COVID-19: Employee Training Assistance Fund

WorkSource has grant funds to help companies enhance IT & Software employee skills during the COVID crisis and its aftermath.

With employees working from home, now is a great time to help them advance their skills. Here’s how you can offset costs and strengthen your workforce.

How do companies benefit?

- Financial assistance to support the costs of training and advancing your employees
- Companies select trainings and vendors. WorkSource sponsors training

Who’s eligible?

- Companies seeking to skill up and advance their IT and software employees in target occupation groups (listed below)
- Funds support training that leads to certifications, degrees or other industry recognized credentials

How does it work?

- You identify your workforce skill development needs and apply for funds to support accelerated training for your employees
- You pick the employees, you pick the training
- WorkSource quickly reviews and approves applications
- You support your employees in training and advance them upon training completion. WorkSource reimburses your business based on agreed upon amounts

IT and Software target occupations

- Hardware Engineers
- Software Engineers
- Computer Support and all other Specialists
- DevOps Engineers
- Network Systems Administrators
- Systems Architects
- Data Scientists
- Scrum Master

Training Examples

- CompTIA
- Cisco
- Programming
- Cyber Security
- Scrum
- VMware
- Big Data
- AWS

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