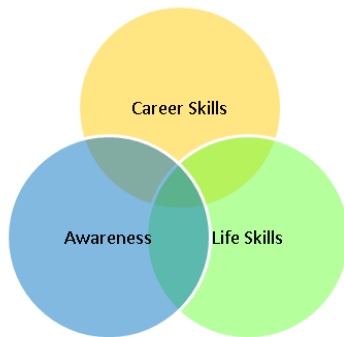


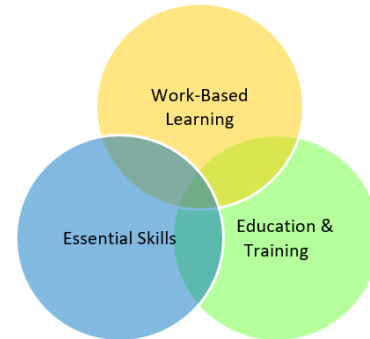


“Prepare Illinois workers for a career, not just their next job.”

Opportunity For:



Experience Through:



Charges:

Create opportunities for learners of all ages and ability with a focus on those individuals defined as targeted populations to enhance their career awareness, career skills, and life skills through experiences with the education and training, work-based learning and essential skills as enhanced by the Illinois Essential Employability Skills approach.

Serves as the intersection between job seekers, businesses, the education system, local workforce agencies, and other interested stakeholders.

Committee Priorities: Integrate and Involve

1. Being a link between the IWIB and the Local Workforce system to impact and improve the lives of Illinois citizens particularly those that are identified as WIOA targeted populations.
2. Integration and comprehensive involvement of all partners, including the four core partners, business sector, secondary and postsecondary education, workforce labor, legislative, and local implementation partners.
3. Work with the Business Engagement Committee to provide business and industry an awareness of the Illinois career pathway efforts to provide sustainable business-driven talent solutions for small and historically underrepresented owned business.
4. Work with the Apprenticeship Committee to provide work-based experiences for targeted populations.





CAREER PATHWAYS TARGETED POPULATIONS WINTER QUARTERLY REPORT DECEMBER 2020

Quarterly Update:

The CPTP focused on coordination this quarter in three areas:

1. Workgroups – The leadership workgroup that is composed of IWIB members (Friedman, Massie, Schiemann and Wendorf) continues to provide direction for the committee. The CPTP also has a group called the Kitchen Cabinet (composed of local work force staff) that meets monthly to plan for upcoming meetings and discuss career pathway progress throughout the workforce system. There are plans to add one or two additional workgroups to the CPTP in early 2021. The first is an Advisory Workgroup composed of members of local workforce areas to advise the CPTP. The second work group will focus on sector specific career pathways.
2. IWP Coordination – The CPTP will continue to work with IWP to coordinate career pathway efforts. The CPTP will meet with the IWP in December and will invite IWP members to attend the next CPTP committee meeting.
3. IWIB Committees – The CPTP will work with the Business Engagement Committee to highlight businesses that have programs for target populations and to provide outreach materials to businesses. The CPTP will also work to coordinate with the Apprenticeship Committee and CIC.

Work Plan Progress:

Priority 1: Serve as a link between the IWIB and LWIA's			
Serve as a link between the IWIB and LWIAs	Timeline	Deliverable	Progress currently
Prioritize target populations that could be served by LWIA's and the IWIB	December 2020	Summary of the target populations that CPTP will focus on for career pathway work	Focus on individuals with physical and cognitive disabilities
Identify topics of value to Local Workforce Innovation Boards and explore recommendations from LWIBS and CPTP	March 2021	List of opportunities for LWIBs & IWIB CPTP	Communication will be sent to LWIAs in December 2020
Collaborate with other IWIB committees and IWP	March 2021	A list of identified areas of collaboration	Coordination with IWP continues; will contribute at IWP December meeting

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Priority 2: Integration and comprehensive involvement of all partners, including the four core partners, business sector, secondary and postsecondary education, workforce labor, legislative, and local implementation partners.

Host quarterly meetings for all members	Ongoing	Meeting minutes	Quarterly Next meeting - January
Work groups Continue coordination through leadership group and "Kitchen Cabinet"	March 2021	Quarterly workgroup reports	Currently the Leadership and Kitchen Cabinet groups are working. Two additional workgroups will be established in January 2021.

Priority 3: Work with the Business Engagement Committee and Apprenticeship Committee to provide work-based experience to target populations and create business industry awareness of career pathway efforts

Identify areas of collaboration	March 2021	Create a list of partnerships and plan for quarterly updates	Discussions with the Business Engagement Committee and IWP in December to further develop coordinating efforts
Highlight businesses that provide career pathway opportunities to target populations	June 2021	Links and resources for businesses of other businesses already providing career pathway opportunities to target populations	Working with Sherry Sparks & Todd Lowery to highlight businesses

