

Dual Training Grant Related Instruction Training Provider Info Session

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Welcome and Introductions



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Agenda

- Navigating Websites
- Dual Training Grant Overview
- Eligibility
- Request for Application
- Billing
- Reporting
- Questions & Closing





Navigating Websites

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MN Dual-Training Pipeline

http://www.dli.mn.gov/pipeline

- Tools
 - http://www.dli.mn.gov/business/workforce/minnesota-dual-training-pipeline-tools
- Events
 - http://www.dli.mn.gov/business/workforce/pipeline-events
- Partner Employers
 - http://www.dli.mn.gov/business/workforce/pipeline-partner-employers
- Related Instruction Inventory
 - http://www.dli.mn.gov/business/workforce/pipeline-related-instruction-inventory

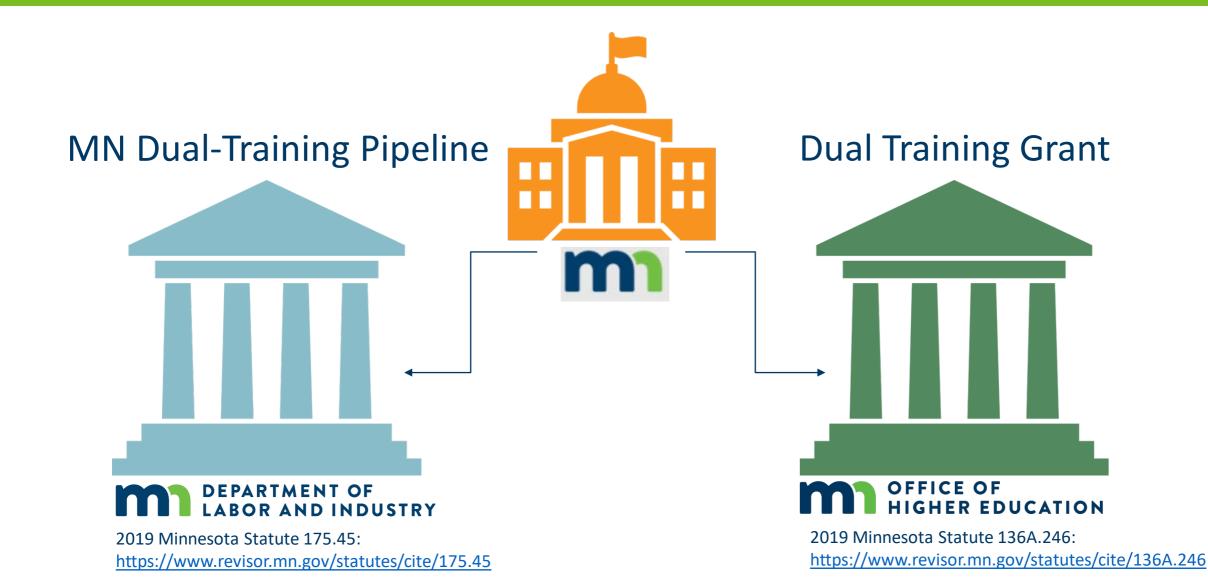
Navigating Websites

Dual Training Grant

http://www.ohe.state.mn.us/mPg.cfm?pageID=2160

- Request for Application
 - http://www.ohe.state.mn.us/mPg.cfm?pageID=2196
- Workshops & Trainings
 - https://www.ohe.state.mn.us/mPg.cfm?pageID=2427
- Archive
 - http://www.ohe.state.mn.us/mPg.cfm?pageID=2186
- Frequently Asked Questions
 - http://www.ohe.state.mn.us/sPages/faq.cfm







What is the role of the MN Dual-Training Pipeline Team?

- Hold industry forums to *inform* and *direct* the team on industry trends and needs through discussion and strategic planning aimed to expand dual training
- Facilitate **competency councils** to *define* and *identify* specific occupational competencies for the four key industries
- Provide dual-training consulting to create and disseminate dualtraining resources for employers, employees and dual trainees: toolbox, grants, and expanding mentorship networks to set up dual training



What is the role of the Dual Training Grant Team?

