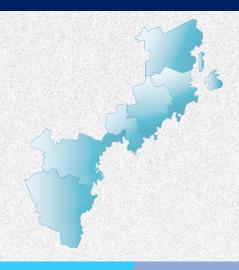
## **Coastal Counties Employment Recovery Grant**

**U.S. Department of Labor National Dislocated Worker Grant** 



## **Coastal Counties**

Counties of York, Cumberland, Sagadahoc, Lincoln, Knox, and Waldo

# Addressing Maine's Pandemic-Related Workforce Shortage

#### Period of Performance



2/8/2022 – 2/29/2024 Approved Amount



\$2,296,085

Planned Participants



315

**Target Population** 



Dislocated Workers



**Project Overview** 

The Coastal Counties Employment Recovery Grant is funded through a U.S. Department of Labor Employment Recovery National Dislocated Worker Grant. Employment Recovery Dislocated Worker Grants (DWGs) provide resources to states and other eligible applicants to respond to major economic dislocations, such as large, unexpected layoff events that cause significant job losses.

### **Project Description**

This grant focuses on reemployment services for dislocated workers. The work will entail promoting rapid reemployment for clients who have been recently laid off and supporting unemployed individuals in their acquisition of employment through structured employment and training services.

This approach connects individuals to work-based training modalities, such as Work Experiences, On-the-Job Training, and Apprenticeship pathways, as well as identifies and alleviates individuals' barriers to being directly hired. Barriers to employment can include lack of job history, soft skills gaps, or life barriers.

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