



Workforce Issuance

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To: Chief Elected Officials
MassHire Workforce Board Chairs
MassHire Workforce Board Directors
Title I Administrators
MassHire Career Center Directors
Title I Fiscal Officers
MDCS Operations Managers

cc: WIOA State Partners

From: Alice Sweeney, Director
MassHire Department of Career Services

Date: April 23, 2020

Subject: **WIOA Youth Program COVID-19 Webinar Through WorkforceGPS**

Purpose: To notify MassHire Workforce Boards, MassHire Career Center Operators, and other local workforce development partners of a WorkforceGPS Webinar – WIOA Youth Program COVID-19 Session.

Background: The Division of Youth Services (DYS) within the Employment and Training Administration understands the impact the coronavirus (COVID-19) is having on your programs and the youth served by these programs.

To address the challenges now being faced in serving young people due to COVID-19, being innovative and creative with various forms of technology to keep participants safe and engaged is paramount.

An equal opportunity employer/program.

Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities.

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The Division of Youth Services will be conducting a "WIOA Youth Program COVID-19 Session" **Monday, May 4, 2020 2:00 – 3:30**. This event provides an opportunity to answer questions, share resources, and pass along best practices submitted in advance.

Please forward any youth-related COVID-19 questions, best-practices or resources to youth.services@dol.gov by April 28, 2020.

Action

Requested: Please share this issuance with all appropriate managers, staff and partners.

Effective: Immediately