

Resources from the NCRTM on Pre-Employment Transition Services

<u>The National Clearinghouse of Rehabilitation Training Materials (NCRTM)</u> is your go-to resource for locating vocational rehabilitation (VR) information, technical assistance, and training. The following includes a sampling of resources for understanding Pre-Employment Transition Services (Pre-ETS).

RSA

- Frequently Asked Questions about Pre-Employment Transition Services (RSA)
- Increasing Postsecondary Opportunities and Success for Students and Youth with Disabilities
 (RSA) This "Questions and Answers" (Q&A) describes how State educational agencies (SEAs),
 local educational agencies (LEAs), and State vocational rehabilitation (VR) agencies may
 coordinate to assist students and youth with disabilities, including students and youth with
 intellectual disabilities who are in high school and at postsecondary education institutions.
- A Transition Guide to Postsecondary Education and Employment for Students and Youth with <u>Disabilities</u> (OSERS) This guide is to help equip all students and youth with disabilities with the skills and knowledge to achieve their post-school and career goals.

Webinars

- <u>Five Part Webinar Series on Pre-Employment Transition Services</u> (WINTAC & NTACT) This series reviews the five required Pre-ETS services.
- Overview of Pre-Employment Transition Services (WINTAC) This webinar includes applicable
 definitions, authorized pre-employment transition service activities, and information on
 providing or arranging for Pre-ETS. (CRC available)
- <u>Using Explore Work.com Pre-Employment Transition Services Online Modules</u> (WINTAC) This
 webinar describes a method for delivering the five required Workforce Innovation and
 Opportunities Act (WIOA) Pre-ETS using the Explore Work modules. (CRC available)
- WIOA, Career Pathways, and Pre-Employment Transition Services Webinar (WINTAC) This
 training provides a brief overview of career pathways and Pre-ETS as outlined in WIOA along
 with an introduction to the Career Pathways for Individuals with Disabilities (CPID) project in
 Virginia. (CRC available)
- WIOA and IDEA Performance: Transition Planning and Aligning Outcomes (WINTAC) This
 webinar identifies strategies for states to meet performance requirements while considering the
 intersection with transition planning and service delivery for students with disabilities.
- On the Right Track Part 1: Tracking & Reporting Pre-Employment Transition Services (WINTAC)
 Part one of this webinar series focuses on the required data elements for tracking and reporting
 Pre-ETS for both in-house and purchased services. (CRC available)

- On the Right Track Part 2 State Strategies: Tracking & Reporting Pre-Employment Transition
 Services (WINTAC) This webinar features the Alaska and Maryland State Vocational

 Rehabilitation Agencies and their strategies for Pre-ETS tracking and reporting. (CRC available)
- Ask the Expert: Making Pre-Employment Transition Services Work at the Local Level (NTACT)
 This webinar discusses how Oregon Vocational Rehabilitation and the Oregon Department of Education are coordinating Pre-ETS at a state leadership level.

Toolkits, Websites, and Other Resources

- WINTAC's Pre-Employment Transition Services Page (WINTAC) This page contains an overview
 of Pre-ETS with information and links to promising practices and literature reviews; resources;
 trainings; laws; regulations and policies; and frequently asked questions.
- <u>Best Practices for Pre-Employment Transition Services</u> (NTACT) This compilation describes effective practices for the Pre-ETS requirements and serves as a starting point for state and local VR and special education.
- <u>CRP Pre-ETS Guidebook: Strategies for Community Rehabilitation Providers to Collaborate on Pre-Employment Transition Services</u> (WINTAC) This guide is to help Community Rehabilitation Providers (CRPs) become versed in Pre-ETS, understand how to deliver services to younger students, and develop effective processes to collaborate with multiple partners.
- <u>Toolkit Resource: Are you Ready for a Career Pathways Approach with WIOA Implementation?</u>
 (WINTAC) This checklist includes a broad-range perspective that supports agencies providing services (including Pre-ETS) to the individuals and industries they serve.
- <u>Transition Planning: AIVRS Collaborating with the State VR and Schools to Coordinate Transition</u>
 <u>Services</u> (AIVRTTAC). This presentation is aimed at promoting coordinated transition planning
 between schools, American Indian VR Services and State VR programs.

State Programs

- Maryland Pre-ETS Community Rehabilitation Provider Resources (Maryland Department of Rehabilitation Services) This suite of information helps CRPs understand the requirements for becoming a Pre-ETS provider and complete required reports.
- Montana Youth and Pre-ETS (Montana Vocational Rehabilitation and Blind Services) This site
 contains information for youth and families, as well as schools who may be eligible to receive VR
 and Blind Services funding for providing Pre-ETS services. It also describes Montana's workbased learning opportunities.
- Alabama Transition Unlimited (Alabama Department of Rehabilitation Services, Division of Vocational Rehabilitation Service in collaboration with the Auburn Transition Leadership Institute) This initiative is designed to build capacity and connect services to appropriately implement Pre-ETS throughout the state. This site provides access to Local Education Agency Pre-ETS plans and provides links to related resources.
- <u>Nebraska Transition Planning Guide</u> (Nebraska Transition) This guide provides Pre-ETS questions, activities, and resources by grade level (middle school, grades 9-10, grades 11-12, and grades 12+).
- Building Knowledge Creating Experience: Activities and Resources to Help you Prepare for Life
 <u>After High School</u> (Transition Tennessee) Lessons and multiple activities, tied to the required
 Pre-ETS services, that focus on teaching students about how their needs, rights, and

responsibilities will change as they leave high school and enter postsecondary education settings.

Other NCRTM Resource Lists

- NCRTM Resources on Transition Services
- NCRTM Resources for Youth

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