

MASSACHUSETTS WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT SYSTEM

# Mass Workforce Issuance

---

100 DCS 14.226

Policy

Information

---

**To:** Chief Elected Officials  
Workforce Development Board Chairs  
Workforce Development Board Directors  
Title I Administrators  
Career Center Directors  
Title I Fiscal Officers  
DCS Operations Managers

**cc:** WIOA State Partners

**From:** Alice Sweeney, Director  
Department of Career Services

**Date:** May 9, 2018

**Subject:** **Building Strategic Alliances between College & Workforce Boards - Webinar**

---

**Purpose:** To notify Local Workforce Development Boards, One-Stop Career Center Operators and other local workforce partners of the WorkforceGPS webinar: [Building Strategic Alliances Between College & Workforce Boards](#), Wednesday, June 6<sup>th</sup> from 3:00 – 4:00.

**Background:** Community colleges and WDBs each play important roles in the education and employment of the American worker and are increasingly finding ways to combine their efforts to achieve institutional goals and better serve students and job seekers. Presenters from three states will discuss their collaborations and provide concrete steps that leaders and staff can take together to further their mutual goals and overcome common challenges. Developing mutually beneficial partnerships between colleges and WDBs can sometimes be difficult; however, colleges and workforce boards that work systematically to address the complex challenges and needs inherent in local labor markets will have a head start toward accomplishing their goals.

This webinar is part of a series showcasing strategies and resources developed by community colleges that are of broad interest to educational institutions engaged in career-focused education and training.

An account is required to register for a WorkforceGPS event. Click [here](#) to create a free account.

**Action**

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