

Homeless Veterans Reintegration Program: Program and Application: RETURNING APPLICANTS AND CURRENT GRANTEES

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2. Overview of the Application Process

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1. Overview of the HVRP Application



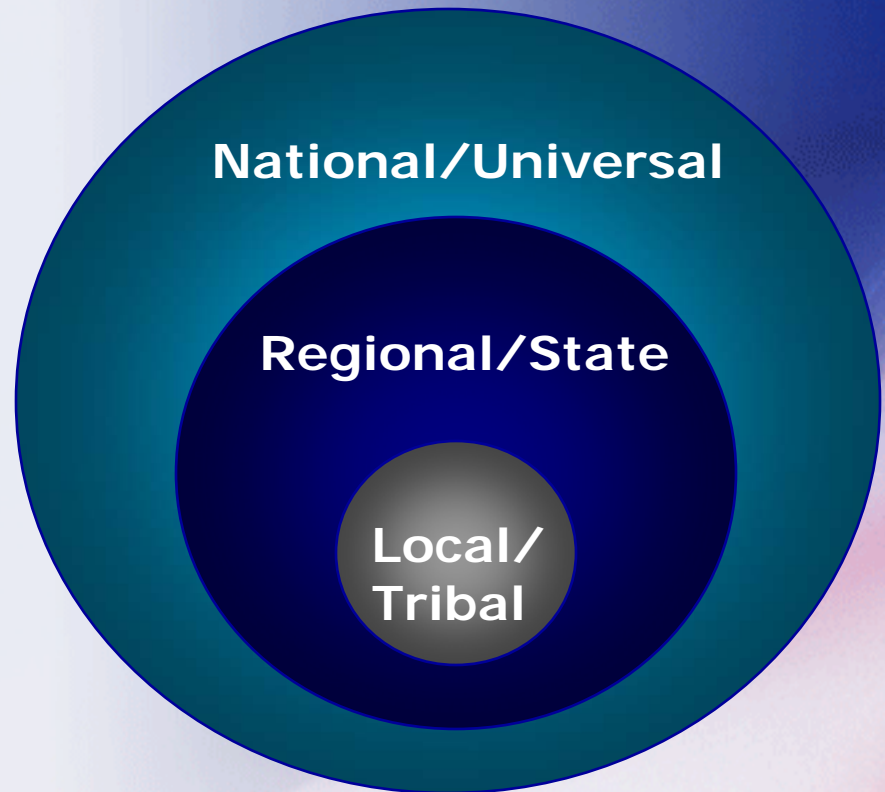
HVRP Background

Authorization and Administration

- Section 2021 of Title 38 of the United States Code (U.S.C.) requires the Secretary of Labor “to conduct, directly or through grant or contract, such programs as the Secretary determines appropriate to provide job training, counseling, and placement services (including job readiness, literacy training, and skills training) to expedite the reintegration of homeless Veterans into the labor force.”
- Public Law 113-37, the “Department of Veterans Affairs Expiring Authorities Act of 2013”, reauthorizes HVRP through 2014
- Administered through the Department of Labor- Veterans’ Employment and Training Service (VETS), HVRP is the only federal program that focuses exclusively on the employment of veterans who are homeless.

HVRP Core Services

- Main program objectives
 - To provide services to assist in reintegrating homeless veterans into meaningful employment within the labor force and;
 - To stimulate the development of effective service delivery systems that will address the complex problems facing homeless veterans.



HVRP Core Services

- What kind of program model should we use?
 - No one program model is required; client-centered case management
 - Showcase effective collaboration with federal, state, local, and tribal organizations
 - Showcase engagement with industry, employers and employer associations to identify the skills needed for in-demand jobs and careers
 - Informed by labor market information!
- Show measures of success!
- “Rules of Three”
 - Must meet operational, administrative, and financial requirements
 - Design, Develop, and Execute goals and strategies that create positive Training, Employment and Retention outcomes
 - Organizational experience, staff experience, and quality of linkages
 - Complete, comprehensive, and coherent

