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Updated Training Services Policy Clarification and Updates *Effective Immediately*

This broadcast is to inform all Local Workforce Development Boards (LWDB), Title I-B service providers, and interested parties of **additional** updates to the Workforce and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Title I-B Training Services Policy. The updates in this broadcast will be included in the WIOA Title I-B Training Services Policy when it is revised.

Section 504 - Individual Training Accounts (ITAs)

The first paragraph is revised as follows: LWDBs must require use of ITAs to provide training services under WIOA Title I-B to eligible Adults and Dislocated Workers, unless the conditions specified in Section 504.04 are met. LWDBs may use ITAs for OSY and ISY.

The language of the text that implies LWDBs must require the use of ITAs to provide training services for In-School Youth (ISY), and Out-of-School Youth (OSY) is removed. Consistent with 20 CFR § 681.550, LWDBs *may* use ITAs for OSY. LWDBs may also use ITAs for ISY, pursuant to the state waiver.

All requests for clarification should be sent via email by your policy designee to TitleIPolicy@azdes.gov