



# **WIOA Youth Incentive Process**

#### **References:**

- Employ Milwaukee Policy: WIOA Policy 17-03, Change 1, including Attachment A <u>https://www.employmilwaukee.org/Employ-MKE/Service-Providers/17.03Change1YouthIncentivePolicyEff08.25.22.pdf</u>
- WIOA Title 1-A & 1-B Policy & Procedure Manual Chapter 10.6, <u>https://dwd.wisconsin.gov/wioa/policy/10/10.6.htm</u>
- WIOA Youth Incentive Checklist (To be completed prior to submitting to EMI for approval) <u>https://www.employmilwaukee.org/Employ-MKE/Service-Providers/YouthIncentiveChecklist02.01.24.pdf</u>

### **10.6.4 Documentation Requirements**

Effective date: September 4, 2018

- The participant's ISS must identify the work experience, education or training that s/he plans to undertake and the corresponding incentive award(s) to be provided.
- The participant's file must include documentation of the achievement of each milestone for which s/he received an incentive.
- The incentive payment(s) must be recorded in ASSET.
- The payments must be documented and processed through a voucher or similar method.

#### Process:

- 1. Read the documents referenced above.
- 2. Answer the following question: Has the program element already began? If yes, do not proceed as the incentive will not be allowable. If no, proceed with the steps below.

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- 3. On Attachment A of EMI's Youth Incentive Policy, identify the:
  - a. Type of Milestone
  - b. If there are any conditions
  - c. The associated service
  - d. Documentation Requirements
  - e. The Incentive Payment

# Document the Need for the incentive and justify issuance of the award in the participant's ISS and in ASSET Customer Notes. Required ASSET Entries:

The Participant's Individual Service Strategy (ISS) MUST identify the work experience, education, or training that the participant plans to undertake and the corresponding incentive award. This means to include the incentive when the program element is identified and added to the ISS. (The incentive **must not** be added to the ISS after the corresponding program element has started).

The Incentive milestone must be identified on the ISS (MUST BE COMPLETED PRIOR TO START OF PROGRAM ELEMENT, preferably at time of the initial ISS development so the incentives are on the ISS, signed by the participant).

#### Incentives must be identified in the following areas (overview):

- 1. Youth Skill Attainments and Youth services: Education, training, or work experience (if applicable)
- 2. Customer Notes
- 3. Incentive service: Planned Service Open/Close Date

#### **Details:**

1. Youth Skill Attainment Goal and Youth Services: Education, Training, or Work Experience (if applicable) Comments Section. Once the Associated Service (if applicable), any conditions, documentation, and the incentive payment are identified, they need to be added to the Youth Skill Attainment and Services section. The details of the incentive need to be entered in the comments section.

Yout	n Skill Attainment							
*	Goal Type:	Occupational Skills						
*	Goal:	To obtain MC3						
		caution 200 character limit						
*	Performance Related Goal:	® Yes ○ No ○ No Response						
*	Contract ID:	Select Contract ID						
	Old Contract ID:							
*	Goal Attainment Status:	Set, but attainment pending V						
*	Goal Set Date:	07/23/2020 [mm/dd/yyyy] Set As Today						
*	Planned Date of Attainment:	12/30/2020 [mm/dd/yyyy] Set As Today						
	Incentive payment of \$XX will be provided to the participant for completing (fill in type of milestone here) and submitting the (enter required documention here). Additionally, (add here if there are any conditions identified on Attachment A)							

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#### 2. Enter Case Notes in ASSET:

С	ustomer Note Details	
		Save
Cus	stomer Note Information:	
	Note ID:	Not Yet Assigned
*	Note Date:	[mm//dd/yyyy] Set As Today
*	Summary:	Incentive Added to ISS for (program element name)
	Comments:	Copy and paste comments from the ISS comments field here. or enter: "Incentive payment of \$ (amount) is planned to be provided to the participant for completing (fill in the type of milestone here) and submitting the (required documentation). Additionally (add here if there are any conditions identified on Attachment A of the EMI Incentive Policy)

#### 3. You must have the Incentive service entered in ASSET Services with Planned Service Open and Close Dates.

Incentives			Payment for achievement of program milestones directly tied to work experience, education, or training.					
Program Name: Program Area:				Title 1 Youth				
Service Information Service Name: Service Category: * Open: (One of the following is	required)			Incentives Youth Program Elements				
Planned Service Date:	[mn	m/dd/yyyy] Se	et As Today					
Actual Service Date:	[mn	m/dd/yyyy] Se	et As Today	Add the Planned Service Open and				
* Close: (One of the following is	required)			Close Dates (this should align with the Planned Close Date of the				
Planned Service Date:	[mn	m/dd/yyyy] Se	et As Today	Associate Service identified on Attachment A of the EMI Youth Incentive Policy.				
Actual Service Date:	[mn	m/dd/yyyy]	et As Today					
Funding Source:		~						

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*	Pay-For-Performance:	○ Yes ○ No ⑧ No Response		Yellow highlighted items need to be completed when adding the service, the green details
*	Incentive Activity Type 🗿	☑ Training		must be completed after the Program Element is completed.
*	Milestone Achieved:			· ·
*	Incentive Amount:	\$		
	Provider Name:			
	Provider Text:			
	Weekly Training Participation Completion Code:	Hours:		Enter status upon completion or if not completed, upon exit.
	Location of Training:			
	Comments:		Add Associated service add voud	Service Name when entering service, when completing the service when completing the service when the service
				caution 500 character limit

## Required ETO Entries once milestone is achieved:

1. Complete Incentive Touchpoint in ETO.

Incentive for	2/18/2021
Incentive	
Funding Source *	
	<b>v</b>
Incentive Date * mm/dd/yyyy	Date the Incentive was earned (Not the date you received the documentation)
Incentive Category *	
Select	<b>v</b>
Incentive Amount * \$	Amount will auto fill when Incentive Category is selected.

