

PUBLIC NOTICE

Request for Application #12-311 Individual Referral Providers

Workforce Solutions Deep East Texas is seeking qualified entities to enter into a contract to provide the following services on an individual referral basis:

1. Occupational skills training for persons funded under the Workforce Investment Act (WIA) Youth program and Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) program. Occupational skills training is education/training of generally two (2) years or less in a program that leads to a degree, certification, or licensure that prepares an individual to enter employment in an occupation on the targeted occupation list for Deep East Texas.
2. Intensive services for persons funded under WIA (Adult, Dislocated Worker, and Youth) and TANF program. Intensive services are those programs or courses lasting six (6) months or less, not leading to a degree, certification, or licensure, that prepare an individual to enter/re-enter employment or training. Examples of intensive services are English-as-a-Second-Language, GED preparation, basic skills/literacy, tutoring, and computer literacy. (Note: If any of these services are provided in conjunction with occupational skills, they are not intensive services but are classified as training and a separate Training Provider application must be submitted).

Qualified programs/services are those offered to the general public at a specified cost. Eligible entities include secondary and post-secondary education agencies; adult, literacy and continuing education providers; for-profit and not-for-profit providers; and community-based and charitable/faith-based organizations. Interested parties must submit a completed Request for Information Application (RFA) and meet minimum criteria for service providers set by the Board.

Request for a copy of the RFA and targeted occupations list can be made to:

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