MERCER COUNTY
WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD LOCAL AND REGIONAL PLANS

MERCER COUNTY LOCAL AREA PLAN
As a requirement of the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) of 2014 and through the direction of the State Employment and Training Commission (SETC) the Mercer County Workforce Development Board (WDB) developed a Local Area Plan. This plan outlines the workforce development planning strategies and activities that will drive the mission and priorities of the WDB over the next four years. This Local Area Plan has been developed in coordination with the State of New Jersey WIOA Combined State Plan and the Central Jersey Partners Regional Plan.

The local plan will be for the four (4) year period of January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2020. This plan will be reviewed in two (2) years to determine if updates to services, strategies and activities are necessary.

Before approval this plan had a 30-day public comment period and all relevant comments were incorporated into the final plan. Notification for the Public Comment was advertised in the Times of Trenton, on the Mercer County website, was sent by email to all members of the Workforce Development Board and One-Stop partners and vendors.

To view the Mercer County Local Area Plan 2017

WDB Local Plan 2017

CENTRAL JERSEY PARTNERS REGIONAL PLAN
With the passage of the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) of 2014, County Workforce Development Boards were mandated to initiate regional planning activities. Mercer County joined with Middlesex, Monmouth and Ocean County Workforce Development Boards to become the Central Jersey Partners (CJP). Regional Planning activities will lead to coordination and collaboration of covenants and policies set by the Governor of the State of New Jersey and will be overseen and directed through the State Employment and Training Commission (SETC).

The individual local County Workforce Development Boards and their respective Chief Elected Officials within this Central Region acknowledged their cooperation through the development of this Plan. Regional partners comply with the requirements outlined in WIOA and support and the align strategies that are described in the NJ WIOA Combined State Plan and the subsequent Mercer County Local Area Plan.

To view the Central Jersey Partners Regional Plan 2017

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