

Applicant Abstract

State Apprenticeship Expansion Formula Funding Opportunity	
Lead Applicant / Organization Name (Base Funding): District of Columbia Department of Employment Services (DOES)	
Lead Applicant Entity Type: State Government	
Lead Applicant City and State:	Washington, DC
Funding Option: Base Funding. The District also intends to submit an application to the competitive grant under separate cover.	
Project Title: Expansion of District Registered Apprenticeship Programs through quality pre-apprenticeship and non-traditional apprenticeship development.	
Funding Amount Requested: \$461,696.00	
Total Number of apprentices enrolled in RAPs during the life of the grant, if applicable: 15	
Population(s) to be Served: District of Columbia residents seeking career advancement through apprenticeship including the prioritizations of the following populations: minority youth, women, veterans, individuals with disabilities, and individuals with ex-offender status.	
List the name of the Required Partner (for states with federally-recognized SAAs): District of Columbia Department of Employment Services (applicant)	
List the name(s) of Optional Partners, as applicable: None within Base Grant Application	
Insert name(s) N/A	Insert type of organization N/A
Targeted Industry(ies) and/or Occupation(s): Non-traditional employment sectors including healthcare, hospitality, information technology, and education.	
Summary of program activities: Within the SAEF grant, the District intends to build upon existing apprenticeship expansion initiatives by making several capacity investments focused on creating new and innovative apprenticeship models outside traditional trades. SAEF funds will be used to launch pre-apprenticeship programs to add skilled and credentialed talent to existing recruitment pipelines that are experiencing significant shortage. Funding will also be used to attract non-traditional sectors to our apprenticeship system by adding support tools to our registration process and providing prospective sponsors with an apprenticeship development program.	
Subrecipient Roles: List all subrecipients and the roles (activities) they will fill on the proposed project. Roles should be aligned to proposed workplan. Upon grant award, DOES will engage with an IT and Marketing vendor to execute activities listed within the budget narrative. DOES will also establish a partnership with an education and training provider to deliver pre-apprenticeship programming through a competitive bid process.	
List of credential(s) to be awarded:	

Pre-apprenticeship and apprenticeship programs created under the initiative will be required to connect participants to nationally recognized industry credentials. Specific credentials are to be determined once the grant project commences.

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