- Create, release, and manage the Request for Application
- Determine and announce grant awards
- Setup and manage grant contracts
- Process grant reimbursement requests
- Provide various trainings and supports
- Conduct grant monitoring
- Collect and analyze annual grant report data
- Write and publish annual grant report

Industries & Eligible Occupations

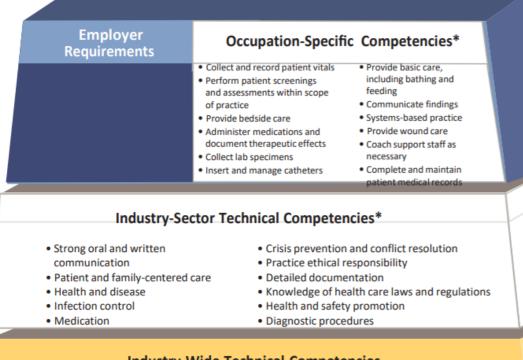
- Advanced Manufacturing
 - <u>http://www.dli.mn.gov/business/workforce/advanced-manufacturing</u>
- Agriculture
 - http://www.dli.mn.gov/business/workforce/agriculture
- Health Care Services
 - http://www.dli.mn.gov/business/workforce/agriculture
- Information Technology
 - <u>http://www.dli.mn.gov/business/workforce/information-technology</u>

Related Instruction

On-the-Job Training

- Business Investment
- Enhance Company Culture
- Improve Retention & Acquisition

Minnesota Dual-Training Pipeline Competency Model for Health Care Services Occupation: Licensed Practical Nurse



Industry-Wide Technical Competencies

Health care	Health	Health	Laws and	Care of chronic	Safety
delivery	information	industry ethics	regulations	conditions	systems

Competencies learned through onthe-job training with the employer.

Competencies learned through related instruction with the training provider.









Blessing Cahill Cuyuna Regional Medical Center, Crosby MN Sam Kaighen M Health Fairview, Saint Paul MN **Billy Kor** Bedford Industries, Worthington MN

Ashley Madoll Marvin, Warroad MN

Dual Trainee Success

https://www.ohe.state.mn.us/mPg.cfm?pageID=2160



Eligible Dual-Training Program

All of the following:

- Employees are dual trainees
- Related Instruction by an eligible training provider that:
 - Includes training to meet one or more identified competency standards
 - Is instructor-led for a majority of the training
 - Results in the employee receiving an industry-recognized degree, certificate, or credential
- On-the-Job Training by employer



Eligible Industry-Recognized Degree, Certificate, or Credential

- Certificates, diplomas, or degrees issued by a postsecondary institution
- Registered apprenticeship certifications or certificates
- Occupational licenses or registrations
- Certifications issued by, or recognized by, industry or professional associations
- Other certifications as approved by the commissioner



Certificate of Completion programs are <u>not</u> eligible.

Eligible Grantee

All of the following:

- Be an employer or organization of employers
- Have or will have a dual-training program aligned with <u>MN Dual-Training Pipeline</u> industries and occupations
- Employ or will employ a dual trainee who meets all of the following:
 - physically works at a permanent work location within Minnesota
 - has not attained occupational competency standard(s) prior to commencement of training
 - will earn an industry-recognized degree, certificate, or credential upon completion of dual-training program
- Enter into agreement with one or more qualified related instruction training provider(s)
 - *NEW* Agreement must be complete prior to finalizing a grant contract instead of during the application process.

Eligible Related Instruction Training Providers

- Operated by the Board of Trustees of the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities or the Board of Regents of the University of Minnesota
- <u>Registered</u> as a postsecondary institution by the MN Office of Higher Education
- Licensed as a postsecondary institution by the MN Office of Higher Education
- Exempt from registration or licensure provisions as determined by the MN Office of Higher Education



\$2,300,000 available Round 11

(July 2022 through August 2023)

- Up to \$150,000 per grantee
 - Up to \$6,000 per dual trainee
 - Contract period is one year
- Pays for related instruction tuition, fees, <u>required</u> books/materials
- Reimbursement model
- 25% match of related instruction costs required for grantees with annual gross revenue exceeding \$25 million in the previous calendar year

Request for Application OPEN: March Request for Application CLOSE: April Award Notices ISSUED: May

Orientation: June

Contract Setup: July



NEW Grantee will need to enter into an agreement with training provider prior to finalizing contract.

Begin Training: August

Related Instruction Inventory

- Starting point for employers to develop dual-training programs
- Includes education and training programs for approved occupations
- Employers are not required to partner with the training providers on the list, but these are options to be considered.

https://secure.doli.state.mn.us/pipeline/pipelinelookup.aspx

*If an employer finds a program that is not on the list but want to use it, contact DLI and OHE and they will review the program to see if it could work for the grant.

*An education or training provider that would like to be included on the inventory should reach out to the MN Dual-Training Pipeline Team to be added to the list.

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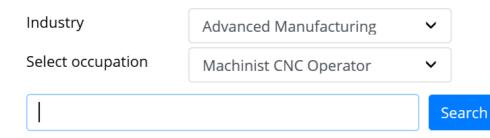
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PIPELINE RELATED INSTRUCTION INVENTORY

This tool contains an inventory of the training programs that lead to credentials recognized by the Minnesota Dual-Training Pipeline. This list is not comprehensive but is a good snapshot of the training available to dual trainees in your organization. After selecting your industry and occupation, click "Search" to get a list of training programs, links and details about the programs.

