Jefferson Franklin Consortium Expenditure Rates Policy

The Jefferson Franklin Consortium is committed to utilizing Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Title I funds on training opportunities for WIOA eligible participants at eligible training providers.

The region will also adhere to WIOA Title I Youth program federal expenditure requirements*:

- 1. Out-of-School Youth (OSY) 75% percentage expenditure requirements;
 - a. Administrative costs are not subject to the 75% OSY expenditure rate.
 - b. If the Local WDB is unable to meet this requirement, the Local WDB must show improvement from the previous year's expenditure rate by a minimum of 10 percentage points to at least a 50% expenditure rate.
- 2. 20% expenditure requirement on work-based learning with educational component;
 - a. The Local WDB considers work experiences a priority for both OSY and ISY because it is linked to future long-term success in the workforce.
 - b. The expenditure rate is not separated based on ISY or OSY work experience percentages, but the 20% requirement is determined based on total Youth funding.
 - c. The 20% funding priority for work experiences applies to WIOA funding after administrative costs have been subtracted from the Youth funding allotment.

*Unless the region applies for and receives any federal or state waiver. In this instance, the waiver expenditure requirements will be followed.

The region will also adhere to WIOA Title I Adult/Dislocated Worker program federal expenditure requirements:

- 1. Per 20 CFR 680.800, 20% of their combined total of Adult and Dislocated Worker allocations may be used to provide Incumbent Worker Training activities.
- 2. Per 20 CFR 680.195 the Local WDB may use up to 10% percent of their combined total of adult and dislocated worker allocations for transitional jobs.

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