



HAMPDEN COUNTY WORKFORCE BOARD

MHHCWB, MHS, MHH & MHFH

Sector Initiatives

WEEKLY MEETINGS

Thursday, January 11, 2023

1:00 PM – 2:00 PM

1. CommCorp HC/BH Hub Continuation Grant Discussion

➤ EMTs

- Recruitment deadline for NCTI program is closed.
- AMR/NCTI **will accept** tuition payments for individuals enrolled in the learn while you earn program. The tuition is the same as the evening programs. Individuals are paid to attend classes full-time. We will not assume that cost, only the cost of the tuition.
- HCC contracts with NCTI to deliver the evening programs. HCC places students in the evening course, but slots are open to the public. Through our partnership with NCTI, they are placing our referrals in this program. Previously, we all believed the evening program was managed and operated by NCTI. In fact, they actually operate the program through a contract and grant funding by HCC.
- Based on AMR's employment requirement, Amy/Emily explained to Leidibel Catala that because her recent infraction is not included in the DMV report they could not make a determination on her eligibility for employment. The candidates that are funded through CommCorp grant must be employment eligible. But students enrolled in the general program do not have an employment eligible requirements because not all people take the course for the purpose of working as an EMT.
- All customers will continue to administer the Workkeys assessment until a different assessment can be substituted.