

Subsidized Employment Programs Matrix

	Green Jobs Corps (Competitive)	Health Care Jobs Program (Largest 7 Districts)	Transitional Jobs Program (All Districts)
Program Description	Subsidized employment opportunities for up to 12 months in "green jobs" such as those associated with weatherization, energy efficiency, environmental conservation and renewable energy jobs. Program includes a soft and hard skills training component.	Subsidized employment opportunities for up to 12 months in the health sector, including community outreach positions.	Subsidized employment opportunities for up to 12 months, at an hourly rate of at least \$8.00 per hour for <u>up to</u> 28 hours per week of paid employment and <u>at least</u> 7 hours per week of paid education and/or training activities.
Jobs Targeted	Positions in "green" industries such as those that improve energy efficiency, promote environmental conservation and preserve natural resources including but not limited to, weatherization, building construction and retrofitting, environmental re-mediation, renewable energy, and natural resource preservation/beautification.	Employment opportunities in the health care sector including community outreach and education positions. Priority to establishing jobs through which employees provide information and education to assist low-income individuals obtain and maintain eligibility for public health care programs, access other work support benefits, connect to primary and preventive care services, reduce reliance on emergency rooms for basic care, and provide wellness education.	Sectors with substantial opportunities for continued unsubsidized employment, including but not limited to, child care, health care, social and human services, clerical administrative assistance, transportation and construction/outdoor maintenance.
Services to be provided	Job readiness training including soft skills training and hard skills training must be a program component. ABE and GED preparation may also be provided. The hours of training are determined by the district and participation in the training component may be paid or unpaid. All participants are to be placed in subsidized employment of up to 35 hours per week.	Subsidized employment opportunities for up to 12 months in the health care sector. Districts are encouraged to target areas of high poverty or high levels of limited-English proficiency.	Subsidized employment opportunities for up to 12 months combined with at least 7 hours of paid education and/or training.
Program Goal	Placement in subsidized employment for up to 12 months, with up to 35 hours per week in "green" jobs that provide the participant the opportunity to gain work experience in a field that is expected to experience future growth.	Placement in subsidized employment for up to one year in the health sector.	Placement in subsidized employment for up to 12 months at an hourly rate of at least \$8.00 per hour for up to 28 hours per week of paid employment and at least 7 hours of paid education and training activities.
Eligible participants	TANF eligible individuals; Safety Net Singles; Priority to public assistance recipients, targeting those formerly incarcerated; TANF funded recipients may include NCP's eligible under the TANF 200% of Poverty guidelines; and, Up to 25% of participants may be 18 to 24 years of age.	TANF eligible individuals including those in receipt of public assistance; Safety Net Singles.	TANF eligible individuals; Priority to public assistance recipients; NCPs may be served if they meet the TANF 200% of Poverty guidelines; targeting formerly incarcerated individuals (including NCP) who were incarcerated or who have a criminal history. Up to 30% of participants may be disconnected youth 18 to 24.
Preference for allocations	Districts with opportunities for jobs in "green" sectors and for districts with unemployment rates that exceed the statewide average.	Districts with over 1,500 active adults in receipt of public assistance in households with dependent children.	Areas with unemployment rates that exceed the statewide average.
Funding amount	\$5,000,000 TANF \$2,000,000 State funds	\$5,000,000 TANF \$2,000,000 State funds	\$5,000,000 TANF \$20,000,000 TANF Emergency Contingency Fund