

Affiliate Career Center

WIOA outlines the criteria as the following:

- physical and programmatic accessibility;
- effectiveness;
- continuous improvement; and
- strategic planning/innovation.

Evaluations of physical and programmatic accessibility must include how well the KCC ensures equal opportunity for individuals with disabilities to benefit from KCC services.

<u>Evaluations of effectiveness</u> examine the extent to which the KCC integrates available services and meets the needs of local employers and job seekers.

<u>Continuous improvement</u> requires the KCC network to collect, analyze, and use multiple data resources including the negotiated levels of performance from its performance measures. <u>Strategic Planning/Innovation</u> must outline the Centers' goals & any successful innovations created

As part of the evaluation process, it is required that the Local Workforce Development Board take into consideration the above stated criteria and provide detailed information describing how the KCC meets the respective criteria.

Tell Us About Your Career Center Location:

Business/Employer Services

Physical and Programmatic Accessibility

Loca	Location: Click or tap here to enter text.							
Α.		Center (KCC) staff provides services to employers through outreach, on site at the Center hkage through technology.						
	YES or NO:	Choose an item.						
Please Describe Below:								
	Click or tap h	ere to enter text.						

Effectiveness

Α.	The staff has the capacity to connect employers to timely, extensive, comprehensive, customized solutions. These include, but are not limited to, candidate screening, recruitment activities, and events. The Center has appropriate technology for interacting with employers (e.g. business phone, laptop, smartphone, etc.).							
	YES or NO:	Choose an item.						
	Please Descri	be Below:						
	Click or tap he	ere to enter text.						
В.		The Business/Employer Services Team (BEST) communicates employer-driven information to front line staff in order to improve demand-driven services provided to job seekers and employers.						
	YES or NO:	Choose an item.						
	Please Describe Below:							
	Click or tap here to enter text.							
C.	Reception star	ff are aware of the BEST and route employer customers appropriately and efficiently, if needed.						
	YES or NO: Choose an item.							
	Please Describe Below:							
	Click or tap he	Click or tap here to enter text.						
D.	them through	r staff who are members of the BEST ensure and provide responsive business solutions and record descriptive Salesforce (or state approved data management system) entries. Salesforce tracks ss customers, new employer engagement, market penetration and other elements gauging						

	employer use. The data is used to improve consistency and quality of employer contacts, improve relationships, and build new ones.							
	YES or NO:	Choose an item.						
	Please Describe Below:							
Click or tap here to enter text.								

Continuous Improvement

Α.	least once a y	Affiliate Center staff who are members of the BEST participate in training/continuing educational opportunities at least once a year, to improve team and team-member skills and to develop new knowledge. Training includes overview and orientation for new members on their functions and expectations in their positions.						
	YES or NO:	Choose an item.						
	Please Descr	be Below:						
	Click or tap h	Click or tap here to enter text.						

Job Seeker Services

Physical and Programmatic Accessibility

Α.	Job seekers h	Job seekers have multiple avenues to access one-stop partner services through the local workforce system:						
	CHECK ALL THAT			1. In-person at Affiliate Career Centers				
				2. Direct linkage through technology				
				3. Phone				
	APPL	Y		4. Comprehensive Career Center, or Access Points				
				5. Other (please list below):				
				Click or tap here to enter text.				
	YES or NO:	Choose	an iten	n.				
	Please Descri	ibe Below	:					
Click or tap here to enter text.								

Effectiveness

Α.	The Center has a seamless identifiable communications process in place for job seekers services:					
	CHECK ALL THAT APPLY			1. Customer flow chart		
				2. Standard operating procedures		
				3. Other (please list below):		
				Click or tap here to enter text.		
	YES or NO:	Choose	e an ite	em.		
	Please Descri	ibe Below	:			
	Click or tap here to enter text.					
В.	A seamless cu	ustomer fl	ow pro	cess is integrated across all partners through activities including:		
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В.	A seamless ci	ustomer fl				
B.	A seamless ci	ustomer fl		1. Welcome, intake, and orientation		
B.	CHECK ALL	. THAT		 Welcome, intake, and orientation Management of the resource room 		
В.		. THAT		 Welcome, intake, and orientation Management of the resource room Workshops 		
В.	CHECK ALL	. THAT		Welcome, intake, and orientation Anagement of the resource room Workshops Individual Employment Plans (IEP)		

