

Jobs for Veterans State Grant

Workforce Services Branch
Deputy Directors Office
Veterans Program Unit

Objective

- To inform LMI Advisory Group of the Jobs for Veterans State Grant.
- Services that are provided from JVSG Staff
- Success Stories

Veteran Populations Statistics in California

- Over 1.8 million veterans in California*
 - California Ranks #1 in the nation
- *Approximately 800,000 veterans employed in the State of California.
- *Nearly 81,000 veterans are unemployed

*Resources: 2014 American Community Survey & Dept. Veteran Affairs

Veteran Program Overview

Jobs for Veterans State Grant

- Disabled Veterans' Outreach Program (DVOP)
- Local Veterans' Employment Representative (LVER)

Department of Labor Veterans Employment Training Services

- Federal Guidance

Department of Labor – Federal Guidance

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TO: ALL REGIONAL ADMINISTRATORS AND DIRECTORS FOR VETERANS' EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING
ALL STATE WORKFORCE AGENCY ADMINISTRATORS
ALL REGIONAL ADMINISTRATORS FOR EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING ADMINISTRATION

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SUBJECT: Jobs for Veterans' State Grants (JVSG) Program Reforms and Roles and Responsibilities of American Job Center (AJC) Staff Serving Veterans

1. **Purpose.** This Veterans' Program Letter (VPL) identifies for the public workforce system the refocused roles and responsibilities expected to be carried out by JVSG staff; conveys the duties they are to perform; and discusses the relationship of services provided by staff within the larger workforce system.
2. **References.**
 - 38 U.S.C. chapter 41, Job Counseling, Training, and Placement Service For Veterans (38 U.S.C. 4100–4114), as amended, specifically:
 - 38 U.S.C. 4103A, Disabled veterans' outreach program; and
 - 38 U.S.C. 4104, Local veterans' employment representatives.
 - 38 U.S.C. chapter 42, Employment And Training Of Veterans (38 U.S.C. 4211–4215), as amended, specifically:
 - 38 U.S.C. 4215, Priority of service for veterans in Department of Labor job training programs.
 - Workforce Investment Act of 1998 (WIA), as amended (29 U.S.C. 2801 *et seq.*).
 - 20 CFR Part 1001, Services for Veterans.
 - 20 CFR Part 1010, Application of Priority of Service for Covered Persons.
 - TEGL 10-09, *Implementing Priority of Service for Veterans and Eligible Spouses in all Qualified Job Training Programs Funded in whole or in part by the U.S. Department of Labor (DOL)* (<http://wdtr.doleta.gov/directives/attach/TEGL/TEGL10-09.pdf>).
 - Training and Employment Notice 15-10, *Protocol for Implementing Priority of Service*

Veterans' Program Letters

Department of Labor – Federal Guidance

Veterans Program Letter (VPL) 07-10, 03-14
Jobs for Veterans' State Grants (JVSG) Program
Reforms and Roles and Responsibilities.

Refocusing ensures that two key components of
veteran services are adhered to:

- Roles
- Responsibilities

Priority of Service

- Entitlement
- Covered Programs and Services
- Eligibility

Veteran Service Navigator

Veteran Service Navigator

- First Point of Contact
- Verify CalJOBSSM Registration
- Verify Right to Work Documents
- Needs base determination
- Referrals
 - Wagner Peyser
 - WIOA

JVSG

Jobs (for) **V**eterans **S**tate **G**rants

- Began 1944 LVER
- 1977 DVOP created
- 1980 DOL-VETS created
- 2002 Revisited
- Objectives of JVSG
 - Title 38 U.S. Code, Chapter 41

JVSG: Eligibility Requirements

- Special Disabled / Disabled
- Homeless
- Formerly Incarcerated
- Lacking High School Diploma
- Low-Income
- Recently Separated and Long-Term Unemployment
- Other Identified Categories

DVOP – Services

Disabled

Veterans'

Outreach

Program

- Outreach
- Conduct Assessment
- Referrals
- Case Management
- Intensive Services
(Individualized Services WIOA)
- Individual Employment Plan
- Job Posting Referral
- Follow up

LVER - Services

Local

- Outreach

Veterans'

