

## Workforce Issuance

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**To**: Chief Elected Officials

MassHire Workforce Board Chairs MassHire Workforce Board Directors MassHire Career Center Directors

MassHire Fiscal Officers

MassHire DCS Operations Managers

cc: WIOA State Partners

From: Diane Hurley, Acting Director

MassHire Department of Career Services

Date: December 4, 2023

Subject: Exploring Evidence and Practice in Providing Equitable Job Training —

WorkforceGPS Webinar

**Purpose:** To notify MassHire Workforce Boards, MassHire Career Center Operators, and

other workforce partners of an upcoming WorkforceGPS webinar:

Exploring Evidence and Practice in Providing Equitable Job Training - Thursday,

December 14, 2023 - 2:30 - 3:30pm.

**Background:** Join for a conversation on strategies for advancing equity in job-training

programs. This session will bring together researchers and practitioners to discuss approaches to improving equity in job training for underrepresented and

underserved communities. Du ring this event, speakers will discuss the

importance of equity in job training and review evidence-based strategies that improve job training programs for underrepresented and underserved groups. Moreover, the speakers will discuss their experience and perspective on moving the needle on equity in job training and share lessons learned. This event builds upon guidance issued by DOL in TEGL 21-22 on increasing equitable service.

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access and outcomes for job seekers in WIOA Adult and Dislocated Worker programs. The Department of Labor's Chief Evaluation Office and the Employment and Training Administration's Office of Workforce Investment are jointly hosting this session.

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Action

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

**Effective:** Immediately.