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cc: WIOA State Partners

From: Alice Sweeney, Director
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Date: May 28, 2020

Subject: **WorkforceGPS Webinar – Introduction: Credential Attainment Decision Tree Tool and Credential Attainment Cohort Capstone**

Purpose: To notify MassHire Workforce Boards, MassHire Career Center Operators, and other local workforce development partners of Introduction: Credential Attainment Decision Tree Tool and Credential Attainment Cohort Capstone, a WorkforceGPS sponsored webinar on June 25th from 2:00 – 3:00.

Background: Two new resources have been developed to assist grantees in identifying credentials that meet the reporting requirements of the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) credential attainment indicator.

This event introduces the Credential Attainment Decision Tree Tool designed to assist grantees with identifying credentials that meet the WIOA reporting requirements for the credential attainment performance indicator.

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State teams of the “Credential Attainment Cohort”, a collaboration of the Departments of Labor and Education, will share credential attainment tools they developed over the last few months. These tools serve as companion resources to the Credential Attainment Decision Tree Tool. Each cohort state team developed action plans available for use by the System. These plans will be available on WorkforceGPS prior to this event.

Cohort teams will provide an overview of their work and introduce their final product (capstone) during this event. Employment and Training Administration performance staff and Credential Attainment Cohort members will:

- Demonstrate the Credential Attainment Decision Tree Tool;
- Show how and when grantees might use the tool; and
- Share the Credential Attainment Cohort capstone product.

Attend this webinar to help determine what to count as a credential for WIOA performance reporting purposes, see practical scenarios, and learn of additional resources and tools related to the credential attainment indicator.

The webinar is June 25th from 2:00 – 3:00. WorkforceGPS is free but does require account registration.

Action

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

Effective: Immediately