ATTACHMENT III

Data Tools for Identifying Characteristics of Participants and Economic Conditions

A number of data tools are available to identify characteristics of a State’s population and its economic trends, including:

- State Labor Market Information Department Websites (http://www.careerinfonet.org/select_state.asp);
- StatsAmerica State Profiles (http://www.statsamerica.org);
- Census Bureau Population Data (http://www.census.gov/topics/population.html);
- State Data Centers (https://www.census.gov/about/partners/sdc/member-network.html);
- Regional Economic Data (http://www.bea.gov/regional);
- Business and Economic Data (https://www.census.gov/econ/geography.html);
- Quarterly Census of Employment and Wages historic data (http://www.bls.gov/cew/datatoc.htm);
- Disability Data Resources (http://www.dol.gov/odep/pubs/fact/data.htm);
- Educational Attainment Profiles (http://nces.ed.gov/programs/maped/); and