

# JOB CORPS Quarterly Highlights Report

Through December 31, 2010

PY 2010, 2nd Quarter

Established in 1964, Job Corps is the nation's largest residential, educational, and career technical training program for at-risk young people ages 16 through 24. The 124 Job Corps centers nationwide provide an integrated, comprehensive array of services that include: academic, career technical, and life skills training; career planning and work-based learning; health care; and post-program placement and transition support.

## PERFORMANCE INDICATORS PY 2010 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2010

Measure	PY 09 Goal	PY 09 Result	PY 10 Goal	1st Quarter	2nd Quarter	3rd Quarter	4th Quarter	PY 10 YTD
Entered Employment/Education	75%	66%	65.3%	79%	74%			76.4%
Attained HSD/GED or Vocational Certificate	55%	61%	56%	62%	66%			63.8%
Achieved Literacy or Numeracy Gains	58%	64%	59%	65%	66%			65.4%

Source: Common Measures Report as of 12/31/10

### NATIONAL NUMBERS

Enrollments (New Arrivals) . . . . .	26,917
Average On-Board Strength . . . . .	42,781
	(97.5% of plan)
Average Lengths of Stay	
All Separations . . . . .	9.1 months
Graduates . . . . .	12.3 months
Total Separations . . . . .	27,383
ZT Separations . . . . .	10%
AWOL Separations . . . . .	18%

### STUDENT OUTCOMES

Attained HSD . . . . .	4,767
Attained GED . . . . .	4,774
Attained CTT . . . . .	15,600
Graduate Placements . . . . . 88.8%	
Graduate Hourly Wage . . . . .	\$9.40
Grad/Former Enrollee Placements . . . . . 76%	
Placed in Job or Military . . . . .	59%
Average Hourly Wage . . . . .	\$9.14
Placed in Education . . . . .	18%

Sources: Cumulative OBS, MPO-35, OMS-10, OAOMS-10 as of 12/31/10

## Job Corps' Centers for Excellence Implementation

Job Corps is involved in a major transformation to a standards-based education and training system that will prepare students to compete and succeed in the 21st century workplace. Implementation of this delivery system and model is now being field tested at the "Centers for Excellence" (CFEs) before program-wide rollout. New admissions and center operation requirements, newly developed curricula, and proven instructional approaches will be complemented by revised course designs, class scheduling, the use of cohort enrollments, and other changes to existing practices. The three centers are Pinellas in Florida, Denison in Iowa, and Long Beach in California. Throughout the next program year, Job Corps will continue to support the CFEs as they test and refine implementation strategies and practices to inform system-wide implementation. Job Corps will focus on supporting the operations of the CFEs by ensuring appropriate facility adaptations are made, operational requirements are refined, and instructional staff are prepared to deliver rigorous and relevant training.

