

Attachment I: ETPL Definitions

ALL STUDENT POPULATION— The aggregate number of WIOA and non-WIOA individuals enrolled in a training provider training program/program of study.

CONTINUED ELIGIBILITY— Approval allows a training provider to remain on the ETPL until the next continued eligibility decision, which occurs at least every two years.

ELIGIBLE TRAINING PROVIDER— An organization that has applied and been approved by the state to receive WIOA training funds for the purpose of providing training to clients enrolled in the WIOA program in New Mexico

ELIGIBLE TRAINING PROVIDER LIST— A list containing training programs that have received the state's approval to be offered to WIOA program participants and have WIOA participants referred to the training providers' programs.

EXEMPTION or EXEMPT— A written acknowledgment by the department that an institution, organization, or other entity has met requirements and filed pertinent information as required by the department to provide educational services in New Mexico and is not subject to the Post-Secondary Educational Institution ACT.

EXITED— A student enrolled in a training program who completes, withdraws, or transfers from the program during the reporting period.

INDIVIDUAL TRAINING ACCOUNT (ITA) A payment agreement established by a local workforce development board (LWDB) on behalf of a participant with an eligible training provider. It may be used to pay for any allowable type of training if the training provider and training program are on the New Mexico ETPL.

INITIAL ELIGIBILITY— Approval that allows a training provider's program into the ETPL for a trial period of one year.

LICENSE, LICENSED, or LICENSURE— A written acknowledgment by the Higher Education Department that a career school or non-regionally accredited college or university has met the department's requirements to offer a formal educational curriculum in New Mexico.

NMWCOS— The online website by which all provider and program applications are submitted. The ETPL is also published on NMWCOS in accordance with WIOA regulations.

OCCUPATIONAL SKILLS TRAINING- An organized program of study that provides specific vocational skills that lead to proficiency in performing actual tasks and technical functions required by specific occupational fields at entry, intermediate, or advanced levels.

POSTSECONDARY CREDENTIAL— A credential consisting of an industry-recognized certificate or certification; a license recognized by the State or Federal government, or an associate or baccalaureate degree. Note: A certificate of completion of a program only counts as a credential if it is for the completion of a program, which counts as a credential if it is for the completion of a registered apprenticeship. Graduate degree programs (master's and higher) are not eligible for inclusion on the ETPL.

PROGRAM (or PROGRAM OF STUDY) One or more courses or classes, or a structured regimen, that leads to either a license recognized by the state or Federal Government, a postsecondary credential, secondary school diploma or its equivalent; employment; or measurable skills gain toward such a credential or employment. These training services could be delivered in person, online, or blended.

REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM (RAP)— An apprenticeship program registered and recognized by the United States Department of Labor's Office of Apprenticeship.

REPORTING PERIOD— The time for which student performance outcomes are aggregated and prepared for external use. For program eligibility determinations, the reporting period is generally the time between eligibility decisions, typically 24 months after initial determination and 12 months after subsequent eligibility.