

Monterey County Workforce Investment Board (WIB) LOCAL POLICY BULLETIN #2005-04

Effective Date: June 7, 2005 Full WIB Adopted: June 7, 2005 WIB meeting

TO: All County of Monterey Providers of Workforce Investment Act (WIA) Services

SUBJECT: WIA Title I Adult and Youth Service Strategy Goals

REFERENCE: 20CFR Part 663.220; 663.310; 664.200

BACKGROUND: Workforce Investment Act (WIA) regulations leave to the discretion of the Local Workforce Investment Board (WIB) the establishment of service goals for any group of individuals with significant barriers to employment within the eligible adult and youth population. The WIA does not mandate any goal be set for service to these groups within the eligible population. The WIB has reviewed previous local WIA Title I performance in serving populations most in need as compared to State of California WIA performance and as compared to their incidence in the Monterey County population. In addition, data from the Monterey County Homeless Survey, the Monterey County Probation Department, and the Monterey County Department of Social and Employment Services TANF unit, and input from the WIB's Disability Advisory Committee was used to develop these goals.

POLICY: The goals listed below apply to all WIA Title I adult and youth service providers including but not limited to the Office for Employment Training (OET) and subcontractors. Subcontractors will continue to serve the hardest to serve individuals from these and other hard to serve groups.

GROUP	ADULT % TO SERVE	YOUTH % TO SERVE
Homeless	5%	2%
Out-of-School		20%
Offenders	20%	20%
Disabilities	16%	20%
TANF	12%	20%
Foster Care		5%
Veterans	10%	
Older Workers	5%	
HS Dropout	20%	
Limited English	10%	

ACTION: WIA Title I adult and youth service providers must establish appropriate mechanisms to reach the goals identified in this policy for all new enrollments beginning February 2, 2005 for youth and beginning June 8, 2005 for adults. The procedures and methods established by service providers to achieve these goals and the success in reaching these goals will be subject to routine monitoring by the WIB.

INQUIRIES: For questions or assistance related to this policy, please contact the Monterey County Workforce Investment Board (MCWIB) staff at (831) 796-6434.

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