			8. Other (please list below):				
			Click or tap here to enter text.				
	YES or NO: Choose an item.						
	Please Describe Below	:					
	Click or tap here to enter text.						
C.	All customers are provid	ded/offe	ered alternative activities or options during wait times:				
			1. Watch the Career Center Orientation on resource room computers or lobby monitor.				
			2. Watch the e-billboard/videos for upcoming events, jobs, job fairs, and resource fairs.				
			3. Access Focus Career in the resource room.				
	CHECK ALL THAT APPLY		4. Update resume in the resource room.				
			5. Review printed materials in the resource room.				
			6. Conduct online job search in the resource room.				
			7. Other (please list below):				
			Click or tap here to enter text.				
	YES or NO: Choose	e an ite	em.				
	Please Describe Below						
	Click or tap here to er	nter te	xt.				
D.	Customers are provided meet customers' needs		n orientation/assessment and informed of all available resources and services to pals:				
			1. Workshops and resources on issues supporting job readiness and career development				
			2. Staff assisted job search support, including labor market information				
			3. Information on and assistance with accessing training and education				
	CHECK ALL THAT		4. Information on and assistance with accessing financial aid and scholarships				
	APPLY		5. Option to meet with a career coach and receive case management services on site or by direct linkage through technology				
			6. Integrated case management system (KEE Suite)				
			7. Other (please list below):				
			Click or tap here to enter text.				
	YES or NO: Choose		em.				
	Please Describe Below						
	Click or tap here to er	nter te	xt.				
E.			eter/receptionist who is cross-educated to be aware of the services and resources agencies. Partner staff may rotate to fill this role in smaller centers.				
			1. Customers are welcomed in a timely, friendly, and professional manner.				
			2. Staff communicates clearly with customers about wait times.				
	CHECK ALL THAT APPLY		3. Staff has the ability to provide initial assessment for needed services.				
			4. Other (please list below):				
			Click or tap here to enter text.				
	YES or NO: Choose		em.				
	Please Describe Below	-					
	Click or tap here to er	nter te	xt.				
F.	services and resources	availat	rce room staff (dedicated or rotating) that are cross-educated to be aware of the ble and through partner agencies.				
	YES or NO: Choose		em.				
	Please Describe Below:						

Click or tap here to enter text.

Continuous Improvement

Α.	Affiliate Center staff are trained to provide seamless customer service to job seekers and to match job seeker needs with employer demands.					
				1. Customer service training		
				2. Employability skills training		
				3. Cross-education on Career Center partners' programs, services, and resources		
	CHECK ALL	тнат		4. KEE Suite training		
	APPL			5. Focus Career, Focus Assist, and Focus Talent training		
				6. Kentucky Labor Market Information training		
				7. Salesforce training (if applicable)		
				8. Other (please list below):		
				Click or tap here to enter text.		
	YES or NO:	Choose	an item			
	Please Descr	ibe Below	:			
	Click or tap he	ere to ent	er text.			
В.		times, to	ensure t	ated process that measures customer satisfaction and quality of services, hat customer's outcomes, needs, and goals are met. The Center uses at least two mation:		
				1. Personally administered surveys		
				2. Online surveys		
				3. Personal interviews (open-ended)		
	CHECK ALL APPL			4. Focus groups		
				5. Suggestion box		
				6. Other (please list below):		
				Click or tap here to enter text.		
	YES or NO:	Choose	an item			
	Please Describe Below:					
	Click or tap here to enter text.					

Center Management

Physical and Programmatic Accessibility

Α.	One or more of the following one-stop partners through the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIO, maintains a primary office and schedule within the Affiliate Center to provide their program(s), services and activities to job seekers and employers:					
			1. WIOA Title I - Adult, Dislocated Worker and Youth formula programs			
			2. WIOA Title II - Adult Education and Literacy programs-KY Skills U (OAE)			
	CHECK ALL THAT		3. WIOA Title III, Wagner-Peyser Act Employment Service program–Career Development Office (CDO)			
	APPLY		4. WIOA Title IV, Rehabilitation Act - Office of Vocational Rehabilitation (OVR)			
			5. Other (please list below):			
			Click or tap here to enter text.			

