


PHILADELPHIA REGION'S DISCRETIONARY “DREAM TEAMS”



Peer-to-Peer Workshop
Atlanta Region Discretionary
Grants Roundtable

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PHILADELPHIA REGION

- ◆ OSID (Office of Special Initiatives and Demonstrations) manages 148 grants
 - ◆ Total investment portfolio is \$300M
 - ◆ Philadelphia Earmark Center is national
 - ◆ Division of Demonstration Grants serves DE, DC, MD, PA, VA and WV
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PHILA- REGION 2 OSID

- ◆ Philadelphia Earmark Center (PEC) also manages Senior Community Service Employment Program (SCSEP) in Region 2 States

- ◆ PEC and DDG managers and staff serve as Federal Project Officers

DIVISION OF DEMO GRANTS

- ◆ High Growth Job Training Initiative
- ◆ Community-Based Job Training Grants
- ◆ Disability Program Navigators
- ◆ Region 2 Earmarks
- ◆ Faith-Based/CBO Initiative Grants
- ◆ YouthBuild
- ◆ Prisoner Reentry Initiative
- ◆ Youth Demo Grants
- ◆ Shared Youth Vision Pilot
- ◆ School District Grants

DREAM TEAMS

Characteristics:

1. Unite around a customer-centered vision of success
2. Data driven, master performance and reporting requirements
3. Expend funds timely; maximize \$
4. Align services with partners to reduce duplication

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More Characteristics:

5. Engage new partners as needed

6. Learn from mistakes, then change course

7. Seize opportunities

8. Focus on results - WIN!



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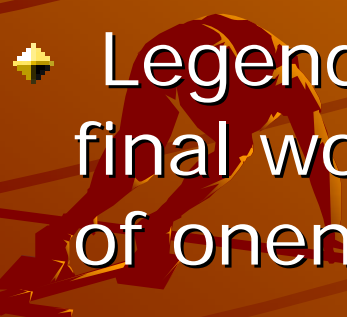
- ✦ We have many “dream teams” in Region 2 staffing discretionary grants which exceed ETA targets
- ✦ You get to meet them at Workforce Innovations, see them on doleta.gov or Workforce3One webinars



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- ◆ Turning the TIDE (Phila) –FB/CBO
- ◆ Greater Peninsula WIB (VA) – HGJTI
- ◆ MD Dept of Labor, Licensing & Reg
Disability Program Navigator
- ◆ Latin American Youth Center (DC)
YouthBuild Public Charter School

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- ◆ Now that I've described each of the programs and provided handouts, do you have any questions?
- ◆  Legendary coach Vince Lombardi gets the final word: "Build for your team a sense of oneness, of dependence on one another and of strength derived from unity."