

Improving Services to Individuals with Disabilities through Competitive Integrated Employment

Community and Stakeholder Forum

October 25, 2018

9:00 AM – 11:00 AM

San Joaquin County WorkNet

56 S. Lincoln Street, Stockton, CA 95203

AGENDA

- I. Call to Order
- II. Overview of 4-Year Local Workforce Plans and Requirements for Biennial Review and Modification
- III. Overview of Competitive Integrated Employment
- IV. State Requirements and Guidance on Services for Individuals with Disabilities through Competitive Integrated Employment
- IV. Objectives of Community and Stakeholder Forum
- V. Consideration of and Discussions on:
 - A. How are DOR and the workforce system (i.e. the local Board and the AJCCs) currently working together with local partners (such as regional centers, special education and Workability programs, among others) to support the employment goals of individuals with intellectual disabilities and developmental disabilities?
 - B. Are efforts underway for the partners to collaborate on the use of CIE for job seekers with ID/DD?
 - C. Have discussions begun on the development of a Local Partnership Agreement to create more CIE opportunities? If not, how can this be accelerated?
 - D. Have workforce system staff received training in serving individuals with ID/DD and are they knowledgeable about programs and services available to assist this target group? What additional training and information is needed?

E. How are DOR and the local workforce system working together to outreach to employers and partners to support individuals with ID/DD in achieving CIE? If efforts are not yet underway, what will be done?

F. Have recruitment, referral and employer engagement strategies been defined? If not, what is planned?

VI. Adjournment