HVRP Core Services

- Scope of Program Design:
 - Outreach
 - Assessment and Intake
 - Job-driven Employment and Training
 - Follow-up
- Other Considerations
 - Female veterans
 - Chronically homeless veterans
- Services
 - Job placement and retention services
 - Counseling
 - Mentoring
 - Supportive services
 - Housing
 - Physical and mental health
 - Other necessary assistance

HVRP Core Services

- Major partners
 - experienced public agencies
 - private non-profit organizations
 - private businesses
 - community-based organizations
 - colleges and universities
- Partners must have
 - Knowledge of local labor market trends
 - Unique needs of homeless veterans
 - Linkages with Federal agencies; American Job Centers (formerly One-Stop Career Centers); local Interagency Council on Homelessness (ICH)

Operating Timelines

- Performance period
 - Performance period: 12 months; July 1, 2014-June 30, 2015
 - Follow-up for 3 quarters: July 1, 2015-March 31, 2016
 - Program funds obligated and reserved for 9 months of follow up and close out by June 30, 2015
 - Must begin program activities on day 1 (July 1) of grant period
 - Must be fully staffed and operational within 30 days notification of award
- Grant years:
 - One year grants
 - Up to **two** renewal years (See Appendix J VPL)

General Application Information

Page Limits and Formatting

- Page limits:
 - 50 page total page limit
 - 15 page maximum on Technical Proposal
- Formatting:
 - Single-sided pages, 8-1/2” x 11” inch paper, double spaced, 12 pt. font, 1 inch margins, English
 - (if submitting through grants.gov) .doc, .rtf., .pdf format
 - Consecutively number pages
 - Tab dividers for sections and sub-sections

General Application Information

- Application and Funding Restrictions
 - Application restrictions:
 - 1 application per submitting organization and physical location with same population
 - No Fiscal Year 2011, Fiscal Year 2012 or Fiscal Year 2013 HVRP grantees serving same population in same area (if you are receiving option year funding)
 - NO co-enrollment of participants in HVRP and VWIP within one organization
 - Funding restrictions
 - Admin costs not to exceed 20% of total award
 - No pre-award costs
 - Salary and bonuses
 - No participant wages from the grant, but funding can be used for reasonable cost of providing OJT

General Application Information

- Solicitation for Grant Applications (SGA)
- Funding Opportunity Number: [SGA #14-02 / PY 2014](#)
- Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 17.805
- Cost sharing
 - Not a part of the application grading criteria
- Changes/Amendments to the SGA
 - Check back regularly to www.grants.gov and the DOL-VETS website
 - Applicant responsibility to check back on these!!

General Application Information

Funding Levels and Categories

- Funding Levels:
 - \$6 million total
 - Distributed between Urban and Non-Urban
 - Urban: \$100,000 – \$300,000
 - Non-Urban: \$100,000 - \$200,000
 - **Do not exceed funding levels
 - Native American tribal lands are non-urban
- Funding Category:
 - Urban or Non-Urban: Appendix F
 - metropolitan statistical areas (MSA)
 - 75 largest cities from 2010 US Census
 - the proposed area to be served has a population of at least 698,030
- **Provide documentation and maps of Urban status
- **Clearly identify funding category in your abstract

Eligible Applicants and Service Population

- Applicant Eligibility
 - State and local Workforce Investment Boards (WIBs)
 - Native American tribal governments (federally recognized)
 - Native American tribal organizations (other than federally recognized tribal governments)
 - Local public agencies
 - For-profit/commercial entities
 - Non-profit organizations
 - Community-based organizations
 - Faith-based organizations
 - ****Must have IRS documentation!!**

Eligible Applicants and Service Population

- Participant Eligibility:
 - Participants must be homeless veterans
- Veteran:
 - a person who served in the active military, and
 - who was discharged or released under conditions other than dishonorable
 - Veterans with dishonorable discharge are **NOT** eligible for HVRP

Eligible Applicants and Service Population

Homeless:

- 1. persons who lack a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence
- 2. persons living in supervised public or privately operated shelter designed to provide temporary living arrangements
- 3. an individual who resided in a shelter or place not meant for human habitation and who is exiting an institution where he or she temporarily resided
- 4. persons with a primary nighttime residence that is a public or private place not designed for or ordinarily used as a regular sleeping accommodation for human beings
- * an individual or family who will imminently lose their housing, can identify no subsequent residence, and which lacks the resources or support networks needed to obtain other permanent housing.
- * unaccompanied youth and homeless families with children and youth defined as homeless under other Federal statutes

