

Trade Adjustment Assistance Fiscal Year 2019

State Profile: Iowa



TRANSITIONING WORKERS TO TOMORROW'S CAREERS

The Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA) Program is administered by the Employment and Training Administration to provide adversely affected workers with opportunities to obtain the skills, credentials, resources, and support necessary to *(re)build skills for future jobs*. Each fiscal year, the TAA Program invests in training funds to serve workers impacted by foreign trade and helps those eligible for TAA get ready to work through tailored training for new skills that create pathways to well-paying, middle-class jobs.

This state profile uses TAA Program data in fiscal year 2019 and other publicly available administrative data from 2015–2019 to show both a snapshot and trends over time of the program.

KEY BENEFITS OF TAA

- Up to 2 years of tuition-free training
- Job search allowances
- Income support while in training
- Health coverage tax credit
- Wage supplements for older workers
- Relocation allowances

TAA PETITIONS CERTIFIED

11
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799
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ESTIMATED WORKERS COVERED BY TAA

754
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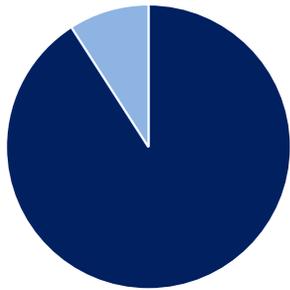
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TAA FEDERAL FUNDS ALLOCATED

\$10.6M
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\$582.1M
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TAA PETITIONS BY INDUSTRY SECTOR IN IOWA, FISCAL YEAR 2019



Industry Sector	Petitions	Percent
Manufacturing	10	91%
Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services	1	9%

TAA PARTICIPANT OUTCOMES IN FISCAL YEAR 2019



89%

of TAA participants in Iowa found new jobs



51%

of TAA participants in Iowa received training



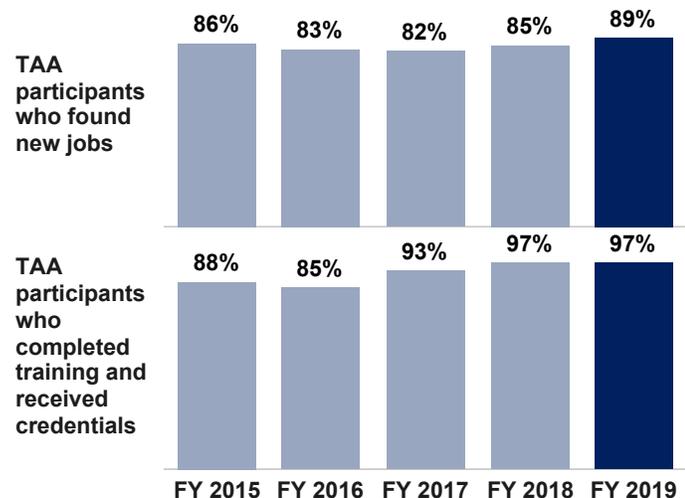
97%

of TAA participants who completed training in Iowa received credentials

EMPLOYMENT TRENDS IN THE THREE LARGEST INDUSTRIES IN IOWA (Numbers in thousands)

Industry	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	Percent Change
Public Administration	268	269	271	271	272	1.4%
Manufacturing	223	221	223	230	233	4.4%
Health Care and Social Assistance	217	219	219	219	219	0.7%

TRENDS IN TAA OUTCOMES IN IOWA BY FISCAL YEAR



Sources: Bureau of Economic Analysis. *Total full-time and part-time employment by industry (SAEMP25)*, 2015–2019. TAA program and petition data available at: <https://www.dol.gov/agencies/eta/tradeact/data>.

To learn more about TAA, visit <https://www.dol.gov/agencies/eta/tradeact/>

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