	YES or NO: Choose an item.							
	Please Descri	Please Describe Below:						
	Click or tap he	ere to ent	er text.					
В.	The Center is accessible and compliant with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) so that all customers can fully utilize services and resources, evidenced by the following documentation:							
	YES or NO:	Choose	an item	an item. If yes, complete section below with check boxes				
		1		1. ADA compliance letter (w/date of Certification & attach letter/documentation to this application)				
	CHECK ALL			2. Accessibility checklist (if available, attach to this application)				
	APPLY	r		3. Other (please list):				
				Click or tap here to enter text.				
	If Not Certified	d, Please	Describ	e Below Issues Below Preventing ADA Certification:				
	Click or tap he	ere to ent	er text.					
C.	The Affiliate C accessibility:	enter has	s addres	ssed and offers all of the following components of physical infrastructure and				
				 Adequate free parking, including designated spaces for individuals with disabilities 				
				 Up-to-date and fully functioning assistive technology, with required cross training for staff 				
				3. Convenient and central location, with clear American Job Center (AJC) and Kentucky Career Center (KCC) exterior signage				
	CHECK ALL APPL			4. Accommodations for customers that have language and/or literacy barriers. i.e. access to Language Line				
				5. Flexible scheduling for job seekers' needs; open for 30 or more hours per week (as determined through partner MOU/IFA negotiations at the local level)				
				6. Timely access for customers to staff and services via in-person or direct linkage through technology (e.g.,phone, email, internet, and Skype)				
				7. Other (please list below):				
				Click or tap here to enter text.				
	YES or NO: Choose an item.							
	Please Describe Below:							
	Click or tap he	ere to ent	er text.					
D.	The Affiliate C	enter has	s a profe	essional and welcoming appearance including:				
				1. Clean and well-maintained furnishings				
				2. Professional and appropriately dressed staff, with guidance in local written policies				
	CHECK ALL	. THAT		3. Kentucky Career Center name badges for staff				
	APPLY	(4. Clean and well-maintained restrooms				
				5. Clean and well-maintained exterior				
				6. Other (please list below):				
				Click or tap here to enter text.				
	YES or NO:	Choose		1.				
	Please Descri							
	Click or tap he	ere to ent	er text.					
E.	The Affiliate C including (che			udes space and capacity appropriate for customer needs, traffic and functions				
		T 114 T		1. Adequate private office space for privacy and confidentiality, when needed				
	CHECK ALL APPL			2. Adequate classroom and/or training space				
				3. Adequate computer resources or lab space for training and testing				

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				 Adequate conference room space for workshops, meetings and employer events 			
				5. Sufficient modular/multi-purpose space adaptable to meet changing needs			
				6. Current and adequate technology for training, video-conferencing, and other services			
				7. Fully equipped resource room			
				8. Well-designed layout for clear navigation and smooth customer flow, with appropriate interior signage			
				9. Other (please list below):			
				Click or tap here to enter text.			
	YES or NO:	Choose	an iten	n.			
	Please Descri	be Below	:				
	Click or tap he	ere to ent	ter text.				
F.	The Affiliate C customers and			nented policies and procedures that create a safe and secure environment for			
				1. Clearly communicated, written emergency response plan outlining evacuation procedures			
				2. Documentation of regularly scheduled safety/emergency drills			
				3. Effective security design appropriate to facility and location, with written policies that are clearly communicated to staff			
	CHECK ALL APPL			4. Staff guidelines for handling sensitive, confidential information (paper and electronic)			
				5. Orientation training on safety and security policies and procedures for all new staff			
				6. Other (please list below):			
				Click or tap here to enter text.			
	YES or NO: Choose			n.			
	Please Descri	be Below	:				
	Click or tap here to en			nter text.			

Effectiveness

Α.	The following functions are integrated by all on-site partners at the Affiliate Center (check all that apply):				
				 Reception - This function is funded and/or staffed by on-site partners as outlined in the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) and Infrastructure Funding Agreement (IFA); professional staff is required and must be trained. 	
				2. Resource room - This function is funded and/or staffed by on-site partners as outlined in the MOU/IFA; professional staff are required and must be trained.	
	CHECK ALI APPL			3. Single calendar of events	
		. 1		4. Shared infrastructure items	
				5. Common break room for partner staff	
				6. Other (please list below):	
				Click or tap here to enter text.	
	YES or NO:	Choose a	an item		
	Please Desci	ribe Below	:		
	Click or tap h	ere to ent	er text.		
В.	The Affiliate Center is organized and labeled by function rather than by program/partner. Examples of functional teams include job seeker services, business/employer services, and career center management. Functional team development will vary depending upon the size of the Center.				
	YES or NO: Choose an item.				
C.				ach functional team according to the activities and services they provide, as well as m development will vary depending upon the size of the Center.	

	YES or NO: Choose an item.							
D.	Local partner supervisors/managers are members of the career center management team. Functional team development will vary depending upon the size of the Center.							
	YES or NO: Choose an item.							
E.	Each functional team leader is a member of the career center management team. Functional team development will vary depending upon the size of the Center.							
	YES or NO: Choose an item.							
F.	The One-Stop Operator (OSO) is a member of the career center management team, if appropriate.							
	YES or NO: Choose an item.							
G.	Functional teams have been created for the Center; each has a team leader. Please list them below.							
	r text.							
	2. Click or tap here	r text.						
3. Click or tap here to enter text.								
	Please Describe Below:							
	Click or tap here to en	ter text.						
Н.	The career center management team leader is designated/approved by the LWDB and is responsible for the following, if applicable:							
			1. Maintenance and janitorial services					
			2. Safety and emergency procedures					
			3. Security					
			4. Equipment, including computers					
			5. Parking					
			6. Keys					
	CHECK ALL THAT APPLY		7. Facility renovation, as needed					
	AFFLI		8. Leadership for the center management team & other functional teams					
			9. Oversight of customer flow					
			10. Oversight of the monthly calendar of job seeker and employer activities					
			11. Oversight of an integrated schedule for on-site partner staff					
			12. Communication with partner staff about meeting schedules13. Other (please list below):					
			Click or tap here to enter text.					
	YES or NO: Choose							
	Please Describe Below: Click or tap here to enter text.							
١.	Information on the management structure and the individuals responsible for all activities are communicated							
	regularly to all center staff. New hires receive this information. YES or NO: Choose an item.							
	Please Describe Below:							
	Click or tap here to enter text.							