Components of the Application

- Make sure you follow directions in the SGA:
 - **Make sure there are three parts!!
 - ** budget numbers must be consistent!!
- Three sections:
 - I. Cost Proposal
 - II. Technical Proposal (100 points)
 - Need for the Project
 - Overall Approach and Strategy
 - Quality of Linkages
 - Organizational and Capacity and Experience
 - Housing Strategy
 - III. Attachments to the Technical Proposal

Components of the Application

- Part I: Cost Proposal (No points)
 - **Must provide all of these documents!!
 - SF-424 (original signed in blue ink) (Appendix A)
 - Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance #17.805
 - DUNS # (sub-grantees)
 - Certifies you are in compliance with the Assurances and Certifications form SF-424B (Appendix C)
 - Standard Form SF-424A (Appendix B)
 - Budget Narrative
 - Direct Cost Description for Applicants and Sub-Applicants (Appendix E)
 - Indirect Charges or Certificate of Direct Costs Form (Appendix H)
 - Register with System for Award Management (SAM), not CCR

Components of the Application

- Budget Narrative
 - Title it “budget narrative”
 - Make sure your numbers match!
- Components of the Budget Narrative
 - Detailed cost breakout of each item in the budget information sheet
 - Must include:
 - personnel costs
 - fringe benefits
 - explanation of costs and methodologies
 - follow-up services costs
 - equipment purchases
 - ~~• other funds~~

Components of the Application

Part III: Attachments to the Technical Proposal (no points)

- Abstract
 - Overall strategy
 - Timeline
 - Outcomes to be achieved
 - Geographic area to be served
 - Congressional district
 - Type of grant (urban or non-urban)
- PY 2014 Competitive Grants Planned Goals Chart (Appendix D)
- Recent summary of a financial audit statement
- List of employment and training grants and contracts
- Project/Performance Site Location(s) Form OMB Number 4040-0010 (Appendix K)
- Contracts and MOUs
- Organizational chart and staff resumes
- Statement of intent to work collaboratively with DOL and contractor

Components of the Application

- Part II: Technical Proposal (100 Points)
 - 15 pages maximum
 - Activities and measures of success
 - Major Components:
 - Need for the Project (15)
 - Overall Approach and Strategy (45)
 - Outreach (10 pts.)
 - Assessment & Intake (10 pts.)
 - Employment & Training (15 pts.)
 - Follow up (10 pts.)
 - Quality of Linkages (15)
 - Organizational Capacity and Experience (15)
 - Housing Strategy (10)

Components of the Application

- Need for the Project (15 points)
 - Opportunity to show knowledge of service delivery system
 - Cite sources!
 - Description of service area
 - Identify category (urban or non-urban)
 - Identify congressional district and Native American tribal region, if applicable
 - Other components
 - Numbers of homeless individuals and homeless veterans
 - Poverty and unemployment
 - Gaps in supportive service delivery system
 - Employment barriers of homeless veterans
 - Local labor market information

Components of the Application

- Overall Approach and Strategy (45 points)
 - Focus on quality placements and sustained retention
 - 4 Dimensions + supportive services
 - Dimensions:
 - Outreach
 - Assessment and Intake
 - Employment and Training
 - Follow-up Services
 - Need a participant flow chart

Components of the Application

- Dimension 1: Outreach (10 points)
 - Demonstrate active engagement with industry
 - Focus on avoiding service duplications
 - Delivering on Outreach
 - Project orientation workshops
 - Provider meetings
 - When possible, develop formal MOUs or agreements
 - Connect to important partners (pg. 43-44)
 - Apply for/connect to Stand Down
 - Encouraged to apply for separate Stand Down funding as an outreach tool!!
 - NCHV Stand Down National Registry

