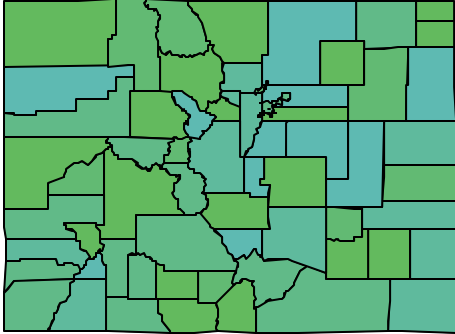


Quality Jobs, Equity, Strategy, and Training (QUEST) Disaster Recovery Dislocated Worker Grant(DWG)

Colorado



QUEST ETLG 02-22 Ch2

Period of Performance  9/30/2023 - 9/30/2026	Award Amount  \$5,000,000
Planned Participants  576	Target Population  Multiple groups

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Local Workforce Development Boards

Statewide

Grant Number: 23A60DW000016



Project Overview

The project will serve the full range of eligible participants, including an expanded definition of Long Term Unemployed, with a targeted focus on persons with disabilities, individuals who are justice-involved, SNAP and public assistance recipients, older workers (55+), and other eligible individuals from historically marginalized or underserved communities. These populations were selected because they have significant barriers to employment and the most to gain from the project.



Project Description

The project will provide employment and training activities including job shadowing, internships, apprenticeships, and short-term vocational skills training and credentialing to ensure that participants gain the necessary skills, knowledge, and experience to qualify for and succeed in good jobs. The project will also provide disaster relief employment positions in behavioral health and general health service positions will be created and placed in schools and daycare centers.



Project Industries

Infrastructure, Care Economy, Hospitality, Climate and Environment, Other Growth Industries including International Trade.