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Joint Guidance from KYAE Skills U and Kentucky Career Center



Dear Local Adult Education Providers and Kentucky Career Center Staff and Partners,

The Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) legislation sets forth a transformative new vision for comprehensive services and requires partnerships among employment, adult education, rehabilitation service, and education and training programs across the nation.

In the Commonwealth, we are fortunate because many of these partnerships existed before the WIOA legislation. We remain committed to improving connections between employment and training opportunities that lead to economic prosperity for Kentucky workers and their families.

Following the example set forth by the U.S. Department of Labor and the U.S. Department of Education, the Kentucky Education & Workforce Development Cabinet (WIOA Titles I, III, and IV) and Kentucky Adult Education Skills U (Title II) will be issuing **joint guidance**. This joint guidance will be documentation developed and confirmed by both agencies and distributed through normal guidance channels (i.e., Kentucky Adult Education Skills U Implementation Guidelines and Kentucky Career Center Guidance Letters).

Please connect with your local WIOA partners to review and discuss how best to implement the joint guidance. Refer any questions you have regarding WIOA and its implementation to your normal agency contacts.

We look forward to working together to improve educational, employment and earning opportunities for our fellow Kentuckians.

Thank you for doing the great work you do!

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Beth Kuhn
Commissioner
Kentucky Department of Workforce Investment

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