

National Dislocated Worker Grant (DWG) Summary

Project Type	Reemployment System Integration (RSI)	
State	Arkansas	
Period of Performance	October 1, 2016 - September 30, 2018	
Grant Award Amount	\$1,100,000	
Core Project Elements		✓ Where Applicable
	Common registration and case management across at least the DW, ES, and UI programs	✓
	Implementation of robust on-line service delivery hubs that integrate information and on-line services across at least the DW, ES, and the UI programs	
	Data integration strategies that support the ability of front-line staff, including career counselors, to better connect dislocated workers to the services they need to get jobs in demand and expand the capacity to provide career counseling to more customers	✓
Alternate Options for States	For states with existing integrated systems, the proposal includes enhancing existing system	
Workforce Connect		Yes or No
	Plan to use	No
	Plan to investigate	No
Project Description	<p>When completed, this system will be the common intake and system of record for WIOA and offer the following business functions: Application Intake; Client Registration; Automatic cross program assessment; Design algorithms to integrate and leverage LMI, E&T, client profile data, historical outcomes, budget and other variables to come up with employment planning recommendations; Redeterminations and cross-program continued eligibility management, including tracking of participation and progress in enrolled services, household circumstance changes, and life event changes.</p> <p>This system will also have a framework that will provide: Transparency in the WIOA Program Performance data</p>	

	collection for monitoring, reporting and enforce standardization across partners, programs and locations; Integration between core Title 1 programs with Title 2 (Adult Ed and literacy), Title 3 (Wagner Peyser), Title 4 (Vocational Rehabilitation Services) and ancillary programs (as identified in Table 1 above) and third party IT systems; Common intake module for employers and providers; and more.
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