Components of the Application

- Dimension 2: Assessment and Intake (10 points)
 - Identify and address barriers to employment for participants to ensure long-term success
 - Include a focus on chronically homeless veterans
 - Delivering on Assessment and Intake
 - Assessing abilities, interests, needs and knowledge gaps
 - Assess barriers
 - Determining (and documenting) veteran willingness
 - Connecting to services (before, during, and after enrollment)
 - Connecting to VA benefits

Components of the Application

- Dimension 3: Job Driven Employment and Training Services (15 points)
 - Development of an individualized Individual Employment Plan (IEP)
 - IEPs must be “job-driven” in training and employment services
 - Document progression to job readiness and referral to AJC
 - 80% must be in training
 - Delivering on Job Driven Employment and Training Services
 - Training must be specific and targeted
 - Show connection between training and available jobs and jobs in demand
 - Work-based learning opportunities: registered apprenticeships, paid internships, on-the-job training, cooperative learning, work experience, and customized training
 - Work with American Job Centers for placement!
 - Indicate training length, curriculum, and how it will improve employment prospects

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Presidential Memorandum -- Job-Driven Training for Workers

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF LABOR

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Components of the Application

- Dimension 4: Follow-up Services (10 points)
 - 3 quarters after placement
 - Creative approaches and incentives
 - Using State Unemployment Insurance to track participants

Components of the Application

- Quality of Linkages (15 points)
 - Connection to various federal, state, and local programs
 - Health Care for Homeless Veterans Outreach Coordinators
 - Supportive Services for Veteran Families (SSVF) programs
 - local ICH
 - Social Security Administration
 - MUST Register as an Employment Network (EN) under Ticket to Work
 - Connection to community services
 - Specialized medical, rehabilitation, and mental health needs
 - Delivering on Quality of Linkages:
 - Include a local area network of service providers list
 - Name
 - Services provided
 - Source of funding
 - Referral mechanism
 - Describe integration into local 5 and 10 Year Plans

Components of the Application

- Organizational Capacity and Experience (15 points)
 - Staff experience and capacity:
 - See page 52-54
 - Delivering on Organizational Capacity and Experience:
 - Address any start-up, participant tracking, sustainability and reporting issues
 - Previous HVRP grantees
 - Final/most recently completed 4th quarter Technical Performance Report (TPR) and most recently completed 4th quarter Technical Performance Narrative (TPN)
 - planned goals spreadsheet the year the of the most recently completed 4th quarter report
 - No HVRP experience:
 - most recent three year periods of financial and programmatic cumulative final year end performance reports
 - summary narrative of program experience and a descriptive showing the program's employment and training performance outcomes

Components of the Application

- Housing Strategy (10 points)
 - Strategy must include emergency, temporary, transitional, permanent housing resources
 - Delivering on Housing
 - Should include a rapid response strategy
 - Provide/ connect to appropriate housing for at least the number of planned enrollees
 - Appropriate referrals based on veteran need
 - Connection to HUD-VASH
 - DO NOT use HVRP funds for housing

Remember....

Include all requirements or lose points/run the risk of being non-responsive!

2. Overview of the Application Process

Application Submission

- Receiving application materials
 - SGA and attachments through DOL-VETS website
 - Materials through grants.gov
- Due dates
 - 30 days after publication of the SGA
 - 4:00 p.m. Eastern

Application Submission

- Acceptable methods of submission
 - US Mail
 - Overnight delivery
 - hand delivery
 - www.grants.gov
- **Unacceptable methods of submission**
 - E-mail
 - Telegram
 - Fax
- Multiple application submissions:
 - Last qualifying submission will be accepted
 - If you submit both, send a hard-copy letter

Application Submission

- If you are mailing your application:
 - Submit original signed in blue ink and 2 copies and a CD (final)
 - “Copy ready” (No tabs, staples, etc.)
 - Address for mailing:
 - Department of Labor, Procurement Services Center
 - Attention: Cassandra Mitchell, Grant Officer
 - Reference SGA 14-02
 - 200 Constitution Avenue, NW, Room S-4307, Washington, DC 20210
- If you are using grants.gov:
 - No need for copies
 - “Get Registered” can take up to **4 weeks**
 - Downloadable registration checklist
 - Two e-mails received after submission
 - 1- confirms receipt; tracking #
 - 2- confirms rejection due to errors or validation

Application Submission

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Include all requested documents, or your application will not be graded!!

