



West Virginia

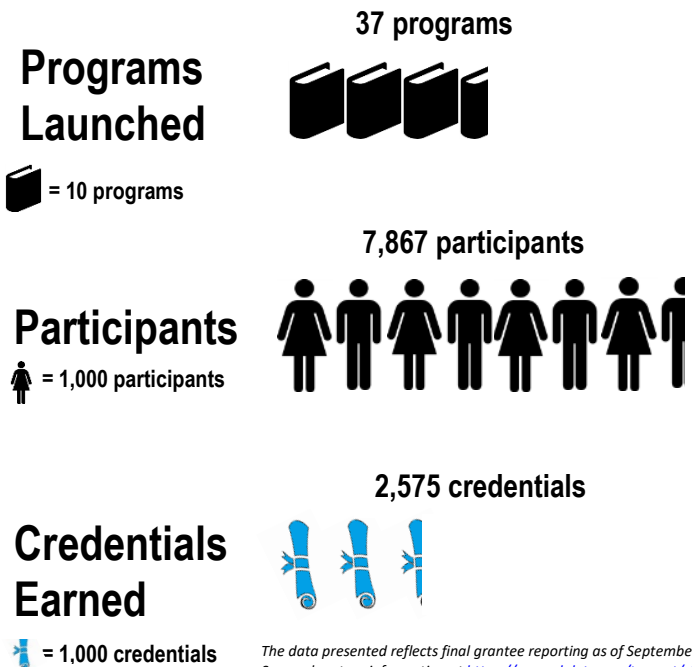
Total Funding: \$43,221,582
TAACCCT Grants: 4

Colleges

- Blue Ridge Community and Technical College
- Bridgevalley Community and Technical College
- Eastern West Virginia Community and Technical College
- Mountwest Community and Technical College**
- New River Community and Technical College**
- Pierpont Community and Technical College
- Southern West Virginia Community and Technical College
- West Virginia Northern Community College
- West Virginia University at Parkersburg

Bolded colleges are grant leads

Statewide Outcomes

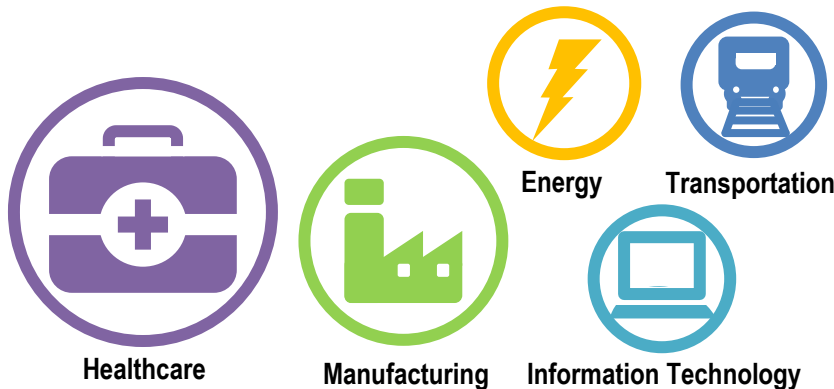


The data presented reflects final grantee reporting as of September 30, 2018. See explanatory information at <https://www.doleta.gov/taaccct/state-profiles.cfm>

The U.S. Department of Labor's TAACCCT grant program was a major investment in building the capacity of community colleges. Grant funds were not used for tuition, but to create or enhance programs of study that lead to industry-recognized credentials, upgrade equipment, support student success toward completion, and more. TAACCCT supported colleges to better serve workers eligible for training under the TAA for Workers program, as well as a broad range of other adults. TAACCCT grant funding ended in 2018; its ongoing impact is documented in third-party evaluations.

Examples from West Virginia

Industry Emphasis of Programs of Study



To find free and open career and technical training resources produced by colleges using TAACCCT funds, visit <https://www.skillscommons.org/>.

West Virginia Example: Mountwest Community and Technical College's BEACON project contributed [developmental education resources](#) including materials on reading, writing, and occupational mathematics.

The Bridging the Gap Consortium, which includes all nine community and technical colleges in the state, has developed apprenticeship programs in which employers provide paid, on-the-job training. For example, the consortium's lead college, BridgeValley Community and Technical College, has partnered with Gestamp to offer apprenticeship programs for technicians in the mechatronics and tool and die fields.

The Heroes for Hire: Putting Experience to Work consortium, led by Mountwest Community and Technical College, aims to improve education and training opportunities for TAA-eligible workers, military service members, and veterans by improving student support services, cultivating a technology-based learning environment, and awarding college credit for previous work and military experience. The consortium offers programs of study in health information management, chemical technology, health professions, and geographic information systems.