This tool can list programs by industry and occupation as well as by location. If you are interested in training programs in a specific city, try adding the city name to the search box.

For help with questions about training programs, providers or additions you'd like to see, contact us at PIPELINE.Program@state.mn.us or 651-284-5353.



Occupation	Program	Training Institution	Location	Online	Credit	Duration	Credential	Has Participated in DTG Program	Competencies Mapped
Machinist CNC Operator	Advanced CNC Machine Technology	Anoka Technical College	Anoka	No	64 credits	1 year	Diploma	No	No
Machinist CNC Operator	Advanced Machine Production Technologist	Lake Superior College	Duluth	No	60 credits	2 years	Associates Degree	No	No
Machinist CNC Operator	Advanced Manufacturing Technology	Pine Technical and Community College	Pine City	No	60 credits	1-2 years	Associates Degree	No	No
Machinist CNC Operator	Advanced Manufacturing Technology	Pine Technical and Community College	Pine City	No	45 credits	1-2 years	Diploma	No	No
Machinist CNC Operator	Automated Machining	Lake Superior College	Duluth	No	16 credits	1 semester	Certificate	No	No
Machinist CNC Operator	CNC and Advanced Machining	St. Cloud Technical & Community	St.Cloud	No	60 credits	2 years	Associates Degree	Yes	No

Dual Training Provider Directory

http://www.ohe.state.mn.us/sPages/DTGDir.cfm?sort=div



- Resource to support communication
- Directory listing does <u>not</u> automatically mean the training provider is or has participated in a Dual Training Grant
- Types of contacts:
 - Primary
 - Customized Training
 - Billing

Related Instruction Training Provider Selection for Applicants

Step 1 - Determine and document related instruction training provider selection criteria (examples: competencies, costs, location, format)

Step 2 - Gather a minimum of three verbal quotes or bids (per occupation) from related instruction training providers OR select related instruction training providers from the Targeted Vendor List

Step 3 - Select related instruction training providers based upon documented criteria. The selection process must be completed by a group of two or more organization applicant members

Step 4 - Submit application document: Related Instruction Training Provider Selection

Related Instruction Training Provider Agreement

- Training Providers <u>cannot</u> be added after the application deadline
 - Applicant must know standard for which training provider is operating legally in state
- 1 agreement per training provider per grant round
- This agreement is an acknowledgement that if the applicant receives funding they will work with the training provider(s) who sign the form
- Must be complete prior to finalizing a grant contract



<u>ALL</u> dual trainees in a financial aid eligible program, <u>MUST</u> complete the current Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) or Minnesota state grant application (Dream Act).

- **FAFSA**: <u>https://studentaid.gov/h/apply-for-aid/fafsa</u>
- **Dream Act**: <u>https://www.ohe.state.mn.us/mPg.cfm?pageID=2065</u>

Training Providers, Ask Yourself ...

- How can we make our current FA eligible program flexible for an employer?
- If the program is not FA eligible, do we have the ability to transition the program into being FA eligible?
- How are we communicating FA eligibility to employers and employees?
- Is the FA Office involved in these conversations?

Connect Grantee with Third Party Billing!

- Has the grantee completed necessary paperwork?
- Do the dual trainees need to complete data release paperwork?

Dual Training Grant Award Calculation

Tuition + Fees + Required Books/Materials

- Less than or equal to \$6,000 (grantees without the match)
- Less than or equal to \$8,000 (grantees with the match)

Calculation prior to financial aid grants, scholarships, and loans

Charges			Payments	
Minnesota Resident Tuition	4,106.88		Minnesota State Grant	2,184.00
Health Service Fee	48.00	02/04/2021	Payments	400.00
Student Life Fee	88.00		3rd party award	4,476.08
Access/Parking Fee	35.20		CRRSAA Base Award	500.00
Sales Tax	2.40		CRRSAA Supplemental Award	400.00
Technology Fee	160.00			
State Student Association Fee	5.60			
Late Fee	30.00			
	4,476.08			7,960.08
Payments Made to Student	3,484.00		CURRENT BALANCE DUE	0.00

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Reporting

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Reporting is the responsibility of the Grantee. Training Providers may be asked by grantees for feedback or to participate.

Monitoring Report

- Grantees at or above \$50,000
- December February
- Receive notice 30 to 45 days prior to deadline

Annual Report

- ALL Grantees
- Due September
- Receive notice 30 to 45 days prior to deadline





Questions and Closing

Thank You!