

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL
RFP NW145 #17-01
Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA)
TITLE I CAREER SERVICES
FOR
ADULTS, DISLOCATED WORKERS, and YOUTH
Questions and Answers

Q. On question #5 of section C.1 which is:

Please describe your experience as a WIA/WIOA provider. For each WIA/WIOA operation, include information about scope of your work, including the duration of time you have been providing the service, innovative or best practices, and a summary chart of negotiated and actual for all WIOA outcomes for the past two years. If your organization has not provided WIOA services, please provide the same information for programs that are comparable to the WIOA services you are proposing. Provide references and contact information for three agencies that you work with to provide the same or similar services and/or activities.

I need clarification on the question above. The part that says, “and a summary chart of negotiated and actual for all WIOA outcomes for the past two years”. DOL has not put out WIOA outcomes for the past two years, what else could I provide to answer this part of the question?

A. West Central Job Partnership’s most recent plans (Transitional PY 16 – July 1, 2016 to June 30, 2017 and extended to December 31, 2017; and PY 17 – January 1, 2018 to June 30, 2020) include the following performance measures and goals:

WIOA Performance Measures	Adult	DW	Youth
Employment – 2 nd Quarter after Exit	59%	67%	58%
Employment – 4 th Quarter after Exit	58%	63%	57%
Median Earnings – 2 nd Quarter after Exit	\$4,000	\$5,800	\$1,600
Credential Attainment Rate	68%	71%	60%
Measurable Skill Gains	48%	48%	48%
Effectiveness in Serving Employers	25%	25%	25%

Please provide actual outcomes relative to the WIOA performance measures as stated above that resulted from your agency providing direct or contracted services to participants.

Q. Same question #5 of section C.1. above: Also, I just want to clarify that you are not asking for letters of support in the RFP, but in this section you are asking for 3 references and their contact information?

A. No letters of support. Please provide contact information for three agencies that are familiar with the work you do and the services you provide. For agencies currently

providing WIOA services, these references could be partner agencies that could provide information on how services and activities are integrated into the PA CareerLink® system. It could be organizations who provide contracted services. For agencies who are not currently providing WIOA services, it could be any community- based organization who is familiar with the services you provide that are similar to those required by WIOA and outlined in the RFP.

- Q.** The bidder's letter described in F.11 #6 says "Date issued – March 23, 2018." Is this the date you want in the bidder's letter?
- A.** No. The March 23, 2018 was a typographical error. It should be "Date issued – February 23, 2018."