE INVESTMENT AREA**

Framework Service Provider

Workforce Central
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Youth Service Providers

- Henkel's & McCoy "TechBridge"
- The Bridge of Central MA
- Training Resources of America
- Worcester Community Action Council (In School program)
- Worcester Community Action Council (Out of School program)
- Youth Opportunities Upheld (In School program)
- Youth Opportunities Upheld (Out of School program)

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Worcester Eligible WIA Youth Provider

Henkel's & McCoy "TechBridge"

Program Address: 484 Main Street
City/Town: Worcester , MA Zip Code: 01608
Executive Director: Mr. John Rubin
Contact Person: Andy Hallinan
Contact Telephone: (508) 753-5767 Contact Email: andy@racomps.com

How are these services procured?

___x___Competitive RFP _____Non-Competitive
_____Competitive Other _____ In-Kind/Collaboration

Dollar Amount of Service Contract: \$81,257.00

Duration of the Contract: From July 1, 2005 To June 30, 2006

Total Number of WIA youth participants served at this provider: 23

Number In-School		Number Older Youth	16
Number Out of School	24	Number Younger Youth	8

Service Elements Provided

Framework Services (Eligibility, Intake, Assessment)		Occupational Training	x
Tutoring Study Skills	x	Leadership Development	x
Alternative Education	x	Supportive Services	x
Summer Jobs		Adult Mentoring	x
Work Experiences	x	Follow-up Services	x
Guidance/Counseling	x		

WIA Service Description (optional):

The Techbridge program provides services to youth/young adults from at-risk groups ages 16-21. Basic Skills instruction, Power Point, Excel, Word and Customer Service Training along with, Pre-employment Skills, World of Work, Life Skills and Career Exploration are offered. Program provides ongoing case management, job search assistance, referrals and internships which lead to full and part time employment.

Worcester Eligible WIA Youth Provider

The Bridge of Central MA

Program Address: 4 Mann Street
City/Town: Worcester, MA Zip Code: 01602
Executive Director: Mr. Barry Walsh
Contact Person: Ms. Tina Wingate
Contact Telephone: (508) 753 - 0333 Contact Email: tinaw@thebridgecm.org

How are these services procured?

___x___ Competitive RFP _____ Non-Competitive
_____ Competitive Other _____ In-Kind/Collaboration

Dollar Amount of Service Contract: \$73,437.00

Duration of the Contract: From: July 1, 2005 **To** June 30, 2006

Total Number of WIA youth participants served at this provider: 18

Number In-School	25	Number Older Youth	
Number Out of School		Number Younger Youth	25

Service Elements Provided

Framework Services (Eligibility, Intake, Assessment)		Occupational Training	x
Tutoring Study Skills	x	Leadership Development	x
Alternative Education	x	Supportive Services	x
Summer Jobs	x	Adult Mentoring	x
Work Experiences	x	Follow-up Services	x
Guidance/Counseling	x		

WIA Service Description (optional):

The Bridge program provides services to youth/young adult's ages 16-21. Youth participate in structured Occupational/Vocational Skills training accompanied by workshops and field trips that cover many industry clusters i.e. wood working, horticulture, culinary arts, health careers. In addition, youth attend guest speaker presentation in the disciplines of safety, health and military. Youth also receive basic skills instruction, work readiness, world of work training, and career exploration. Program provides ongoing case management, job search assistance and referrals.

Worcester Eligible WIA Youth Provider

Training Resources of America

Program Address: 390 Main Street, Suite 806
City/Town: Worcester , MA Zip Code: 01608
Executive Director: Mr. Paul Gallo
Contact Person: Ms. Lisa Welcome
Contact Telephone: (508) 797 - 0060 Contact Email: lwelcome@tra-inc.org

How are these services procured?

___x___ Competitive RFP _____ Non-Competitive
_____ Competitive Other _____ In-Kind/Collaboration

Dollar Amount of Service Contract: \$84,715.00

Duration of the Contract: From: July 1, 2005 **To** June 30, 2006

Total Number of WIA youth participants served at this provider: 18

Number In-School		Number Older Youth	3
Number Out of School	25	Number Younger Youth	22

Service Elements Provided

Framework Services (Eligibility, Intake, Assessment)		Occupational Training	x
Tutoring Study Skills	x	Leadership Development	x
Alternative Education	x	Supportive Services	x
Summer Jobs		Adult Mentoring	x
Work Experiences	x	Follow-up Services	x
Guidance/Counseling	x		

WIA Service Description (optional):

Training Resources of America provides services to youth/young adult's ages 16-21. Youth participate in structured Occupational Training in the areas of Customer Service training, Basic Word, Intermediate Word 2000, Basic Excel 2000, Microsoft Power Point, Microsoft Access, Outlook 2000. Youth also receive GED instruction, work readiness, world of work training, and career exploration. Youth create a quarterly newsletter and participate in enrichment workshops during the year. Program provides ongoing case management, job search assistance and referrals.

Worcester Eligible WIA Youth Provider

Worcester Community Action Council (In School program)

Program Address: 484 Main Street
City/Town: Worcester , MA Zip Code: 01608
Executive Director: Ms. Patsy Lewis
Contact Person: Bob Tangney
Contact Telephone: (508) 754-1176 Contact Email: btangney@wcac.net

How are these services procured?

