

WORKFORCE INNOVATION AND OPPORTUNITY ACT (WIOA)

WIOA strengthens the public workforce system and the partnerships that sustain it, by unifying and streamlining services to better serve job seekers. It will improve accountability and transparency within the system, elevate work-based learning strategies like Registered Apprenticeship and sector strategies that address the needs of multiple employers within an industry. WIOA will foster coordinated planning within economic regions and will address the needs of Veterans and other populations facing unique economic challenges, including out-of-school youth, individuals with disabilities and the long-term unemployed. Tuition assistance may be available depending on eligibility criteria. Please apply in advance.

Contact: Workforce Development Division/WorkSource Maui
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EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING FUND PROGRAM (ETF)

The Employment and Training Fund (ETF) Program was established by the Hawaii State Legislature in 1991. Its purpose is to enhance business growth and improve the long-term employability of Hawaii's people. ETF provides businesses with the opportunity to upgrade the skills of their workforce from entry-level to top management. ETF provides 50% tuition assistance, up to \$250 funding per class. This funding is available to eligible Hawaii employers. For program information and tuition assistance, visit:

<http://labor.hawaii.gov/wdd/home/employers/etf>

You must apply at least 3 weeks prior to the first day of class.

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EMPLOYMENT CORE SERVICES FOR LOW INCOME PERSONS (ECSLIP)

A program that prepares and assists unemployed or under-employed low-income persons in obtaining and maintaining employment through approved training programs. Tuition assistance is available based on eligibility factors including income level and employment history. Please apply in advance.

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99 Mahalani Center, Wailuku, HI 96793
Coordinator: Mary Eusebio
Ph: 808-249-2970

NATIONAL FARM WORKERS JOBS PROGRAM (NFJP)

A nationally-directed program of job training and employment assistance for farm workers, ranchers, migrant and seasonal farmworkers, and families of farm workers, to acquire new job skills in occupations that offer higher wages and more stable employment opportunities in agriculture. Up to \$1500 in funding is available for training dependent upon eligibility based on factors including verification of employment status and income level. You must apply at least 3 weeks prior to the first day of class.

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