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INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

INDIANA'S RAPID RECOVERY FOR A BETTER FUTURE

Rapid Recovery Program Expansion

Federal funding through the CARES Act has enabled the temporary expansion of Next Level Jobs as part of the **Rapid Recovery for a Better Future** initiative. This expansion adds a significant number of training programs and extends eligibility to Hoosiers who have an existing two- or four-year degree. These Rapid Recovery Expansion programs and eligibility will expire **December 30, 2020**.

About the Employer Training Reimbursement 4.0

Employers in any high demand business sector can be reimbursed up to $5,000 for each newly trained current or new employee. There is a **$100,000** cap for each employer and the jobs must be middle skill, high-demand and high-wage jobs.

> **That's why we'll double the funding [available statewide] for the Employer training Grant, which provides financial support to Indiana Companies to hire, train, and retain Hoosier adults to fill our job openings.**

Gov. Eric J. Holcomb
January 2019

What Skills Does the Employer Training Reimbursement 4.0 Cover?

Employer Training Grants cover occupational skills training. Employers can use training providers on DWD's eligible training provider list or third party providers. The training plan must verify that it's occupational skills training, aligns to an approved middle skills occupation, and is greater than 40 hours.

What Occupations are Eligible?

More than 100 occupations are eligible for Employer Training Grants. Those occupations cover six high-priority sectors, below.
For a full list, go to nextleveljobs.org/Employer/Eligible-occupations

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- Advanced Manufacturing
- Agriculture
- IT & Business Services
- Health & Life Sciences
- Transportation & Logistics
- Building & Construction

Apply Now!

Go to **NextLevelJobs.org**. Click on the button "**I'm an Indiana Employer.**" Follow the steps to complete and submit company and contact information, and type of training requested. The form takes less than five minutes to complete. A member of the DWD Business Services team will be in touch within 2 -3 business days.

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Employer Training Grant 4.0 Process and Timeline

On "active" agreements, once employees have completed 40 hours of training, an invoice should be submitted for reimbursement. All invoices must be submitted by **November 30, 2020**.

For More Information

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Curtis Malone
HR Manager, Saint-Gobain Abrasives

About NextLevel Jobs

NextLevel Jobs is part of Gov. Holcomb's Next Level Indiana agenda. The initiative focuses on high-priority sectors and high-demand jobs. Two million Hoosiers need additional training to compete in the future workforce, and there will be millions of job openings due to retirements and the creation of new jobs in the next decade. NextLevel Jobs will help meet that challenge.

"The Employer Training Reimbursement makes training possible and we're confident it will have a real, life-changing impact on Hoosiers across central Indiana."

Cathy Boggs
Executive Director for Government and Affiliate Relations
Community Health Network Behaviors Health Service

WE'VE GOT YOUR BACK SO YOU CAN MOVE FORWARD

Rapid Recovery for a Better Future is Indiana's people-focused initiative providing resources and support for Hoosiers to secure education, training, as well as skills and career coaching, and increasing access to quality jobs. Federal funding through the CARES Act enables Indiana to temporarily expand the Next Level Jobs program.

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