

WIOAB 07-19

DATE:

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TO:

All WIOA Youth Subrecipients

FROM:

Vicki Parkinson, Workforce Programs Manager

SUBJECT:

PY19 Youth-in-Need (YIN) Distribution

Section 129(b)(1)(F) and regulation §682.200(k) of the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act require states to direct a portion of the Governor's 15 percent funds to "provide additional assistance to local areas that have high concentrations of eligible youth to carry out the activities described in the Act". In PYs 17 & 18, the Workforce Development Council allotted WIOA Youth-in-Need (YIN) resources to areas with significant migrant/seasonal farmworker (MSFW) populations to increase outreach and recruitment of Hispanic youth, particularly MSFWs, in rural communities. In PY18, the Service Delivery Areas showed a significant increase in enrollment in both Hispanic and MSFW youth across the state; a marked improvement from PY17. In an effort to continue the state's momentum with these groups, the state has chosen to continue its targeted recruitment of these groups.

WIOA youth program staff should make efforts to communicate with other organizations that can provide insight into reaching the targeted youth, and who may assist in the outreach process:

- the Community Council of Idaho, a multi-service non-profit agency that provides social services to migrant and seasonal farmworkers across southern Idaho;
- local school districts' MSFW Coordinators who can help to provide information about the out-of-school MSFW population in the area; and
- ES MSFW outreach workers stationed in most of the MSFW significant offices.

The following page provides PY19 enrollment goals and allotments.

A webinar to inform career planners of this year's YIN focus on Hispanic and MSFW youth and discuss the methodology for allotments and goals will be scheduled later this month.

Please contact the State Monitor Advocate, Dunnia Aplicano <u>Dunnia.aplicano@labor.idaho.gov</u>, ext. 3135, who can provide specific contact information and insight regarding MSFW resources in your local area.

Region	PY19 Enrollment Goals		*PY YIN	Activity Charge Code
	Hispanic	MFSW	Allotment	V
1	19	2	\$2,490	318-831
2	16	2	\$2,228	328-831
3	85	17	\$14,496	338-831
4	11	6	\$3,460	348-831
5	13	4	\$2,800	358-831
6	28	5	\$4,526	368-831

^{*}Youth in need funds only to be used for WIOA staff performing outreach efforts listed above.

If you have any questions regarding the purpose of these funds, please contact the Grants Management Unit.