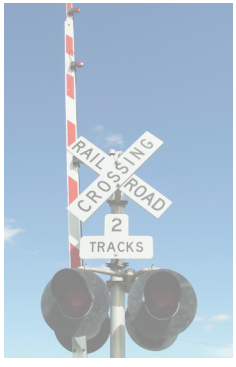
Ticket to Work

Deep in the Heart of Texas



The NEW Ticket to Work Program regulations went into effect on July 21, 2008. Now is the time to discover how the Social Security Administration has listened to, learned from, and responded to your ideas about improving the Ticket to Work Program. We have made a number of exciting changes that make the Ticket to Work Program easier to use and more profitable. Learn how it has become easier for Ticket Holders to reach for these milestones and Employment Networks to receive payments. Find out about other improvements and explore new opportunities for partnerships between Employment Networks, State VR agencies, and the workforce development system.

The New Ticket Express Tour began in April 2008 in Phoenix, AZ. The Express continued with EN recruitment events, education seminars and training teleconferences. Having reached over 15,000 individuals, including EN Recruitment Events and Ticket Summits in Arizona, California, Florida, Illinois, Iowa, Utah, Virginia and Washington, the Ticket Express begins the first of two visits Deep in the Heart of Texas!

As the Program Manager for Recruitment and Outreach (PMRO), CESSI invites your organization to attend one of the two Ticket to Work Seminars and EN Recruitment Events in Texas, with more to come later in the year.

Board the Ticket Express to learn about all the improvements that make the Ticket to Work Program perfect for any organization that transitions people with disabilities into the workforce.

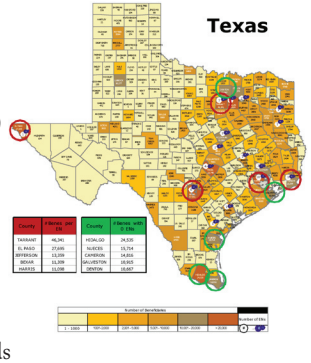
Agenda for Texas EN Recruitment events:

- **Keynote Speaker** – Dan O'Brien, Deputy Associate Commissioner, Office of Employment Support Programs, SSA
- **Discussion of the New Ticket to Work Regulations** – Sallie Rhodes, CESSI Ticket to Work Specialist
- **Discussion of how to become an Employment Network and the resources available to potential and current ENs** – Isaac Huff, CESSI Account Manager for Texas
- **Success Stories** – Personal experiences of how the Ticket to Work Program has benefited current Employment Networks and Ticket Holders

Come to a Texas Ticket to Work Event Near You!

September 23 – Dallas – 10:00-3:00
Embassy Suites Love Field
3880 W. Northwest Highway
Dallas, TX 75220

September 24 – Fort Worth – 10:00-3:00
Holiday Inn Express
1111 West Lancaster Avenue
Fort Worth TX 76102



Please RSVP with Rona Harper at rharper@cessi.net. Space is limited. First come, first served. Please identify if you have any reasonable accommodation needs when you RSVP.

To learn more about the New Ticket to Work, please visit: www.ssa.gov/work

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