

## Workforce Issuance

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**To**: MassHire Workforce Board Chairs

MassHire Workforce Board Directors MassHire Career Center Directors

MassHire Fiscal Officers

MassHire DCS Operations Managers

cc: WIOA State Partners

**From:** Beth Goguen, Director

MassHire Department of Career Services

Date: February 28, 2025

Subject: Funding Opportunity: Homeless Veterans' Reintegration Program (HVRP)

**Purpose:** To notify MassHire Workforce Boards, MassHire Career Centers, and local

workforce partners of the funding opportunity, FOA-VETS-25-01, for Homeless Veterans' Reintegration Program (HVRP), Incarcerated Veterans' Transition Program (IVTP), and the Homeless Women Veterans' and Homeless Veterans with Children Reintegration Grant Program (HWVHVWC) (referred to collectively

as HVRP).

Background: HVRP is an employment-focused competitive grant program to enable America's

Veterans to reach their full employment potential and obtain high-quality career outcomes for Veterans experiencing or at risk of homelessness. The Department encourages applicants to propose strategies to achieve economic prosperity, offering appropriate participant support to marginalized groups and making

services accessible for underserved communities.

The HVRP approach is focused on obtaining high-quality career outcomes for the veteran. Veterans are to receive the job training and employment services required to re-enter and be successful in the labor force. To realize long-term benefits for veterans experiencing and at risk of homelessness, grant recipients must address the complex employment-related requirements and support services necessary to meet the needs of this population. This can be achieved either through direct services or through a robust referral system with established tools, resources, and partnerships to identify, recruit, prepare, and support Veterans experiencing or at risk of homelessness for employment success.

Funding Opportunity: <u>FOA-VETS-25-01</u>

 Due Date:
 3/17/25

 Total Funding:
 \$17,000,000

 Award Ceiling:
 \$500,000

 Award Floor:
 \$150,000

**Expected Awards:** 38

Action

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

**Effective:** Immediately

**Inquiries:** Please direct any inquires to HVRPFOA@dol.gov.