Massachusetts

Towns of Billerica, Chelmsford, Dracut, Dunstable, Lowell, Tewksbury, Tyngsboro, and Westford, all within Middlesex County.

Grant Number: DW-33162-19-60-A-25

Project Overview

This Disaster Recovery National Dislocated Worker Grant funding will support the NHE DWG project providing disaster relief jobs and employment services to eligible individuals in Middlesex County impacted by the health and economic effects of widespread opioid use, addiction, and overdose.

Project Description

The proposed grant will serve approximately 150 participants throughout 8 Massachusetts towns within Middlesex County significantly impacted by the health and economic effects of widespread opioid use, addiction, and overdose. Used to train and employ participants for temporary disaster-relief positions addressing the local workforce impacts of the opioid crisis, the funding will also provide employment services to individuals seeking careers in healthcare professions related to addiction, mental health treatment, and pain management.

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