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OLDER YOUTH REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS

1. Can you please provide a breakdown of the numbers and characteristics (profile) of 19-21 year old OSY currently served at each of the 3 One-Stops?

- See table below

	OLDER YOUTH	
	ENROLLED	%
A. TOTAL PARTICIPANTS	179	100%
B. GENDER		
FEMALE	85	47%
MALE	94	53%
C. AGE		
14 - 18	0	0%
19 - 21	179	100%
22 - 29	0	0%
30 - 44	0	0%
45 - 54	0	0%
55 - 61	0	0%
62 - 64	0	0%
65 and OLDER	0	0%
D. RACE/ETHNICITY		
AMERICAN INDIAN/ALASKAN NATIVE	3	2%
ASIAN	12	7%
BLACK/AFRICAN AMERICAN	18	10%
HAWAIIAN NATIVE/PACIFIC ISLANDER	3	2%
WHITE	26	15%
HISPANIC OR LATINO	117	65%

E. VETERAN STATUS		
TOTAL VETERANS	0	0%
CAMPAIGN VETERAN	0	0%
DISABLED VETERAN	0	0%
RECENTLY SEPARATED VETERAN	0	0%
F. LABOR FORCE STATUS		
EMPLOYED	27	15%
UNEMPLOYED	152	85%
G. PUBLIC ASSISTANCE STATUS		
TEMP ASSIST TO NEEDY FAMILIES (TANF)	14	8%
GEN ASST(GA), REF CASH ASST(RCA) OR SSI	8	4%
PELL GRANT RECIPIENT	0	0%
FOOD STAMPS	16	9%
H. EDUCATION STATUS		
STUDENT, HIGH SCHOOL OR LESS	1	1%
STUDENT, ATTENDING POST HIGH SCHOOL	2	1%
OUT OF SCHOOL, HS DROPOUT	89	50%
OUT OF SCHOOL, HS GRAD/EMPLOY DIFFCLTY	81	45%
OUT OF SCHOOL, HS GRAD/NO EMPLOY DIFFCLTY	6	3%
ALTERNATIVE SCHOOL	0	0%
	OLDER YOUTH	
	ENROLLED	%
TOTAL PARTICIPANTS	179	100%
I. HIGHEST GRADE COMPLETED		
8th GRADE OR LESS	2	1%
GRADES 9 - 11	88	49%
HIGH SCHOOL GRAD/GED	88	49%
SOME POST HIGH SCHOOL	1	1%
COLLEGE GRADUATES OR ABOVE	0	0%
J. UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE STATUS		
UI CLAIMANT	0	0%
UI EXHAUSTEE	0	0%
K. BARRIERS TO EMPLOYMENT		
DISABLED	13	7%
LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENTCY	4	2%
SINGLE PARENT	26	15%
WORKER PROFILING/REEMPL SERV REF	1	1%
LOW INCOME	178	99%

DISPLACE HOMEMAKER	0	0%
OFFENDER	28	16%
HOMELESS	8	4%
RUNAWAY YOUTH	0	0%
PREGNANT/PARENTING YOUTH	41	23%
YOUTH NEEDING ADDITIONAL ASST.	164	92%
BASIC LITERACY SKILLS DEFICIENT	133	74%
SUBSTANCE ABUSE	3	2%
FOSTER CHILD	1	1%

2. Will the WorkKeys Nationally Recognized Certificate count towards the certificate?

- No – this is an assessment tool, not an occupational skill within work2future industry clusters.

3. Will the National Retail Certificate count as a certificate?

- Yes – it will count for performance measurement; however, it is not an occupational skills training component in the RFP that we are planning to fund. The Retail Certificate is an option for completing the Work Readiness component of the program.