WIA PARTICIPANT REPORTING INSTRUCTIONS FOR STATEWIDE FUNDED ACTIVITIES

Supplied by Agency for Workforce Innovation

PROJECT NAME: Florida reBuilds-Entry-Level Skills
FUNDING SOURCE: Workforce Investment Act (WIA) 15% funds
DATE RANGE FUNDS MAY BE USED: December 13, 2005 through June 30, 2006
REGIONAL WORKFORCE BOARDS AFFECTED: All
OTHER ENTITIES AFFECTED: None

ELIGIBILITY: All individuals served in this project must meet ALL of the following eligibility requirements:

1. Must be 18 years of age or older at the time of eligibility determination,
2. Must be a US citizen and/or authorization to work in the US,
3. If a male born after 1960, must be registered with selective service or document that the failure to do so was “not knowing or willful” per local policy. See selective service communiqué, and
4. Willing to attend and complete the chosen training program.

PERFORMANCE REPORTING CATEGORY:
Category designations: 1

Funded with WIA IB 15% or 25% set aside funds. All local formula performance measures applicable to the customer group are applied and counted in state level and statewide performance. Performances for participants are reported in Florida’s Core Measures. Projects or allocations funded with Rapid Response Additional Assistance funds will always be Category 1. Performance counts against local measure if local funds are used to serve these individuals, which requires dual enrollment.

PERFORMANCE REPORTING TO AWI:
Total Participants (Assisted Core)
Total Receiving Intensive Activity
Total Receiving Training Activity
Total Credentials Attained
Total Exits
Total Entering Unsubsidized Employment (Exit)
Total Credentials Attained
DATA ENTRY INSTRUCTIONS FOR “FLORIDA reBuilds”

An online interest form should be completed on every interested applicant. This online interest form can be used by all interested parties including but not limited to Regional Workforce Boards, One Stop Service Providers, and Training Vendors. This online interest form is located at [http://www.floridajobs.org/rebuildflorida/privacyact.asp](http://www.floridajobs.org/rebuildflorida/privacyact.asp).

NOTE: This does not replace or supplant the WIA application information. Staff must collect all data and enter into OSMIS.

**WIA Application – Adult**

Program Elements:
- WIA Application
- Activities
- Supportive Services
- Credential Attainment
- Job Placement (entered unsubsidized employment)

**Program Exit**

**Contact Details**

- Social Security Number: Enter the participant’s SSN
- Name and address
- Telephone Number: Enter a telephone number where the participant can be reached
- County: Select a County where the nearest One Stop is located
- One Stop: Select a One Stop where the participant will receive or would have received services.

**Demographics**

- Date of Birth: Enter data in this field
- Gender: Select the gender of the participant
- Race: Select as many choices as apply to the participant
- Ethnicity: Select the ethnic group of the participant

**Program Details**

- Application Status: Full
- Program Category: Adult
- Date of Application: Default to the current date or enter the 1st day of the current quarter.
- Selective Service: Select a response for males born on or after 1/1/1960
- Citizenship: Select a status: Select a response
- Individual with disability: Select a response from the dropdown box
- Currently enrolled in school: Select a response from the dropdown box
- Select highest education level: Select a response from the dropdown box
- Employment Status: Select a response from the dropdown box
• Limited English: Select a response
• Receiving SSI: Select a response
• Receiving general assistance: Select a response
• Receiving refugee assistance: Select a response
• Unemployment Compensation Status: Select a response from the drop down
• Number in family: Enter a number greater than “0”
• Number dependents under 18: Enter a numeric value
• Family status: Select a status from the drop down box.
• Single parent: Select a status
• Employment Information
• If the participant is a “veteran or eligible person”, complete the required veteran status fields.

**Eligibility Document List**

• Eligibility documentation – see above criteria.
  All documentation must be maintained for data validation and audit purposes.
• If customer is eligible select “Yes” to the question “Is customer eligible” at the bottom of the Eligibility Document List page and proceed with registering the customer.

**Instructions for Assigning Activities Funded by this Project**

• Go to the navigation menu in OSMIS, open the case management folder and select the “activity” file.
• Click on “assign activity” link to access the assign activity screen. Also, click on the “provide supportive service” link to access the supportive service screen.
• Assign the appropriate activity or service.
• Adults must be assigned the following activities:
  1. Assisted core (application and eligibility determination)
  2. Intensive (assessment, determination, and selection of suitable training activity)
  3. Training Activity **Note:** Allowable training programs are limited to the following:

   AIR CONDITIONING, REFRIGERATION AND HEATING (240 HOURS)
   CARPENTRY (120 HOURS)
   DRYWALL (120 HOURS)
   ELECTRICAL (240 HOURS)
   MASONRY (80 HOURS)
   PLUMBING (180 HOURS)
   ROOFING (120 HOURS)

• Leave “Not Selected” in the Fund Code/Program Code dropdown and select “00PH – Florida reBuilds (Entry-Skills)” from the Special Project Code dropdown box.
• Enter ITA details (if training was provided) as this is a mandatory field.
• Enter Service Provider information.
• Supportive Services **cannot** be funded with these special project funds. RWBs can decide whether or not they wish to use local funds to cover supportive services or additional services. If local
funds are used then the participant is counted in local performance at exit, and must be dual enrolled.

Note: if a Florida reBuilds participant fails to report for training or discontinues training altogether, the One Stop Office will need to access transaction BH10 to determine if the participant is a UC claimant. If the participant is a UC claimant, the One Stop Office will need to notify the appropriate adjudication hub via the Intranet Florida Rebuild link. The UC adjudication hub will contact the claimant to determine if an issue exist and make the appropriate determination on the UC claim.

Instruction for Recording a Job Placement

Go to the navigation menu in OSMIS and select the “job placement” link to enter job placement information.

Note: All placements into unsubsidized employment must be completed within 90 days from the training completion date or the date when the participant exited training in order to be eligible for the $250 incentive payment.

Note: Florida reBuilds participants are to be served just like regular WIA participants with the end result being entry into unsubsidized employment.

Instruction for Recording Credential Information

Note: credentials should be attained by those participants who complete training.

- Go to the navigation menu in OSMIS, open the case management folder and select the “Activities” file
- Click on “Summary” link to access the summary of activities assigned to the participant
- Select the “Edit” link on the training activity to enter “training completion” information.
- Click on the “Credential Information” link to enter “A Description of the Certification” attained and as many details about the certification as is available.

Note: You must enter in the credential type and date credential attained to receive credit for obtaining a credential.

Instructions for Closing a Case

Make sure all credential and job placement information are entered before closing the case.

Close all open Activities. Note: All activities associated with this project must be closed effective 6/30/2006. If the RWB wishes to continue serving the participant, a new activity using local or other funds must be opened.

Go to Navigation menu and select Case Management, Manage Case, and Close. Select the appropriate close reason at termination of this project.
Preferred Positive Outcome for Adults:
Entered Employment (unsubsidized)

If no other outcome applies select “Services Completed.”

Note: There is no selection in the “close reason” for “entered employment” but OSMIS will record as such once job placement details have been entered.

ADDITIONAL REPORTING REQUIREMENTS:
Data Input deadline: It is critical that participant data be input in to OSMIS as quickly as possible and on a continual basis due to almost daily demands from local, state and federal entities for accurate and detailed participation information.

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