MASSACHUSETTS WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT SYSTEM

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To: Chief Elected Officials

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cc: WIOA State Partners

From: Alice Sweeney, Director

Department of Career Services

Date: May 9, 2017

Subject: JobQuest Updates

Purpose: To notify Local Workforce Development Boards, One-Stop Career Center

Operators and other local workforce partners of recent key changes to JobQuest.

Background: Over the past couple of months, JobQuest has been updated as follows:

Enhancements to JobQuest for the Employer:

The requirement for Employers to have the ability to search for candidates who are Veterans has been added. A 'Veterans Only' selection option was added, along with the ability to quickly identify the Veterans in the candidate selection list.

Enhancements to JobQuest for the Job Seeker:

To stay consistent with MOSES Staff View (Build 36.0) additional Disability Types were added to the Job Seeker Demographics section.

The JobQuest Guide was updated and a link to the PDF was added to the Job Seeker Home screen.

Added the source of the job orders that are loaded to MOSES (JobQuest) through a nightly feed (i.e. US.Job, HWOL etc.).

Action

Required: Please share the information with staff, partners and customers as appropriate.

Effective: Immediately

Please email all questions to <u>Marie.Meibaum@MassMail.State.MA.US</u>. Please reference this MassWorkforce Issuance number in your inquiry. **Inquiries:**

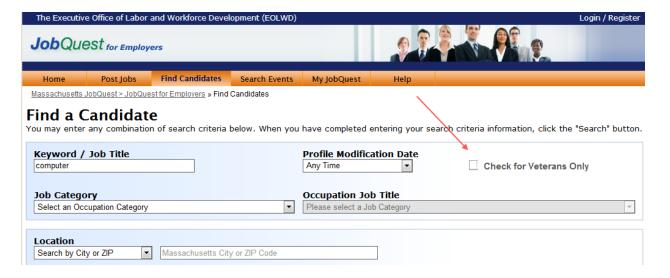
Attachments: A. JobQuest Guide 2017

Key JobQuest Updates

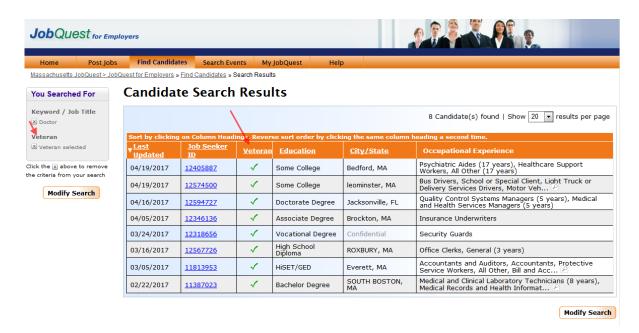
1. Employer Search for Candidates who are Veterans

JobQuest now allows Employers to search for job candidates who are Veterans.

'Check for Veterans Only' selection box has been added.



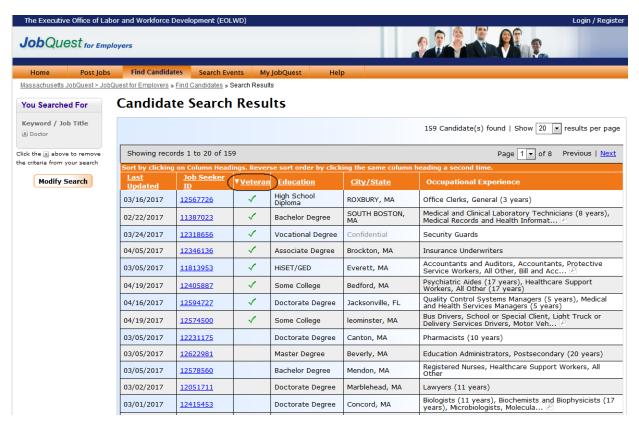
The Search Results screen now includes a new 'Veteran' column that will contain a green check if the candidate is a Veteran.



The Candidate Search Results screen now shows this new Veteran column.

For Candidate Selections, where the Veteran only indicator was not checked – the green check will still be visible on the detail screen indicating Veterans.

By Clicking the Veteran Heading, the Candidates will be sorted with Veterans on the top of the list.



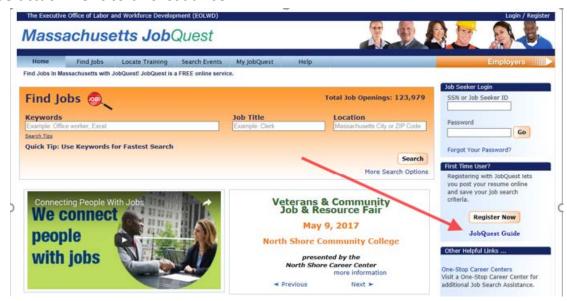
2. Added 2 Disability Types to Job Seeker Demographics: Learning Disability and Chronic Health Condition to stay consistent with MOSES Staff View.

When Job Seeker answers Yes to 'Do you have a disability?'; the 'Type of Disability' line appears. None or all of these types can be checked.



3. Added a link to the new JobQuest Guide

See attachment to this issuance.



4. For Job Orders that come from batch feeds, the Job Seekers can see source of the Job Orders.



C. Help Wanted OnLine - This Job came from **Help Wanted OnLine (HWOL)**