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## POLICY # 21

<b>Title:</b>	<b>Eligible Training Providers and Program Approval</b>	
<b>Program:</b>	Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act	
<b>Effective:</b>	July 1, 2023	
<b>Revision #:</b>	2	<b>Original policy date:</b> October 28, 2016

**Purpose:** To establish approval guidelines for training providers and their programs within The Workforce Development Board Mid- Ohio Valley (WDBMOV).

### References:

WIOA Sections 122, 134; 20 CFR 680; 20 CFR 677.230; WorkForce WV West Virginia WIOA Policy No. 01-15, Change 3

### Background:

The Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act requires Local Workforce Development Boards to identify training providers within each workforce development region who offer program(s) that lead to a recognized post-secondary credential, are registered under the National Apprenticeship Act, or are part of a joint labor-management organization which lead to jobs in demand in the region, or provide adult education / literacy activities under Title II in combination with occupational skills training. The list of approved training providers is based on criteria outlined under WIOA, and performance standards established by the State of WV and/or the WDBMOV.

An eligible training provider will be able to receive WIOA funds for adult or dislocated worker participants enrolled in training.

### Policy:

WDBMOV approves any training provider approved by the WorkForce West Virginia in the state Management Information System (MIS). However, WDBMOV will only fund programs approved on the Targeted and Demand Occupations List for the region unless otherwise noted (see Policy #11). WDBMOV also reserves the right to deny any training or training provider based on performance such as but not limited to completion and employment rates.

The Law allows participants to choose training that is not in demand in WDBMOV Region 4, as long as the participant plans to relocate or commute to work in a region where the occupation is in demand.

The WDBMOV will make the state ETPL available through the American Job Centers (AJCs) and WV state MIS to assist customers in the selection of training programs and services.

**Action:**

The Eligible Training Provider List (ETPL) will be made available to participants in the One Stop Centers of Workforce WV and also online through Workforce WV where it will be available in an accessible format for customers with disabilities.

**Expiration Date:**

This policy shall be in effect until revised or canceled by the Workforce Investment Board Mid-Ohio Valley.