

THE STATE OF WORKPLACE EDUCATION IN THE STATES

KENTUCKY

Funding

- Ratio of funding is Federal 25% versus state and other 75%.
- Funding also provided through in-kind donations.
- Employers are required to pay employees while participating in the training.

Current Initiatives

Kentucky has established the *Workforce Alliance*, a collaborative effort among the Council on Postsecondary Education, the Cabinet for Workforce Development, the Cabinet for Economic Development, and the Kentucky Community and Technical College System, whose goal is to provide workforce education and training.

Barriers to Workplace Education

- Companies are reluctant to expend time and money on employee training.

Location of programs

- Non-profit entities may apply for funding at alternate locations.
- 90-95% of the programs are offered at the workplace.

Responsibility for implementation

- Local Adult Education Centers
- Colleges, Universities
- Community Colleges
- Technical Colleges
- Local Boards Of Education
- One-Stop Centers
- State Government Agencies
- Local Governments
- Other Non-Profit Community-Based Organizations

Support Services

- Training
- Curriculum Development
- Marketing
- Partnership Building

One-Stop Connections

- Since some local adult education centers are located in One-Stops, the One-Stop would be responsible at the local level.

Workplace Education Program Qualities

State	State Partners	Enrollment	State Staff	State Led Effort
Kentucky	Council on Postsecondary Education, Cabinet for Workforce Development, Cabinet for Economic Development, and the Kentucky Community and Technical College System	Over 10%	Full-time	Yes

Additional Information Available: None