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3. Changes to the SGA



Definitions and Terms

- Other Important Definitions

- Chronically homeless:

- Unaccompanied homeless individual with a disabling condition who has either been continuously homeless for a year or more, or who has had at least four (4) episodes of homelessness in the past three (3) years.

- LMI:

- LMI describes current and projected local, regional, state and national labor markets, such as the number and types of available jobs, their characteristics, and the characteristics of the labor supply

- Disabling condition:

- Diagnosable substance abuse disorder, serious mental illness, developmental disability, or chronic physical illness or disability including the co-occurrence of two or more of these conditions. A disabling condition limits an individual's ability to work or perform one or more activities of daily living

- Proprietary or business confidential information:

- Not usually disclosed outside your organization
 - Could cause you substantial competitive harm

- Personally Identifiable information (PII):

- Can be used to trace an individual's identity
 - Linked to an individual (medical, educational, financial, employment)

Changes to the SGA

- Funding Changes
 - Up to two option years (no longer three) (p.7)
 - \$6,000,000 available (p.3;7)
 - Obligation of follow-up funds (p.9)
- Operational Changes
 - No longer required to be fully staffed within 30 days, but must still be able to start activities as of day 1 of the award (p. 9)
 - Outreach: Must include “women’s organizations” in your outreach (p. 44)
 - Outreach: Reminder that Stand Down funding is separate! (p.44)
 - Assessment and Intake: Must now describe how you will assess “knowledge gaps” (p. 45)
 - Assessment and Intake: Now, examples are given of services to assist the participant, including: “e career technical training, soft skills training, aptitude testing, counseling, or referral to other services” (p. 45)
 - MUST register as an EN (p.51)

Changes to the SGA

- Technical Changes
 - Funding # SGA 14-02/PY 2014 (1) (p.28)
 - New reauthorization (p.4)
 - If you leave out planned goals, you get a “low score” but are not non-responsive (p.26)
 - Your audit must still be within 18 months (p.26;29)
 - No more Survey on Ensuring Equal Opportunity for Applicants
 - Attach Project/Performance Site Location(s) Form OMB Number 4040-0010 under “required forms” if using grants.gov (p.26)
 - Organizational chart and staff resumes are required (p.27)
 - Less direction on structure of your organizational chart (p.52)
 - Application restrictions if awarded first, second, or third option years (p.39)
 - Points: Need for the Program is now 15 points (instead of 10) (p.40)
 - Points: Organizational Capacity section is now 15 points (instead of 20) (p.40)
 - Applicants with HVRP experience must include reports on other relevant grants as well as HVRP, as relevant (p.53)
 - Must maintain records for three years (p.62)

Changes to the SGA

- Reporting and Outcome Changes
 - Performance must now be +/- 15%, no longer 85% (p.64)
 - Minimum placement is now 66%, no longer 65%
 - Entered Employment Rate is now 53%, no longer 65%
 - EER is tracked and included in SGA
 - Cost per placement now up to \$3,000, no longer \$2,800
 - Higher cost per placement is allowable if it is needed to implement job-drien training and employment strategies

Changes to the SGA

- LMI and Job-Driven Training
 - Focus on “job-driven training” over “job training” (p.3;6;42;46)
 - Focus on expanding “career technical skills” over “vocational skills” (p.49)
 - Engaging with industry:
 - You must “promote active engagement with industry, employers and employer associations to identify the skills needed for in-demand jobs and careers” (p.3;4)
 - Outreach: Now, you must be engaged with industry to determine needed skills (p.42)
 - Use of Labor Market Information (p.5;41;47;48)
 - Your AJC is a good source of LMI (p.48)
 - Partners should have a working knowledge of local labor market, not just geographic area to be served (p.6)
 - Your overall approach and strategy must “identify and target skills and competencies in demand in the applicant’s regional economy” (p.42)
 - You must use LMI to drive decision making on training (p.46)
 - Inclusion of “registered apprenticeship” (p.47;48;49)

