

## Workforce Issuance

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**To**: Chief Elected Officials

MassHire Workforce Board Chairs MassHire Workforce Board Directors

Title I Administrators

MassHire Career Center Directors

Title I Fiscal Officers

MassHire DCS Operations Managers

cc: WIOA State Partners

**From:** Alice Sweeney, Director

MassHire Department of Career Services

Date: October 3, 2019

**Subject:** Customer Service Training

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

other local workforce partners of upcoming Customer Service training.

**Background:** A focus on customer service is critical to ensuring the success of MassHire Career Centers and their customers. These Customer Service trainings will cover:

Customer service basics;

- How assumptions and biases effect customer service;
- Creating a customer friendly environment;
- How to handle difficult customer situations;
- Tips for de-escalation

Training sessions will be held from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the following locations and on the following dates:

- Springfield MassHire Springfield Career Center October 31, 2019
- Quincy MassHire Quincy Career Center December 6, 2019
- Framingham MassHire Framingham Career Center February 13, 2020
- Boston Charles F. Hurley Building April 8, 2020

Staff must register for this training in advance through EventBrite by clicking on the appropriate Customer Service Training link located on the Workforce System Staff Training page on Mass.gov:

https://www.mass.gov/service-details/mdcs-customer-service-training

Attendees are encouraged to arrive on time as training sessions will begin promptly.

In case of inclement weather, or to check if there have been any training cancellations, please call the MassHire Department of Career Services Training and Meeting Message Line at 617-626-5250.

Action

**Required:** Please share this issuance with all appropriate staff and ensure that they register

for these trainings.

**Effective:** Immediately.

**Inquiries:** Please direct all questions to David Ledonne at <u>David.Ledonne@detma.org</u>.

Please reference this Workforce Issuance number in your inquiry.