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cc: WIOA State Partners

From: Diane Hurley, Acting Director
MassHire Department of Career Services

Date: August 16, 2022

Subject: **Supporting Youth Mental Health in the Workforce System - WorkforceGPS Webinar**

Purpose: To notify MassHire Workforce Boards, MassHire Career Center Operators, and other workforce partners of an upcoming WorkforceGPS webinar – Supporting Youth Mental Health in the Workforce System on Thursday, August 18, 2022 from 1:00 – 2:30.

Background: The youth mental health crisis is impacting countless young people throughout the country. Workforce system providers need information and tools to best support the youth we serve.

This webinar will feature experts and speakers from the Office of the Surgeon General, the National Youth Employment Coalition, the Employment and Training Administration, and the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services

Administration. Join to learn about the challenges, and where to find the resources that will allow for better support youth and their mental health needs.

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Action

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

Effective: Immediately.