Job-Driven Training

- <http://www.whitehouse.gov/the-press-office/2014/01/30/presidential-memorandum-job-driven-training-workers>

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It is critical that the Federal Government ensure that its policies and programs in the workforce and training system are designed to equip the Nation's workers with skills matching the needs of employers looking to hire. To achieve this goal, employers must identify the skills and credentials required for in-demand jobs and help develop training programs; workers and job seekers must have access to education and training that meets their unique needs and the requirements for good jobs and careers; and employers must have easy ways to find workers who have or can acquire those skills. We must take steps to ensure that all relevant Federal programs follow such a job-driven approach to training, and that these programs are accountable for getting Americans into good jobs and careers as quickly as possible. That is why I have asked the Vice President to lead a Government-wide review of relevant Federal programs.

Registered Apprenticeship

- <http://www.whitehouse.gov/the-press-office/2014/04/16/fact-sheet-american-job-training-investments-skills-and-jobs-build-stronger-middle-class>

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FACT SHEET - American Job Training Investments: Skills and Jobs to Build a Stronger Middle Class

American Job Training Investments: Skills and Jobs to Build a Stronger Middle Class

To create new opportunities for all hard-working Americans to get ahead, the President has asked the Vice President to lead an initiative to help individuals get trained with skills businesses need now and then placed in good, middle class jobs. Training America's workers with the skills they need for a good job can help middle class families feel more secure in their jobs and help American businesses grow our economy. But too many businesses can't find skilled workers for jobs they want to fill, while too many people looking for a job may be ready to learn new skills but may not be certain that there's a job waiting for them on the other end. Community colleges are one of the best ways to train workers with the skills they need for a job, and hands-on apprenticeships are one of the clearest paths to a good, secure middle class job. In fact, 87 percent of apprentices are employed after completing their programs and the average starting wage for apprenticeship graduates is over \$50,000.

Today, as part of this effort, the President and Vice President are announcing new federal investments using existing funds to support job-driven training, like apprenticeships, that will expand partnerships with industry, businesses, unions, community colleges, and training organizations to train workers in the skills they need. Employers, unions, and foundations are joining these efforts with new commitments to support job-driven training. These steps are part of President Obama's commitment to make 2014 a year of action, acting with Congress when possible but also using his pen and his phone – calling on businesses, philanthropy, non-profits, states, and local communities to act.

Engaging with Community Colleges

Partnering Local Businesses with Community Colleges to Put Americans Back to Work Through a Nearly \$500 Million Job Training Competition. Today, the Department of Labor is releasing the application for partnerships of community colleges, employers and industry to develop training programs that are job-driven – that is – designed to respond to the demands of employers so people get placed in jobs. As part of a nearly \$500 million competition, all grantees will be required to identify sectors with open jobs to fill, partner with the public workforce system and employers in that sector to address the skills needed for these open jobs, and create pathways from entry level positions to more advanced positions to ensure room for growth for employees with even the lowest starting skills levels. This program is a part of the Trade Adjustment Assistance and Community College and Career Training (TAA-CCCT) competitive grant program that has, over the last three years, supported community colleges preparing dislocated workers and other adults for jobs available in their regional economies. For the first time, this year's funding will prioritize three key goals by providing larger grants to applicants who propose to address them:

- Scale In-Demand Job Training Across the Country through National Industry Partnerships. Grants will incentivize partnerships to include national entities - such as industry associations - that commit to help design and implement job training programs based on industry-recognized credentials, and replicate these with other education and training institutions across the country where industry also needs to hire workers with those skills.
- Advance Education & Training to Ensure a Seamless Progression from One Stepping Stone to Another. In order to make it easier for individuals to progress through their careers and build one degree on top of another, this competition prioritizes applicants that are increasing state-wide alignment of the training investments made by employers, educators and the workforce system. For example, communities will work to ensure accelerated degree paths and credentials that incorporate prior learning, provide credit based on demonstrated skills rather than seat time, and other innovative strategies that will pave the way for making college more affordable for adult workers and all kinds of students.
- Improve Statewide Employment and Education Data Integration and Use. In order to better assess the effectiveness of education and job training programs over time and continue to improve job placement rates, these grants encourage applications that commit States to further integrate their employment and education data systems.

