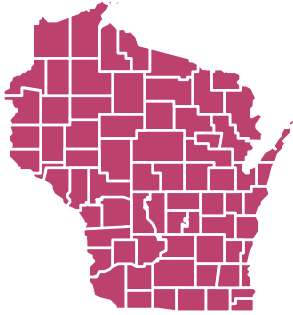


# NATIONAL DISLOCATED WORKER GRANTS

EMPLOYMENT RECOVERY - EMERGENCY FUNDING

FOR COVID-19 RESPONSE



## Supporting Wisconsin's COVID-19

### Dislocated Workers

Statewide

## Project Summary (Need)





As a result of the COVID-19 public health emergency, pandemic, Wisconsin has seen an enormous increase in worker layoffs across sectors and industries due to workforce reductions and business closures. This project will help Wisconsin's public workforce development system begin to address the increased need for services resulting from the pandemic.

## Employment Recovery Activities

This project will provide the funds needed to extend services geared towards helping participants obtain and retain employment in in-demand occupations that lead to economic self-sufficiency. Career planners will use the appropriate combination of assessment, job-search assistance (including job fairs), career services such as resume development and interviewing skills, training and supportive services to help each participant reach suitable employment. These services will be provided virtually when appropriate. Local WDBs will also focus their service delivery strategies on ensuring those who need it are provided opportunities to acquire the digital literacy skills that have become essential for workers to conduct job searches, be attractive job candidates, retain jobs, and advance in the workforce.

## Eligible Participants

Workers laid-off due to quarantine orders or business closures related to disruptions caused by the outbreak are eligible participants. Also eligible are workers unable to go to their regular workplace due to social distancing requirements, as well as those missing work to care for a family member.

Period of Performance	Approved Amount
9/15/2020 - 9/30/2022	\$4,995,000
	
Planned Participants	Target Population
3,000	Dislocated Workers
	



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