

**WIOAB 05-18**

**DATE:** October 22, 2018  
**TO:** All WIOA Youth Subrecipients  
**FROM:** Laurel McMahan, Workforce Programs Administration Manager  
**SUBJECT:** PY18 Youth-in-Need Distribution



Section 129(b)(1)(F) and regulation §682.200(k) of the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act require states to direct a portion of the Governor's 15 percent funds to "provide additional assistance to local areas that have high concentrations of eligible youth to carry out the activities described in the Act". In PY17, the Workforce Development Council allotted WIOA Youth-in-Need (YIN) resources to areas with significant migrant/seasonal farmworker (MSFW) populations to increase outreach and recruitment of Hispanic youth, particularly MSFWs, in rural communities. During PY17, the Service Delivery Areas showed a significant increase in enrollment of Hispanic youth across the state; however, MSFW enrollment remained extremely low.

In an effort to continue the momentum of the SDAs' efforts from PY17, the state proposes to have the SDAs continue their targeted recruitment to these groups. The table that follows on the next page reflects the proposed increase in enrollments of Hispanic/MSFW youth for PY18 over PY17. The PY17 Actual Enrollment column reflects each region's total number of enrollments for Hispanic youth and those identified as MSFWs, respectively. Proposed enrollments for these categories during PY18 are included as a goal for each of the regions and their significant offices. This is not to say that offices with non-significant MSFW populations cannot contribute towards the enrollment numbers, but since a focus of this effort is to target MSFWs, significant offices are listed. The actual impact on enrollments will be reflected in the PY18 WIOA Annual Report.

WIOA youth program staff should make efforts to communicate with other organizations that can provide insight into reaching the targeted youth, and who may assist in the outreach process:

- the Community Council of Idaho, a multi-service non-profit agency that provides social services to migrant and seasonal farmworkers across southern Idaho;
- local school districts' MSFW Coordinators who can help to provide information about the out-of-school MSFW population in the area; and
- ES MSFW outreach workers stationed in most of the MSFW significant offices.

Please contact the State Monitor Advocate, Dunnia Aplicano [Dunnia.aplicano@labor.idaho.gov](mailto:Dunnia.aplicano@labor.idaho.gov), ext. 3135, who can provide specific contact information and insight regarding MSFW resources in your local area.

A webinar to inform career planners of this year's YIN focus on Hispanic and MSFW youth will take place later this program year. A notice announcing the webinar will be distributed via Newsflash soon.

Service Delivery Areas	Proposed PY17 Enrollment Goals	PY17** Actual Enrollment		Proposed PY18 Enrollment Goals		PY17 YIN Enrollment Percentage	PY18 YIN Allocation
		Hispanic	MSFW	Hispanic	MSFW		
<b>NORTH</b>							\$ 652
Bonnors Ferry	5/3	1	0	3	1	2.17%	\$ 652
<b>SOUTHWEST</b>							\$ 10,435
Payette	4/2	0	0				\$ -
Canyon County	8/4	15	0	17	9	32.61%	\$ 9,783
Mountain Home	5/2	1	0	3	1	2.17%	\$ 652
<b>SOUTH-CENTRAL</b>							\$ 3,913
Magic Valley	10/5	4	0	7	3	8.70%	\$ 2,609
Mini-Cassia	7/4	2	0	5	2	4.35%	\$ 1,304
<b>SOUTHEAST</b>							\$ 3,913
Blackfoot	6/3	1	0	3	1	2.17%	\$ 652
Pocatello	8/4	5	0	10	4	10.87%	\$ 3,261
<b>EAST</b>							\$ 11,087
Rexburg	5/3	4	0	7	3	8.70%	\$ 2,609
Idaho Falls	6/2	13	1	15	8	28.26%	\$ 8,478
<b>Total</b>	<b>64/ 32</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>\$ 30,000.00</b>
**Not reflective of total statewide enrollment							

If you have any questions regarding the purpose of these funds, please contact the Grants Management Unit.