___x___ Competitive RFP _____ Non-Competitive
_____ Competitive Other _____ In-Kind/Collaboration

Dollar Amount of Service Contract: \$111,979.00

Duration of the Contract: From: July 1, 2005 **To** June 30, 2006

Total Number of WIA youth participants served at this provider: 23

Number In-School	35	Number Older Youth	
Number Out of School		Number Younger Youth	35

Framework Services (Eligibility, Intake, Assessment)		Occupational Training	x
Tutoring Study Skills	x	Leadership Development	x
Alternative Education	x	Supportive Services	x
Summer Jobs	x	Adult Mentoring	x
Work Experiences	x	Follow-up Services	x
Guidance/Counseling	x		

WIA Service Description (optional):

The WCAC/SPED program provides services to youth/young adult's ages 16-21 that have Individual Education Plans. Youth receive life skills, academic support, basic skills, work readiness, occupational skills, enrichment workshops, and pre-employment skills training. Youth participate in internships, which have led to part time employment. Program provides ongoing case management, job search assistance and referrals.

Worcester Eligible WIA Youth Provider

Worcester Community Action Council (Out of School program)

Program Address: 484 Main Street
City/Town: Worcester , MA Zip Code: 01608
Executive Director: Ms. Patsy Lewis
Contact Person: Priscilla Holmes
Contact Telephone: (508) 754-1176 Contact Email: pholmes@wcac.net

How are these services procured?

___x___Competitive RFP _____Non-Competitive
_____Competitive Other _____ In-Kind/Collaboration

Dollar Amount of Service Contract: \$85,293.00

Duration of the Contract: From: July 1, 2005 **To** June 30, 2006

Total Number of WIA youth participants served at this provider: 23

Number In-School		Number Older Youth	3
Number Out of School	23	Number Younger Youth	20

Service Elements Provided

Framework Services (Eligibility, Intake, Assessment)		Occupational Training	
Tutoring Study Skills	x	Leadership Development	x
Alternative Education	x	Supportive Services	x
Summer Jobs		Adult Mentoring	
Work Experiences	x	Follow-up Services	x
Guidance/Counseling	x		

WIA Service Description (optional):

The WINGS program provides services to youth/young adult's ages 16-21. Youth receive GED instruction, life skills, pre-employment skills training, world of work training, work readiness and career exploration. Program provides ongoing case management, job search assistance and referrals. Training includes participation in the job club, community service projects, and visits to colleges, local employers and Workforce Central.

Worcester Eligible WIA Youth Provider

Youth Opportunities Upheld (In School program)

Program Address: 81 Plantation Street
City/Town: Worcester, MA Zip Code: 01604
Executive Director: Mr. Maurice Boisvert
Contact Person: Kristen Mayotte
Contact Telephone: (508) 849 - 5600 Contact Email: mayottek@youinc.org

How are these services procured?

___x___ Competitive RFP _____ Non-Competitive
_____ Competitive Other _____ In-Kind/Collaboration

Dollar Amount of Service Contract: \$56,692.00

Duration of the Contract: From: July 1, 2005 **To** June 30, 2006

Total Number of WIA youth participants served at this provider: 23

Number In-School	24	Number Older Youth	
Number Out of School		Number Younger Youth	24

Service Elements Provided

Framework Services (Eligibility, Intake, Assessment)		Occupational Training	
Tutoring Study Skills	x	Leadership Development	x
Alternative Education	x	Supportive Services	x
Summer Jobs	x	Adult Mentoring	x
Work Experiences	x	Follow-up Services	x
Guidance/Counseling	x		

WIA Service Description (optional):

The You Inc/Bruce Wells Scholar program provides services to youth/young adult's ages 16-21 at Clark University. Basic Skills instruction, life skills, pre-employment skills training, world of work training, work readiness and career exploration are provided. Youth participate in enrichment workshops such as conflict resolution, self-esteem, communication skills, interpersonal relationships, coping skills, and decision-making. Youth also attend weekly Saturday morning workshops which include adventure based learning, post-secondary education, financial aide, successful test taking and choosing a career path. Youth visit colleges/universities in and out of MA. Program provides ongoing case management, job search assistance and referrals.

Worcester Eligible WIA Youth Provider

Youth Opportunities Upheld (Out of School program)

Program Address: 81 Plantation Street
City/Town: Worcester , MA Zip Code: 01604
Executive Director: Mr. Maurice Boisvert
Contact Person: Kristen Mayotte
Contact Telephone: (508) 849 - 5600 Contact Email: mayottek@youinc.org

How are these services procured?

___x___ Competitive RFP _____ Non-Competitive
_____ Competitive other _____ In-Kind/Collaboration

Dollar Amount of Service Contract: \$363,701.00

Duration of the Contract: From July: 1, 2005 To June 30, 2006

Total Number of WIA youth participants served at this provider: 23

Number In-School		Number Older Youth	15
Number Out of School	97	Number Younger Youth	82

Service Elements Provided

Framework Services (Eligibility, Intake, Assessment)		Occupational Training	
Tutoring Study Skills	x	Leadership Development	x
Alternative Education	x	Supportive Services	x
Summer Jobs		Adult Mentoring	
Work Experiences	x	Follow-up Services	x
Guidance/Counseling	x		

WIA Service Description (optional):

The You Inc program provides services to youth/young adult's ages 16-21. GED instruction is available at four locations in and around Worcester County (Worcester, Webster, Southbridge, and Uxbridge.) Life skills, pre-employment skills training, world of work training, work readiness and career exploration are provided. Program provides ongoing case management, job search assistance and referrals. Youth attend youth workshops functions at Workforce Central. Recruitment occurs at area courts, DYS offices, DSS offices, DTA offices, subsidized housing complexes, and neighborhood center.