

See below for notes from Kay Tracy/John Olson/Youth Team update for Job Seeker Services Meeting on 9/21/22:

WIOA Youth Program:

1. Preview of PY21 WIOA Youth Outcome Data at STATE-Level: **Minnesota met or exceeded State-level PY21 WIOA Youth Performance Goals. WDA-level outcome data will be available soon.** “Adjusted” PY21 WIOA Youth outcomes for MN will not be available until January/February of 2023. Based on TEN 14-21, two PY21 WIOA Youth performance measures will be used by DOL to evaluate performance (highlighted in yellow below):

PY 2021 WIOA Youth Performance-FINAL

State & Local Performance: Planned v. Actual

Data as of 9/9/22 Using DOL System

WIOA Youth Performance Measure	PY 21	PY 2021	Percent
	Neg. MN Goal	FINAL (9/9/22)	
Youth Employment/ Education/Training Rate 2nd Quarter After Exit (7/1/20 to 6/30/21)*	76.0%	67.5%	88.8%
Youth Employment/ Education/Training Rate 4th Quarter After Exit (1/1/20 to 12/31/20)	74.0%	70.7%	95.5%
Credential Attainment Rate (1/1/2020 to 12/31/20)	62.5%	53.2%	85.1%
Measurable Skills Gain (7/1/21 to 6/30/22)	49.0%	49.0%	100.0%
Median Earnings Second Quarter After Exit (7/1/20 to 6/30/21)*	\$ 3,700	\$ 4,872	131.7%

2. All WDAs have fully approved Local Youth Plans, PY22 WIOA Youth Budgets, PY22/PY23 **LOCAL** WIOA Youth Performance Goals and Shared Vision for Youth Blueprints. The current

Local Youth Plans for all WDAs are now posted on DEED's website, see: <https://mn.gov/deed/about/what-we-do/objectives-plans/wioa.jsp>.

3. **Youth Committee Resource Guide:** Youth Practitioners Network provided updated contact information and edits to local profiles; new edition of Youth Committee Resource Guide has been forwarded to Communications and will be posted soon.
4. **DOL's Region V Performance/Reporting Team hosted conference call for states in Region V on 9/15/22:** **Attached is the Region V 4th Quarter PY2021 Performance Chart, includes outcome data from the 10 states in Region V, as of 6/30/22.** Youth Team forwarded notes from the Performance/Reporting Conference Call in a separate message dated 9/15.
5. **Update - DOL On-site Visit to MN the week of October 24:** MN's new Federal Project Officer (Amy Hansmann) advised that she will monitor the key provisions of MN's WIOA Adult, Dislocated Worker and Wagner Peyser Programs the week of October 24. As part of the October on-site review, Amy advised that DOL Team will visit WDA #15/Ramsey County. **The WIOA Youth Program will not be monitored until the Spring of 2023 – Amy advised that she plans to visit WDA #10/city of Minneapolis as part of the on-site review of the Youth Program.**

2022 TANF Youth Projects:

Several participating WDAs have expressed interest in additional funds. **If your area will not spend your entire allocation by 12/31/22, please contact Lynn.Douma@state.mn.us as soon as possible so Youth Team can redistribute funds to others who can spend the funds.** No extensions beyond 12/31/22 are possible for the 2022 funds. The planning document for 2023 funds will be released soon; 2023 funding is available 1/1/23 (pending execution of the new contract) through 12/31/23. Please contact Lynn.Douma@state.mn.us with any questions.

Minnesota Youth Program (MYP):

6. **Preliminary SFY22 Minnesota Youth Program (MYP) Data issued for local review/comment on 9/15/22:** Please review your SFY22 MYP data in WorkForce One to assure that it is complete and accurate. WDAs asked to take special note of the **Activities and Services and Performance Indicators** – please do not under-report the accomplishments of your agency. Note: only Carver County and Hennepin County have asked for extensions to SFY22 MYP contracts ending on 9/30/22. Final SFY22 MYP data will be released in early October.
7. **SFY22 Outreach To Schools (OTS) data: 19,975 youth served in SFY22 OTS component of MYP.** This data provided by WDAs/MYP service providers who opted to offer the OTS component under the SFY22 Minnesota Youth Program (MYP).
8. **Customer Satisfaction Data for SFY22 MYP:** All WDAs/MYP service providers reminded to submit their customer satisfaction data for the SFY22 MYP to John.R.Olson@state.mn.us (as soon as it is available).

- 9. NARRATIVE Profiles + Success Stories for SFY22 MYP Annual Report:** We've received updated contact information, profiles and success stories from ALL WDAs/MYP service providers. This is a funding year in the Minnesota Legislature so the data/information will be subject to extra scrutiny.

SFY22 Youth at Work and Youth Support Services Competitive Grants:

Please review your agency's SFY22 Youth at Work and Youth Support Services data in WorkForce 1 (WF1) to assure that it is complete and accurate. **Youth Program Managers are working to validate data for the Youth competitive grants. Please follow up with Cory.Schmid@state.mn.us on required contract extensions and or data issues for Youth at Work grants and Kathy.Young@state.mn.us on required contract extensions and or data issues for Youth Support Services grants.**

If questions on any of the issues referenced above, please do not hesitate to contact Kay.Tracy@state.mn.us or John.R.Olson@state.mn.us. Thank you again for your cooperation.

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