

AZ WIOA State Plan

Setting Vision & Mission Sessions

WIOA State Plan

- Outlines the State's four-year strategy for the workforce development system
- Requires planning across all core programs to ensure integrated service delivery:
 - Adult program (Title I of WIOA)
 - Dislocated Worker program (Title I of WIOA)
 - Youth program (Title I of WIOA)
 - Adult Education and Family Literacy Act program (Title II)
 - Wagner-Peyser Act Employment Service program (Title III)
 - Vocational Rehabilitation program (IV)



WIOA State Plan Components

Strategic Planning Elements:

- includes economic condition, workforce characteristics, and workforce development activities analysis.
- required vision, goals, and strategies for the State's workforce system.

Operational Planning Elements

- identifies the efforts to support the State's strategic vision and goals
- outlines necessary infrastructure, policies, and activities needed to achieve goals

WIOA State Plan Development Timeline

Strategic Planning Elements

Activity	Objective(s)	Timeframe
WIOA State Plan Stakeholder Survey	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Collect input on state vision, mission, goals, and strategies• Identify stakeholder engagement opportunities	May – June 2023
Economic, Workforce, & Workforce Development Activities Analysis	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Assessment of economic and labor market information to inform state strategies responsive to changes in labor market, economic conditions, and state workforce development performance	July 2023
Stakeholder Engagement Workshop & Data Review Sessions	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Identify strengths and weaknesses of the state's workforce development activities• Refine statewide vision, mission, and goals for developing the workforce and meeting employer needs	Aug. – Oct. 2023
Goal & Strategy Development Workgroups	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Finalize state plan plans, strategies, and expected levels of performance• Prepare information session updates to share with stakeholder groups	Nov. – Dec. 2023

WIOA State Plan Vision & Goals



Where We
Are Now

- **Vision** – describes the State’s strategic, aspirational future for its workforce development system.
- **Goals** – informed by state’s economic conditions, workforce, and workforce development activities, goals describe how the state will achieve its vision, inclusive of:
 - goals for preparing an educated and skilled workforce, including preparing youth and individuals with barriers to employment and other populations.
 - goals for meeting the skilled workforce needs of employers.

WIOA State Plan Survey

Collecting Stakeholder Voice

May 5th – June 2nd



- State Vision & Mission
- State Plan Goals
- Strategy Implementation

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AZ WIOA State Plan - Stakeholder Survey

The **Arizona WIOA State Plan** is the opportunity to outline how the state, through close partnership across state agencies, local workforce development areas, and community-based partners, will **help job seekers secure good jobs** while **providing businesses with skilled workers** needed to compete in the global economy. Achieving the mission of developing a robust, inclusive, and effective workforce system in the State of Arizona that connects business, education, and job seekers **begins with learning from the perspectives and experiences of stakeholders critical to its effective implementation**. We are excited to **kick-off the state's strategic planning process** by launching this **survey** to collect **feedback on future state direction, strategy, and engagement opportunities**.

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WIOA State Plan Development Tribal Stakeholder Sessions



- **Wednesday, September 6th (1pm – 3pm)**
- **Friday, September 8th (10am – 12pm)**

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