- Conduct
Seminars/Workshops

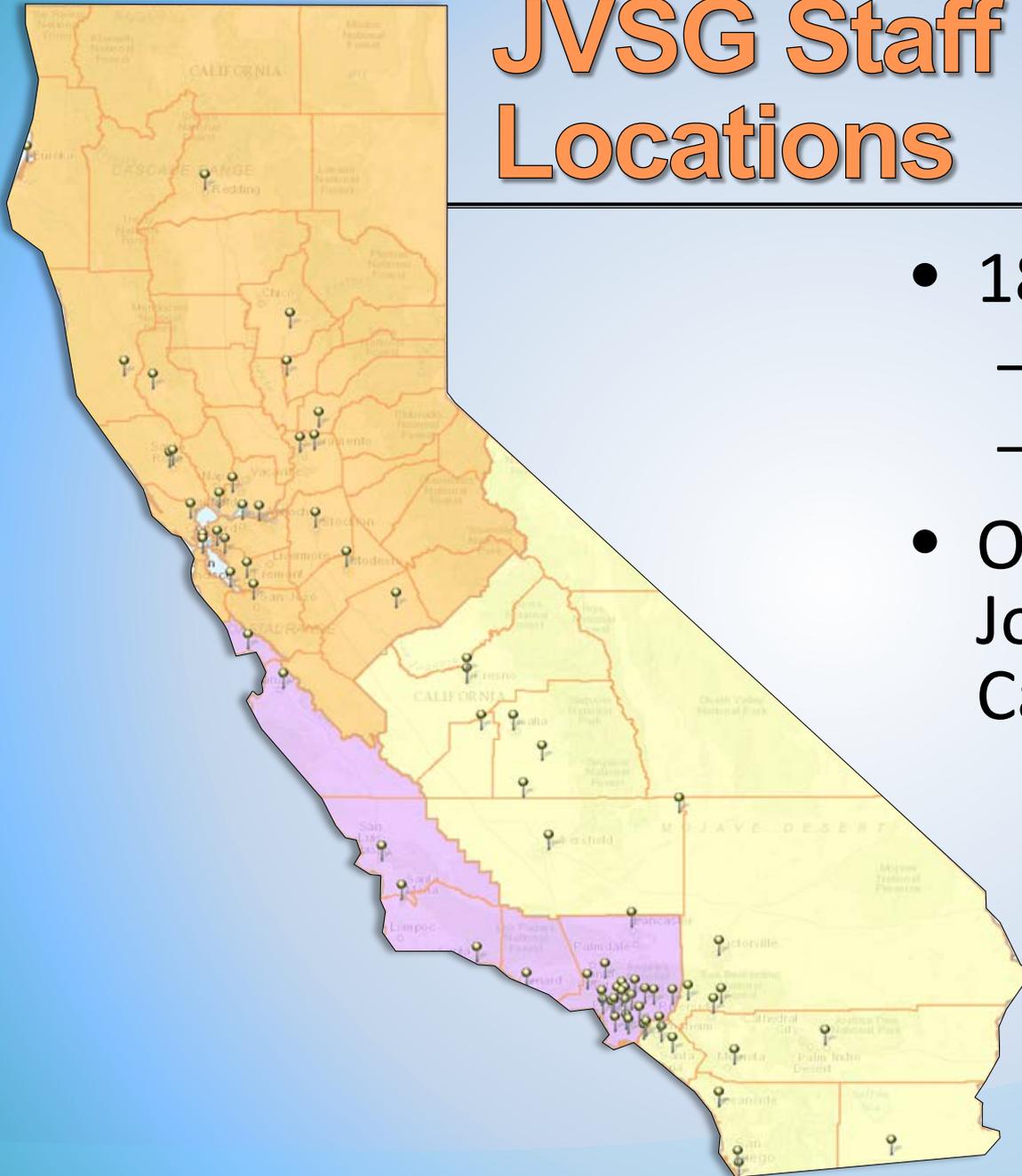
Employment

- Register Employers
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- Existing Employers

Representative

- Job Orders
- Case Conference
- Employer Job Referral
- Follow up

JVSG Staff and Locations



- 183 JVSG Staff total
 - 127 DVOP Staff
 - 56 LVER Staff
- Over 77 America's Job Centers in California

Success Story

- 90% Intensive Services met Statewide
- JVSG Success in the State of California
 - ✓ Client Identifiers within CalJOBSSM
 - ✓ Service Delivery Indicators
 - ✓ Service Delivery Models
 - ✓ Informal Communication to JVSG Staff in the field
 - ✓ Training provided from VPU
 - ✓ Corrective Action Plans completed
 - ✓ National Veterans Training Institute – San Diego

Questions and Concerns

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