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# VOCATIONAL AND LIFE SKILLS MONTHLY DATA UPDATE

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# DATA OVERVIEW

## DECEMBER MONTHLY DATA: OVERALL PARTICIPATION AND COMPLETIONS

### OVERVIEW

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Grantees use an online data management system to submit data on participants served under their Vocational and Life Skills programming. This data is due monthly and reflects all services provided during the previous month to participants. Evaluators at the Nebraska Center for Justice Research work with grantees directly to correct any data errors on an ongoing basis during monthly update calls and site visits.

Data presented below is from the monthly data pulls. Because this data comes from an active database with live data being entered and updated daily, data, including previously submitted information, may fluctuate depending on changes made from data entry oversights. These changes will be reflected in future monthly reports.

### NOTES ON DATA

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Individuals participating in multiple programs are counted as a unique individual for each program.

Some participants will leave programming and then return to either finish programming they previously started or to receive additional services. These participations are not reported in this monthly report. The data reflects only the first participation in each program. This grant cycle, 22 participants have come back to receive additional programming from the same program.

Questions on data presented below can be directed to Johanna Peterson at the Nebraska Center for Justice Research ([jpeterson@unomaha.edu](mailto:jpeterson@unomaha.edu)).

## CONTENT AND DEFINITIONS

### PARTICIPANTS SERVED

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New Participants: The number of participants beginning programming in the specified month who were not served by the program in previous months of the grant cycle.

Total Served: The number of unique individuals served during the month by programs. This is determined by calculating the number of participants that completed programming during the month and those who have not yet completed, but who are receiving services.

Successfully Completed: Participants who have completed overall programming during the month and programs have determined they have successfully completed. Successful completions vary widely both within programs and across programs. Most programs develop individualized plans for each participant. Therefore, successful completion does not mean the same thing for every individual.

Grant Cycle 2 Receiving Programming: The cumulative total of unique participants served by each program during Grant Cycle 2 (beginning July 1, 2016).

Grant Cycle 2 Successful Completions: The cumulative total of participants who have successfully completed overall programming during Grant Cycle 2 (beginning July 1, 2016).

### PARTICIPANTS EXITING PROGRAM

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This table provides information on the exit status of participants who ended their participation in the overall program during the month. The exit status selected by programs for each participant are displayed.

### PROGRAM AREAS

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Program areas were developed for each program this grant cycle to be able to provide a more complete picture of program participation for each participant. Each program divides their programming into different areas where participants receive services. Some participants only need one service while others may receive a multitude of services which may affect their program length. Beyond successfully completing the entire program, program areas show how participants are still actively participating in programming. They may complete one program area while still being actively involved in other program areas. They will not be shown as successfully completing the program until they have completed their program plan established by the program. In these monthly reports, a cumulative count of participants served in each program area is presented along with the status of those in that program area (completed, in progress, incomplete). Participants can be served in multiple program areas. These reports will show changes over time in how participants are moving through programming. Quarterly reports will explain program areas for each program in more detail.

## DECEMBER DATA

### PARTICIPANTS SERVED

Program	New Participants	Total Served	Successfully Completed	Grant Cycle 2 Receiving Programming	Grant Cycle 2 Successful Completions
Associated Builders and Contractors (ABC)	10	166	0	166	0
Bristol Station	10	36	3	81	26
Mental Health Association (MHA)	30	142	4	223	72
Metropolitan Community College (MCC)	11	391	4	528	89
ReConnect	11	276	0	278	0
ResCare	27	48	9	163	84
Center for People in Need-TRADE	16	37	20	90	62
Williams Prepared Place	2	6	0	6	0

### PARTICIPANTS EXITING PROGRAM IN DECEMBER BY EXIT STATUS

Program	Successful Completion	Terminated by Self	Terminated by Program	Other*	Total Exited
Associated Builders and Contractors (ABC)	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
Bristol Station	3	1	2	0	<b>6</b>
Mental Health Association (MHA)	4	1	0	0	<b>5</b>
Metropolitan Community College (MCC)	4	3	0	8	<b>15</b>
ReConnect	0	1	0	0	<b>1</b>
ResCare	9	0	5	4	<b>18</b>
Center for People in Need-TRADE	20	2	1	1	<b>24</b>
Williams Prepared Place	0	1	0	0	<b>1</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>70</b>

\*Other categories include: terminated due to employment, referred to other agency, moved or cases that do not fall into category options.

## GRANT CYCLE 2 PROGRAM AREAS THROUGH DECEMBER 2016

**NOTE:** SOME PROGRAMS HAVE EVOLVED SINCE LAST REPORTING TO INCLUDE NEW PROGRAM AREAS.

### ASSOCIATED BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS (ABC)

	Completed	In Progress	Incomplete	Grand Total
Applied Construction Math	0	20	0	20
Core	35	19	4	58
OSHA 10 Hour Construction	139	0	1	140
OSHA 10 Hour General Industry	117	0	1	118
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>291</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>336</b>

### BRISTOL STATION

	Completed	In Progress	Incomplete	(blank)	Grand Total
Life Skills	29	27	25	0	81
Other Services	0	0	0	5	5
Vocational	27	22	19	0	68
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>154</b>

### MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION (MHA)

	Completed	In Progress	Incomplete	Grand Total
Benefits	8	8	2	18
Honu	7	11	4	22
Hope	40	41	5	86
Inmate Support	0	1	0	1
Keya	1	1	0	2
Real	20	42	2	64
Wrap	43	49	3	95
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>288</b>

GRANT CYCLE 2 PROGRAM AREAS THROUGH DECEMBER 2016

METRO COMMUNITY COLLEGE (MCC)

	Completed	In Progress	Incomplete	Grand Total
3 MCC Core Courses	66	203	41	310
Associate's Degree	0	15	0	15
Career Certificate	4	19	2	25
Forklift Certification	37	3	6	46
Foundation Classes	82	44	10	136
Four-Week Workshop	37	0	4	41
GED	2	2	1	5
Initial Communication	25	57	1	83
Long-Term Relief Group	4	5	0	9
MCC Certificate of Completion	6	6	1	13
National Certification	1	0	1	2
Non-Credit ESL	5	5	0	10
Non-Credit Workshop	126	2	8	136
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>395</b>	<b>361</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>831</b>

RECONNECT

	Completed	In Progress	Incomplete	(blank)	Grand Total
Construction Tool Box Credentials	6	1	0	0	7
Final Number	42	0	2	0	44
Orientation	32	0	0	0	32
Other Services	0	0	0	13	13
Ready for Work	23	0	0	0	23
Reentry Support	9	264	0	0	273
Success Prep	176	7	1	0	184
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>289</b>	<b>272</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>577</b>

RESCARE

	Completed	In Progress	Incomplete	Grand Total
Get the Right Future	84	34	47	165
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>165</b>

GRANT CYCLE 2 PROGRAM AREAS THROUGH DECEMBER 2016

CENTER FOR PEOPLE IN NEED (TRADE)

	Completed	In Progress	Incomplete	(blank)	Grand Total
Core Classes	34	5	4	0	43
Core Classes - In Facility	43	0	3	0	46
Forklift & Warehouse Operations Module	12	5	1	0	18
Office Professional Module	4	3	6	0	13
Other Services	0	0	0	5	5
Residential Construction & Building Maintenance	5	0	2	0	7
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>132</b>

WILLIAMS PREPARED PLACE

	In Progress	Grand Total
Heart Phase	4	4
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>4</b>