



Regional Virtual Technical Assistance Event
Monday, August 24, 2020 & Tuesday, August 25, 2020

AGENDA

Monday, August 24, 2020 – 1:00pm – 4:00pm

- **1:00 – 1:10pm – Welcome/Agenda for the Day**

- **1:10 – 1:30pm – Collaborative Statewide Training Team Updates from:**
 - EDD Statewide Training Unit
 - EDD Disability Employment Initiative
 - Department of Rehabilitation
 - CWA Updates

- **1:30pm – 3:45pm - Regional Workforce Staff Updates:**

Regional Training Coordinators Topic: Share regional effort, approach, strategies, and/or best practices that reflects ongoing trainings are provided regionally and locally that address race, equity, and breaking down bias (i.e. people of color, cultural differences, disabled population, etc.) within your region.

- As you share, be sure to include answers to the following questions:
 - Has the issue of equity, race and bias been a conversation in your region?
 - How have you been part of or initiated the conversation?
 - Have race, equity, bias trainings taken place in your region to date?
 - If yes, which trainings were most effective?
 - Were there any obvious changes within your region as a result of the training(s)?
 - What, if any, challenges/barriers must be faced or dealt with in order for ensure ongoing training on these topics are provided?
 - What training topics, skill development, and/or technical assistance are you interested in that will help communicate the importance of ongoing training to address equity, race, and bias within your region?

- **3:45 – 4:00pm – Answer Any Questions / Next Steps / Closing**





Tuesday, August 25, 2020 – 9:00am – 12:00pm

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- **9:00 - 9:05am - Welcome / Agenda for the Day**

- **9:05am – 9:25pm – State Updates**

- State Rapid Response Team Updates
- CWDB Updates and/or Q&A's

- **9:25 – 11:45am - Regional Workforce Staff Updates:**

Regional Organizers Topic: Share information, policies, program updates/best practices that are being used to communicate regional efforts to regional partners, local areas, and to AJCC front line staff. As you share, be sure to include answers to the following questions:

- How front line AJCC staff is informed and kept up-to-date on regional efforts? (Share a communication strategy/best practice that has been most effective.)
- How the regions AJCCs Rapid Response, Business Services, and employer engagement collaboration plays a role in the regional work?
- Share challenges/barriers experienced when implementing effective communication throughout your region and with various stakeholders. (What did not work?)
- Share if/how these challenges/barriers affect regional, local front line staff, and stakeholder's communication(s)?
- Share improvements, if any, that can be made to effectively communicate regional efforts, new policies to enhance or effectively communicate regional information, and strengthen workforce system collaborations?
- Share training or peer to peer sharing opportunities you're interested in and/or you feel your region may need?

- **11:45 – 12:00pm – Next Steps / Additional Updates / Closing**