4. Additional Resources



Next Steps

Grading Applications and Announcement of Awards

- Award announcements:
 - Grants will likely be made in both funding categories
 - June, 2014
 - Number of awards dependent on applications
- Application grading process:
 - Will begin following close of open grant period
 - Merit-based awards
 - Consideration for funding amounts
- Award announcement process:
 - Initial acceptance
 - Negotiations with grant office (potentially)
 - Final award OR termination of process/termination of award/decline to fund
 - Contact about transparency

Next Steps

- Transparency
 - Obtain permissions!
 - Published publicly:
 - On DOL-VETS website or similar location
 - Abstract
 - No redactions (leave out PII!)
 - Published upon award
 - Technical Proposal
 - Must be received in 2 weeks or only PII is removed
 - Further direction upon grant award
 - Instruction received by e-mail or letter
 - Published upon receipt of redacted version
 - Grant Process and Results

Additional Resources

HVRP application information:

- SGA:** <http://www.dol.gov/vets/grants/2014/PY2014VETSHVRPSGA14-02.pdf>
- HVRP Application forms:** <http://www.dol.gov/vets/programs/hvrp/main2014.htm>
- DUNS Number:** www.dunandbradstreet.com; 866-705-5711
- Applying online:** http://www.grants.gov/applicants/get_registered.jsp;
- Issues with Grants.gov:** 800-518-4726 or support@grants.gov
- Organization registration checklist:** www.grants.gov/assets/Organization_Steps_Complete_Registration.pdf
- SAM:** http://www.grants.gov/applicants/org_step2.jsp
- NCHV Website:** www.nchv.org
- NVTAC Websie:** <http://bbi.syr.edu/nvtac/>

Helpful application resources:

- Community organizations:** <http://www.nchv.org/network.cfm>
- White House Memo on Job-Driven Training:** <http://www.whitehouse.gov/the-press-office/2014/01/30/presidential-memorandum-job-driven-training-workers>
- ICH information:** http://www.usich.gov/usich_resources/maps/overall_homelessness_rates
- Continuum of Care information:** <http://www.hudhre.info/index.cfm?do=viewCocMaps>
- Healthcare for Homeless Veterans Program Guide:**
http://www.va.gov/HOMELESS/docs/HCHV_Sites_ByState.pdf
- Employment Resources:** <http://www.nchv.org/page.cfm?id=241>
- Mileage rates:** www.gsa.gov
- State Unemployment Insurance:** <http://workforcesecurity.doleta.gov/unemploy/uifactsheet.asp>

Additional Resources (cont.)

Useful Publications:

- Best Practices of HVRP:**
http://www.nchv.org/images/uploads/HVRP_Best_Practices_Vol._2_WEB_.pdf
- Best Practices: Housing:**
[http://www.nchv.org/images/uploads/Best%20Practices%20for%20HVRP%20Grantees_Housing%20Services_WEB\(1\).pdf](http://www.nchv.org/images/uploads/Best%20Practices%20for%20HVRP%20Grantees_Housing%20Services_WEB(1).pdf)
- Serving Female Veterans:** <http://www.nchv.org/images/uploads/HFV%20paper.pdf>
- Employment Assistance Guide:** <http://www.nchv.org/docs/EAG%201-10.pdf>
- Opening Doors:**
http://www.usich.gov/resources/uploads/asset_library/Opening%20Doors%202010%20FINAL%20FSP%20Prevent%20End%20Homeless.pdf
- VA Homeless Resource Guide:** http://www.va.gov/HOMELESS/docs/Homeless_Resource_Guide.pdf

Federal Program Sites:

- USICH Website:** <http://www.usich.gov/>
- CHALENG Information:** <http://www.va.gov/homeless/chaleng.asp>
- Bureau of Labor and Statistics:** <http://www.bls.gov/>
- O*NET:** <http://www.onetonline.org/>
- My next move:** <http://www.mynextmove.org/vets/>
- American Job Center information:** <http://servicelocator.org/>
- Congressional Districts:** <https://www.federalreporting.gov/federalreporting/congressionalDistricts.do>

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