Incentive Category \*

Select	~
Select	-
1. Attain High School Diploma	
2. Attain GED/HSED	
-	
19. Completing Community Service/Volunteer Hours	Ψ.
20. Entrepreneurial Training or Planning	
21. Basic Certifications	
22. Achievement of National Career Readiness Certificate (NCRC) at bronze level or higher	
23. Study Skills Improvement	
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	<ul> <li>Select <ol> <li>Attain High School Diploma</li> <li>Attain GED/HSED</li> <li>Pass a Component of the GED Test</li> <li>Achieve a "Likely to Pass" Score on a GED Practice Test</li> <li>Return to Secondary School</li> <li>Secondary School Attendance</li> <li>Achieve Post-Secondary Certificate or Degree</li> <li>Application to Post-Secondary School</li> <li>Completion of FAFSA or other financial aid application</li> <li>Enrollment in Post-Secondary School</li> <li>Completing a Resume</li> <li>Completing a Informational Interview</li> <li>Completing Objective Assessment</li> <li>Obtaining Unsubsidized Employment</li> <li>Retaining Unsubsidized Employment</li> <li>Developing a Resource Plan for Addressing Barriers</li> <li>Completing Community Service/Volunteer Hours</li> <li>Entrepreneurial Training or Planning</li> <li>Basic Certifications</li> </ol></li></ul>

25. Achieve a Basic Skills Level Increase

26. Completing a Work Experience

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#### 2. Complete Submit Voucher Touchpoint in ETO

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Identifier: WIOA Youth
/oucher Detail Disbursements I Itemized Amounts Voucher Status
Payment Method *       100% Cost Reimbursement <ul> <li>✓</li> <li>✓</li></ul>
Voucher Effective From Date: Anticipated Date the specific class or service covered by this voucher will start
Voucher Effective Through Date: Anticipated Date the specific class or service covered by this voucher will end.
The From and Through Date may not exceed 6 months. The 'Through Date' may not extend beyond the Entire Training End Date.
Voucher Effective From * mm/dd/yyyy
Voucher Effective Through * mm/dd/yyyy 📰
Pay To * Participant  Voucher Effective Dates need to align with the Program Element Dates the Incentive is being awarded for.

Submit Voucher for the second se
Identifier: WIOA Youth E
Voucher Detail Disbursements Itemized Amounts Voucher Status
Voucher Funding Source: * WIOA Youth Services (ISY)  View Entity
Fund Type: * Incentive
NOTE: Please select the related incentive record below for this voucher. The drop down list contains all incentive records in the following format: [Incentive Date] [Incentive Category] [Incentive Amount] [Fund Type]
Select the Incentive Record related to this Voucher *

Voucher Detail Disbursements Itemized Amounts Voucher Status
Total Incentive Amount * \$ 100
Amount: \$ 100 Notes * 3
Add the aligning Program Element completed on date and what documentation was submitted for verification.

- 3. Submit Voucher Touchpoint Fields
  - a. Payment Method = 100% Cost Reimbursement
  - b. Voucher Effective From/Through Dates = Date Incentive was earned
  - c. Pay to = Participant
  - d. Fund Type = Incentive
  - e. In the Notes field, add the type of incentive earned.

View Vouchers to see total:

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Other			\$0.00	Child Care	\$0.00											
				Employment/Training	\$0.00					y Milwaukee'			-			
				Medical	\$0.00			-		incentive vol				s		
				Other	\$0.00					o ensure the new incentive falls within						
Grand	Total		\$0.00	Grand Total	\$0.00		any limitations.									
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	dit 211591			program Name		2/8/21	2/16/21	Jun Date.	chu Daus	100% Cost Reimbursem		Coue	WIOA Youth Services (I			

- 4. Complete Youth Incentive Checklist Form.
- 5. Voucher Packet includes printed voucher, completed Youth Incentive Checklist Form, Proof of Incentive earned, signed ISS showing incentive was identified prior to start of the service, and a completed W4 if a current one is not on file (must enter W4/WT4 in ETO).
  - a. Submit voucher packet to ITAvoucher@employmilwaukee.org
    - i. Email subject line must include Participant Name, ASSET PIN, Program Name, Type of Voucher
      - 1. Example: Suzy Fake (#321456) UNCOM ISY Incentive Voucher
  - b. Approval Process
    - i. Payroll
      - 1. Career Planner submits voucher packet to Program Specialist.
      - 2. The Program Specialist reviews the voucher packet.
        - a. If complete, enter "Approved" with Date in the Voucher Status section of the Submit Voucher Touchpoint.
        - b. Add an incentive approval customer note to ASSET
        - c. Email Career Planner the approved/signed packet so they can upload to ASSET Documents.
      - 3. The Program Specialist turns the voucher packet into the Fiscal Dept. and payroll processes it according to the subsidized payroll schedule.

#### **Helpful Tips:**

ASSET Incentive Service (must have Incentive Service for each incentive youth is eligible for and identified on ISS)

- Planned Open and Close Dates should align with the associated incentive planned attainment date.
- Incentive Service Actual Open and Close Dates should match the date the incentive was attained.
- Incentive Voucher effective start date should be when the milestone was achieved and the voucher effective end date should be one month from the voucher effective start date.
- Add service completion code once the outcome is determined.
- Add voucher # to the Comments section once the incentive is attained and the voucher is processed.
- Career Planner must case note the submission of Incentive voucher to EMI for approval.
- Career Planner must case note the incentive completion in ASSET Customer Notes.

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