

ATTACHMENT III

National Distribution of WIA and Wagner-Peyser Performance Outcomes, PY 2001 - PY 2007

Table 1: National Averages of Performance Measure Outcomes

Performance Measures	PY 2001	PY 2002	PY 2003	PY 2004	PY 2005 ¹	PY 2006	PY 2007
WIA Adults							
Entered Employment Rate	75.7%	75.1%	74.3%	77.1%	77.0%	70.2%	69.6%
Employment Retention Rate	80.8%	82.7%	84.5%	86.2%	82.5%	82.4%	83.8%
Average Earnings ³	\$9,950	\$9,396	\$10,348	\$10,773	\$11,208	\$11,870	\$13,575
Employment and Credential Rate	57.8%	61.5%	61.8%	65.6%	67.8%	67.6%	71.9%
WIA Dislocated Worker							
Entered Employment Rate	81.6%	83.3%	81.3%	83.7%	83.2%	78.0%	72.5%
Employment Retention Rate	87.6%	89.2%	90.2%	91.1%	88.1%	88.0%	87.2%
Average Earnings ³	\$13,431	\$12,998	\$13,803	\$14,003	\$14,150	\$14,265	\$15,188
Employment and Credential Rate ²	61.8%	65.4%	64.6%	69.5%	71.3%	70.8%	73.2%
WIA Older Youth²							
Entered Employment Rate	67.0%	69.5%	70.6%	73.6%	76.3%	76.4%	77.5%
Employment Retention Rate	78.0%	79.5%	81.2%	82.7%	82.6%	82.6%	85.2%
Average Earnings ³	\$3,081	\$2,938	\$3,167	\$3,547	\$3,769	\$3,765	\$3,980
Credential Rate ²	39.9%	46.2%	47.7%	52.0%	53.0%	54.1%	53.6%
WIA Younger Youth²							
Diploma Attainment Rate	53.6%	63.1%	62.6%	65.8%	63.5%	68.5%	74.1%
Employment Retention Rate	54.2%	59.5%	61.0%	64.8%	63.7%	70.1%	74.1%
Skill Attainment Rate	82.9%	80.2%	83.0%	84.4%	81.5%	83.2%	86.1%
WIA Youth⁴							
Placement in Employment or Education Rate	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	60.3%	62.3%
Attainment of Degree or Certificate	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	43.5%	56.8%
Literacy and Numeracy Gains	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	30.4%
Wagner-Peyser							
Entered Employment Rate	NA	63.0%	61.0%	64.0%	63.0%	60.3%	63.0%
Employment Retention Rate	NA	80.0%	80.0%	81.0%	80.0%	77.9%	81.0%
Average Earnings ⁵	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	\$11,747	\$12,763

Source: WIA State Annual and Wagner-Peyser State Quarterly Reports

Estimates of these outcomes were developed from state Workforce Investment Act Standardized Record Data (WIASRD) file submissions using common measures definitions.

Notes:

¹In PY 2005, these programs began reporting common measure, which standardized the definitions of performance indicators across these programs. This change in methodology had some impact on performance levels beginning in PY 2005; hence these data are not directly comparable to results of prior years.

²Ten states had a waiver to report on common measures only and did not report on the WIA Adult and Dislocated Worker credential rates or older/younger youth measures in PY 2006. 25 states had such a waiver in PY 2007.

³ Average earnings figures for WIA Adult and Dislocated Worker programs for PY2001-2005 are approximations based on Workforce Investment Act Standardized Record Data. Earnings were measured as an earnings change for the WIA Adult program in PY 2001 -2005. This Adult measure changed to average earnings beginning in PY 2006. For the WIA Dislocated Worker program, earnings were measured as a wage replacement rate in PY 2001- 2004. In PY 2005, this measure changed to earnings changed for WIA Dislocated Worker program and further changed to average earnings beginning in PY 2006.

⁴States began reporting against the three Youth Common Performance Measures in PY 2006.

⁵ Prior to PY 2006, average earnings were not tracked for the Wagner-Peyser program.