

H-1B One Workforce Grants

Trustees of Clark University TechBoost

Partnership Lead Entity:	Trustees of Clark University
Lead Entity Type:	Education/Training Provider
Total Funding:	\$10,000,000
Total Leveraged Resources:	\$2,500,000
Partnership Lead City/State:	Worcester, Massachusetts
One Workforce Partnership:	<p>Employer Partners: Public Consulting Group, Inc., Worcester Regional Chamber of Commerce, Ownforce, Lucravalde, City of Worcester, Holyoke</p> <p>Training Providers: Community College, Florida Career College</p> <p>Workforce Development Partners: CareerSource Tampa Bay, Partner4Work, MassHire Central, MassHire Boston</p>
Service Area:	Worcester, Massachusetts
Project Title:	TechBoost
Summary of Program Activities:	The TechBoost Program is assisting primarily unemployed and underemployed workers, especially workers displaced due to COVID-19. Participants receive employability and soft skills training. TechBoost will focus on work-based learning programs such as paid internships, OJT, and other earn and learn pathways, such as apprenticeships, that allow individuals with barriers to employment a way to enter the workplace based. Each individual will have a customized plan to meet employer needs that include industry-recognized credentials.
Credentials to Be Awarded:	Cybersecurity certificates, occupational skills certificates and college credit, associates degrees, degree completion – bachelor degree
Population(s) to Be Served:	Unemployed, underemployed and incumbent workers
Targeted Industry Sector(s) and Occupation(s):	<p>Sector(s): IT and IT-related Industries</p> <p>Occupation(s): Information Security Analysts, Computer Systems Analysts, Data Analysts/Scientists, GIS Technicians, Operations Research Analysts, Software Developers, Computer Support Specialists</p>
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