

JOB CORPS Quarterly Highlights Report

Through March 31, 2010
PY 2009, 3rd Quarter

Established in 1964, Job Corps is the nation's largest residential, educational, and career technical training program for at-risk youth, ages 16 through 24. The 123 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 2009 (7/1/09 - 6/30/10)

Measure	PY 08 Goal	PY 08 Result	PY 09 Goal	1st Quarter	2nd Quarter	3rd Quarter	4th Quarter	PY 09 YTD
Entered Employment/Education	74%	66%	75%	67%	65%	63%		65%
Attained HSD/GED or Vocational Certificate	54%	55%	55%	56%	62%	59%		59%
Achieved Literacy or Numeracy Gains	54%	58%	58%	62%	65%	64%		63%

Source: Common Measures Report (3/31/10)

NATIONAL NUMBERS

Enrollments (New Arrivals).....	44,528
Average On-board Strength	43,298
(98.7% of plan)	
Average Lengths of Stay	
All Separations	8.7 months
Graduates.....	12.2 months
Total Separations	43,319
ZT Separations	11%
AWOL Separations.....	22%

STUDENT OUTCOMES

Attained HSD.....	6,532
Attained GED	7,631
Attained CTT	22,117
Graduate Placements.....	
Graduate Hourly Wage	\$9.15
Grad/Former Enrollee Placements	
Placed in Job or Military	47%
Average Hourly Wage	\$8.97
Placed in Education.....	18%

Sources: Cumulative OBS, MPO-35, OMS-10, OAOMS-10 (3/31/10)

Message from Edna Primrose, National Director



Thank you all for the warm welcome you have extended to me since I was appointed National Director. I am honored to serve as leader and steward of the Job Corps program, particularly during this time of exciting changes. The Office of Job Corps' transfer back to our former "home," the U.S. Department of Labor's Employment and Training Administration (ETA), is one of the major changes our program is currently undergoing. The move will be completed in the coming months, and every effort is being made to ensure a seamless transition for all stakeholders.

Another significant development for Job Corps is the momentum behind the reauthorization of the Workforce Investment Act (WIA). ETA has been given the opportunity to recommend proposed language for this important legislation, which authorizes the Job Corps program under Title I-C. As the administration and Congress move toward passage of WIA reauthorization, Job Corps' mission is to keep the focus on our students' success through our comprehensive and effective service delivery system.



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