Continuous Improvement

The BEST holds periodic (monthly, quarterly) coordinated meetings to share information related to employers' needs and challenges, responsive improvements and solutions. The team produces and distributes minutes. Α. Meetings may be scheduled in the following ways: YES or NO: Choose an item. 1. In-person KWIB Approved 3/19/2020

	CHECK ALL THAT		2. Conference call						
	APPLY		3. Webinar						
			4. Other (please list below):						
			Click or tap here to enter text.						
	Please Describe Below and Include Minutes of at Least One Meeting:								
	Click or tap here to enter text.								
В.	Regular meetings are held either in person or virtually that involve all Centers in each Local Workforce Development Area. This could be an annual meeting (minimum), training retreats, or more frequent meetings.								
	YES or NO: Choose an item.								
	Please Describe Below:								
	Click or tap here to enter text.								
C.	The Affiliate Center has a well-designed process for staff to communicate suggestions and concerns to management.								
		e an item							
	Please Describe Belo	w:							
	Click or tap here to enter text.								
D.	The Affiliate Center provides staff development that is appropriate for each individual's function as well as for								
	general staff development, as needed.								
	YES or NO: Choose	e an item							
	Please Describe Belo								
	Click or tap here to e	nter text.							
E.	E. The Affiliate Center has comprehensive, integrated staff development plans that are created with input from statement of the st								
	Please Describe Below:								
	Click or tap here to en	nter text.							
F.	recognized by the LW		taff in pursuing recognized credentials related to their particular disciplines and						
	YES or NO: Choose	e an item							
	Please Describe Belo								
	Click or tap here to enter text.								
G.	The Affiliate Center a	rranges f	or team building training for all partner staff, if applicable.						
	YES or NO: Choose	e an item							
	Please Describe Below: Click or tap here to enter text.								
Н.	The Affiliate Center tracks job seeker customer activity including customer volume in each activity, wait time an referrals to partner services, if applicable.								
	YES or NO: Choose	e an item							
	Please Describe Below:								
	Click or tap here to en	nter text.							
I.	The Center tracks job seeker data by customer group, including veterans, individuals with disabilities, education, and age, if applicable.								
	YES or NO: Choose	e an item							
	Please Describe Below:								
Click or tap here to enter text.									
J.	The Center tracks business/employer customer activity, including number of job orders received, the number of referrals for these job orders, and obtained employment, if applicable.								

YES or NO: Choose an item.							
	Please Describe Below:						
	Click or tap here to enter text.						
К.	The Center breaks business/employer customer activity tracking into specific categories, such as sector and employer size, if applicable.						
	YES or NO:	Choose an item.					
	Please Describe Below:						
	Click or tap h	er text.					
L.	L. The Center collects feedback from job seekers and employer customers to gauge the customer experience applicable.						
	YES or NO:	Choose an item.					
	Please Describe Below:						
	Click or tap here to enter text.						
			naintains monthly internal team communication, as well as regular communication for h with external partners, stakeholders, LWDB and/or other designated entities.				
	YES or NO:	Choose an item.					
	Please Describe Below (include Outreach specifics):						
	Click or tap h	er text.					
	ECK ALL THAT APPLY		1. Job Seeker Outreach				
CHE		- 🗆	2. Business/Employer Outreach				
			3. Other Outreach (please list):				
			Click or tap here to enter text.				

Strategic Planning/Innovation

Strategic Goals

Please identify 1.) the top 5 goals/priorities for this Career Center, 2.) the expected metrics/outcomes for each goal and 3.) Steps taken to meet the expected metrics/outcomes, 4.) method of how those outcomes are tracked for each goal.					
Goal	Expected Metrics/Outcomes	Steps to meet Expected Metrics/Outcomes	How Outcomes are Tracked		
1.ex. Increase participation in weekly training classes	Increase 10% by 2021		Spreadsheet/Database and monitored monthly		
2.					
3.					
4.					
5.					

Innovation

1.) Please describe any areas of unique innovations that have been developed at this site:		
2.) What Best Practices were created at this location you would like to share:		