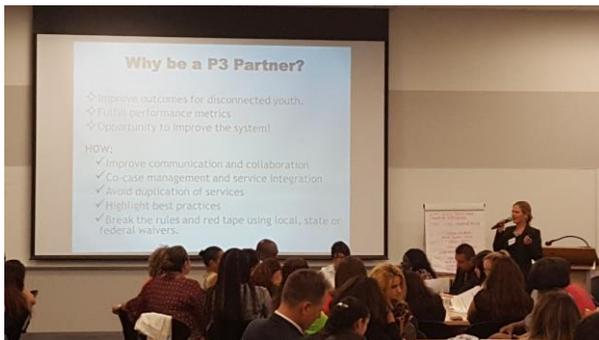




News for the week of August 15, 2016



CITY, COUNTY, SCHOOL, COLLEGE DISTRICTS AND SOCIAL SERVICES AGENCIES TRAIN FOR REGIONAL P3 SERVICE DELIVERY GUIDELINES

EWDD's Youth Operations held a professional development day on Aug. 11 focusing on the Performance Partnership Pilot grant implementation. The so-called "P3" project is an unprecedented effort

in Los Angeles to coordinate and integrate the delivery of education, workforce and social services to disconnected youth ages 16 to 24. Performance Partnership Pilot status gives agencies added flexibility in the use of discretionary funds across multiple federal programs. The multi-agency partnership will map out ways to bolster collaboration between EWDD, the Los Angeles Unified School District, the Los Angeles Community College District, and Los Angeles County. More than 200 attendees took part in the training day, including staff from the City of LA's YouthSource centers, county mental health, social services, community college, the Alliance for Children's Rights and more. Participants identified gaps in regional service delivery and pointed out ways to eliminate bureaucratic barriers in order to get needed assistance to high school dropouts, foster, probation and homeless youth more efficiently.

Rapid Response: EWDD's Rapid Response staff learned that G2 Secure Staff, an LAX temporary staffing company, was ending a contract with American Airlines on Oct. 12, affecting 90 employees. Rapid Response contacted G2 and offered layoff transition services. EWDD staff ascertained that 25 workers will be offered permanent positions with American Airlines and the others will be offered other positions at LAX.

Para Los Niños youth attend national conference: Youth enrolled at Para Los Niños, an EWDD contractor offering YouthSource services in East Los Angeles, attended the annual National Council of La Raza, held this year in Orlando, Florida. Students participated in sessions on leadership, education and how to organize communities. They heard from U.S Senator Elizabeth Warren, U.S. Secretary of Education John B. King and numerous other distinguished speakers from the worlds of business,

academia and philanthropy. The gathering, held July 23-26, fostered discussion about ongoing and emerging issues that affect the Latino community.

Woodland Hills small business expands with SB loan: Tykisha Stanford is the owner of The Suites, a co-working space, located at The Village in Woodland Hills. She came to West Valley BusinessSource Center in April seeking assistance accessing a \$300,000 loan to help her subdivide her rental space to increase clientele. Her business offers by-the-hour meeting spaces and includes a conference room, which is in high demand by local businesses without this accommodation. West Valley helped Stanford prepare a loan application, which was recently approved. The project will result in a total of nine new jobs and provide space and support services for over 30 businesses.

BUSINESS SOURCE METRICS:

LABSC’s Reporting: Central West, Mid City, South LA, Hollywood, North Valley, West Valley, South Valley, East LA, Harbor	
LABSCs Not Reporting: 0	
Pre-Startups Enrolled	45
Pre-Startups Assisted	29
Start-ups/Operating Businesses Enrolled	27
Start-ups/Operating Businesses Assisted	33
Workshops: Number of Clients Attended	91

WORKFORCE METRICS:

(Arrows indicate weekly trend)

JobsLA (online and mobile)



Page Views
(Down 9%)



New Visitors
(Down 1%)



New Sessions
(Down 1%)

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