

Purpose

The purpose of the Out of County Residents policy is to provide an overview of what can be provided to these clients.

Background

Implementation of SB734 requires all Local Boards spend 25% of their Adult and Dislocated Worker Allocations on training services during (PY) 2012-13 through 2015-16. Beginning PY 2016-17, this training expenditure requirement increased to 30 percent. We want to be cognizant when we are enrolling participants from outside our Service Delivery Area (SDA) in order to ensure that funding is available for Sonoma County Residents.

Policy

In an effort to ensure participants are utilizing services in their local area first, if an out of county resident requests intensive services (including training and OJT) at Job Link they will be required to have applied and been denied services at their local one-stop first (if they have one) before Job Link will consider funding training services. Assisting out of county residents will be limited to those having a valid reason for being denied services with their local WIOA service provider. This policy does not apply to out of county residents requesting to use only Core Services.

The Employment Training Counselor only needs to document the information the client has provided regarding denial from another local WIOA service provider. This should be done through a case note that either states there is no provider in their county of residence or they were denied services from the provider for their county.

References

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