

**PY 2006 WIA Performance Measures for Demographic and Service Groups**  
**Younger Youth**  
(Derived from PY 2006 WIASRD Records)  
February 4, 2008

<b>Characteristics</b>	<b>Exiters from April 2005 to March 2006</b>		<b>Exiters from April 2006 to March 2007</b>		
	<b>Number of Exiters</b>	<b>Retention Rate<sup>1</sup> (%)</b>	<b>Number of Exiters</b>	<b>Diploma Attainment Rate<sup>2</sup> (%)</b>	<b>Skill Attainment Rate (%)</b>
All younger youth	122,275	69.8	88,539	67.1	85.4
Age					
14 to 15	46,078	64.9	26,017	69.0	87.6
16 to 17	56,019	69.6	44,872	68.4	84.9
18	20,178	73.0	17,650	63.0	81.8
Female	64,343	70.8	47,628	68.9	85.7
Male	57,767	68.6	40,872	65.1	85.0
Individual with a disability	20,202	68.6	14,770	75.2	86.8
Race and ethnicity					
Hispanic	37,027	75.6	26,111	69.0	86.5
Not Hispanic					
American Indian or Alaskan Native (only)	1,557	61.3	1,298	59.8	82.2
Asian (only)	2,410	73.6	2,121	81.2	88.8
Black or African American (only)	44,508	66.0	30,635	62.3	83.8
Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander (only)	466	55.5	315	49.1	82.0
White (only)	33,058	71.0	25,478	70.8	86.3
More than one race	1,461	68.5	1,131	65.4	85.1
Employed at registration	6,800	79.4	5,815	71.0	85.3
Homeless individual or runaway youth	2,184	67.9	1,798	56.3	83.3
Offender	9,060	60.2	7,234	47.4	79.3
Pregnant or parenting youth	7,226	68.3	5,942	54.2	78.9
Basic literacy skills deficiency	75,377	69.4	56,397	64.2	85.0

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Ever in foster care	5,183	64.9	4,190	61.2	85.8
Youth who needs additional assistance	72,672	69.4	49,923	68.1	86.1
Limited English-language proficiency	12,036	82.3	8,542	80.4	92.4
Single Parent	5,198	70.5	4,074	53.7	81.1
UI Claimant	3,114	66.8	1,396	57.7	82.4
Claimant referred by WPRS	364	81.2	269	66.7	76.2
UI Exhaustee	622	65.4	507	51.9	73.7
Low income	100,482	69.8	74,699	67.1	85.4
Public assistance recipient	29,172	67.3	19,633	65.2	85.1
TANF	10,604	67.8	7,404	63.6	85.2
Other public assistance recipient	21,649	66.8	14,089	65.8	84.9
Highest grade completed					
8 <sup>th</sup> or less	31,972	61.5	18,338	52.9	85.8
Some high school	78,273	70.6	62,422	69.5	85.4
High school graduate	6,796	80.8	5,237	0.0	82.9
High school equivalency	916	70.4	847	.	80.2
Some postsecondary	355	83.3	355	.	86.2
Attending School	96,764	71.4	67,392	77.4	87.1
High school or less	93,516	71.2	64,410	77.8	87.1
Alternative school	1,106	70.8	1,611	66.6	84.7
Postsecondary	2,142	80.4	1,371	.	83.2
Not attending school	25,202	67.2	21,048	45.3	78.9
High school dropout	19,131	62.8	15,947	45.3	77.9
High school graduate or equivalent	6,071	79.1	5,101	.	82.6

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<b>Services</b>					
Younger youth statewide programs	6,941	67.5	6,020	56.9	85.1
Younger youth local programs	119,818	70.0	85,861	67.9	85.4
Partner program participant	35,153	70.4	25,689	59.7	85.1
Youth activities					
Educational achievement services	66,499	69.4	52,388	66.4	85.4
Employment services	63,398	72.3	47,565	69.6	86.0
Summer youth employment opportunities	47,594	71.8	31,546	76.8	87.3
Leadership development opportunities	36,656	71.0	28,576	71.9	87.4
Additional support for youth services	55,010	70.2	41,382	68.6	84.7
Received follow-up services for 12 months <sup>3</sup>	45,664	72.3	14,470	74.6	88.7
Needs-related payments	7,134	69.7	5,391	71.9	83.5
Other supportive services	33,654	73.7	24,776	69.6	87.3
Enrolled in education	94,823	70.1	71,601	70.7	85.6
Pell Grant recipient	746	83.5	737	83.1	88.9

Note: Performance measures exclude individuals with qualifying exit reasons. Number of exiters includes those excluded from the performance measures. Skill attainment rate is based on only on exiters and not on continuing participants. It includes goals attained or expired without attainment before April 2007. This differs from the official goal attainment rate, which includes continuing participants and counts any goals attained for expired without attainment between April 2006 and March 2007.

<sup>1</sup> Excludes younger youth who were attending high school at exit.

<sup>2</sup> Excludes younger youth who were high school graduates or the equivalent at registration and younger youth who were still attending high school at exit.

<sup>3</sup> Includes only those who exited before July 1, 2006.