



STRENGTHENING THE CIRCLE

Building Relationships, Creating Opportunity

2026 EASTERN REGIONAL WIOA 166 | 477 TRAINING

FEATURED WORKSHOPS

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- **Building Effective WIOA Intake Forms Using Digital Formats**
Build a customized Jotform intake form with eligibility fields, document uploads, conditional logic, and electronic signatures.
- **From Intake to Impact: Managing WIOA Participants for a Successful Journey**
Strengthen case management, documentation, participant engagement, employment outcomes, and follow-up reporting.
- **ChatGPT, Claude, Copilot, or Gemini? Exploring Today's AI Assistants**
Compare leading AI assistants through workflow tasks, including capabilities, costs, privacy, and limitations.
- **Your First Hour with AI: Build a Better Résumé with Artificial Intelligence**
Use AI to improve résumés, highlight transferable skills, and tailor content while protecting accuracy and privacy.
- **Work Smarter, Lead Stronger: AI-Enabled Workforce Development for Tribal Communities**
Explore AI tools for career pathways, job matching, employer engagement, program planning, and reporting.
- **Generational Power™ in an AI World: Preparing Native Workers for Careers Still Being Created**
Connect Indigenous knowledge, intergenerational learning, and technological skills with emerging career opportunities.
- **Allowable Program Costs**
Review allowable costs, fiscal reporting classifications, and program expenses for participant services.
- **Financial Management for the Non-Accountant**
Understand recordkeeping, internal controls, cost allocation, budgeting, financial reports, and audits.
- **Onboarding**
Start your grant with confidence. New and returning grantees learn to read the Notice of Award, interpret key terms, meet reporting requirements, access essential websites, and assign team responsibilities.
- **PMS Payment Requests and ETA-9130 Financial Reporting**
Master WIOA grant finances. Learn TEGL 06-25 compliance requirements, then follow step-by-step instruction on submitting Payment Management System requests and completing the ETA-9130 Financial Report accurately and on time.
- **Back to Basics: Building Your WIOA Toolbox**
Build your program on a strong foundation. Get current TEGLs and regulatory requirements, learn to develop and update compliant policies and procedures, and apply them to real-world scenarios in group discussion.
- **GPMS Beginners: Getting Started**
For WIOA Section 166 programs new to GPMS. Learn to add a participant through the intake, characteristics, and eligibility screens, and understand career, supportive, and training services, including qualifying versus supplemental supportive services.
- **GPMS Intermediate: Managing Participant Data**
For Section 166 programs with some GPMS experience. Manage cases from active through exit and follow-up, record services, outcomes, and quarterly follow-up, handle alerts, review reports, and submit the QPR to WIPS.
- **Overview – Public Law 102-477, as Amended**
Review the law's purpose, amendments, eligible programs, integration opportunities, and reporting expectations.
- **PL477: How to Write a Comprehensive Plan**
Develop a plan that integrates authorized services and aligns program requirements with community priorities.
- **From Historical Trauma to Workplace Resilience: Supporting Mental Health in Native Organizations**
Explore trauma-informed strategies to support employee wellness, cultural connection, and resilient Native workplaces.
- **Introduction to Registered Apprenticeship**
Discover earn-while-you-learn training, mentorship, progressive wages, related instruction, and industry credentials.
- **Building Collaborative Pathways for WIOA 166, Housing Services, and Victim Services**
This 1.5-hour interactive workshop will showcase the North Carolina Division of Indian Affairs coordinated approach to serving American Indian individuals and families. Participants will explore how WIOA 166, Housing Services, and Victim Services can work together to address employment, housing stability, safety, and other barriers that affect long-term success.

CONFERENCE HEADSHOT EXPERIENCE

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