

## The Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (Public Law 113-128)\*

### PROGRAM YEAR 2017 FUNDING

PY 2017 WIOA funding is made available through the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2017 (Public Law 115-31) dated May 5, 2017 and released on April 1, 2017, July 1, 2017, and October 1, 2017. It maintains the amount available for Statewide Activities at 15%. \*\* Pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2017, ETA transferred .25% of the funding appropriated for Training and Employment Services (TES) from the Youth, Adult and Dislocated Worker programs to the Department's Chief Evaluation Officer before allotments to states were calculated. Additionally, the Act allows the Secretary to reserve 0.5% of each discretionary appropriation made available to ETA in order to carry out activities related to program integrity.

#### BASE (PY 2017)

Appropriated and made available on April 1 and July 1 through the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2017 dated May 5, 2017.

#### ADVANCE (FY 2018)

Funded in the the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2017, enacted May 5, 2017 but not made available until October 1, 2017 when the FY 2018 appropriation is passed.

**PY 2017 Allotments = Base (PY 2017) + Advance (FY 2018)**

**April 1, 2017**

Release 100% of Program Year 2017 Youth funds

**PY 2017 Youth Allotments**

**July 1, 2017**

Release approximately 13% of Program Year 2017 Adult funds

**October 1, 2017**

Release approximately 87% of Program Year 2017 Adult funds or when the FY 2018 appropriation passes.

**PY 2017 Adult Allotments**

**July 1, 2017**

Release approximately 16% of Program Year 2017 Dislocated Workers funds

**October 1, 2017**

Release approximately 84% of Program Year 2017 Dislocated Workers funds or when the FY 2018 appropriation passes.

**PY 2017 Dislocated Workers Allotments**

FY 2018 Advance funds are available for obligations and expenditures on or after October 1, 2017.

Delays in issuing the FY 2018 Advance funds may occur if there is a no approved DOL (budget) appropriation.

\* **Authorizing legislation** such as WIOA Public Law 113 -128 establishes policies and funding limits for programs and agencies.

\*\* **Appropriations legislation** gives Departments authority to obligate and expend federal funds related to the program authorizations. Appropriations can further restrict the purpose, time, and amount of the program authorizations and through the Anti-Deficiency Act, Departments are prohibited from overobligating or overspending an appropriation. Appropriations legislation would include the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2017 (P.L. 115-31), enacted May 5, 2017.