



LEVERAGING CTE
TO **STRENGTHEN**
COLORADO COMMUNITIES



CTE Regional Needs Assessment Kick-Off

September 9, 2021

Colorado CTE Mission



CTE ensures a thriving **Colorado economy** by providing relevant and rigorous education that is ***connected, responsive and real.***



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The Strengthening Career and Technical Education (CTE) for the 21st Century Act (Perkins V), specifically states that “To be eligible to receive financial assistance under this part, an eligible recipient shall—(A) conduct a comprehensive local needs assessment related to career and technical education and include the results of the needs assessment in the local application submitted under subsection (a); and (B) **not less than once every 2 years, update such comprehensive local needs assessment.**”(Section 134(c))



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CLNA – Key Dates



September 9
– Kickoff
webinar

September to October –
local/regional
homework as
needed and
assessment
of progress
toward goals

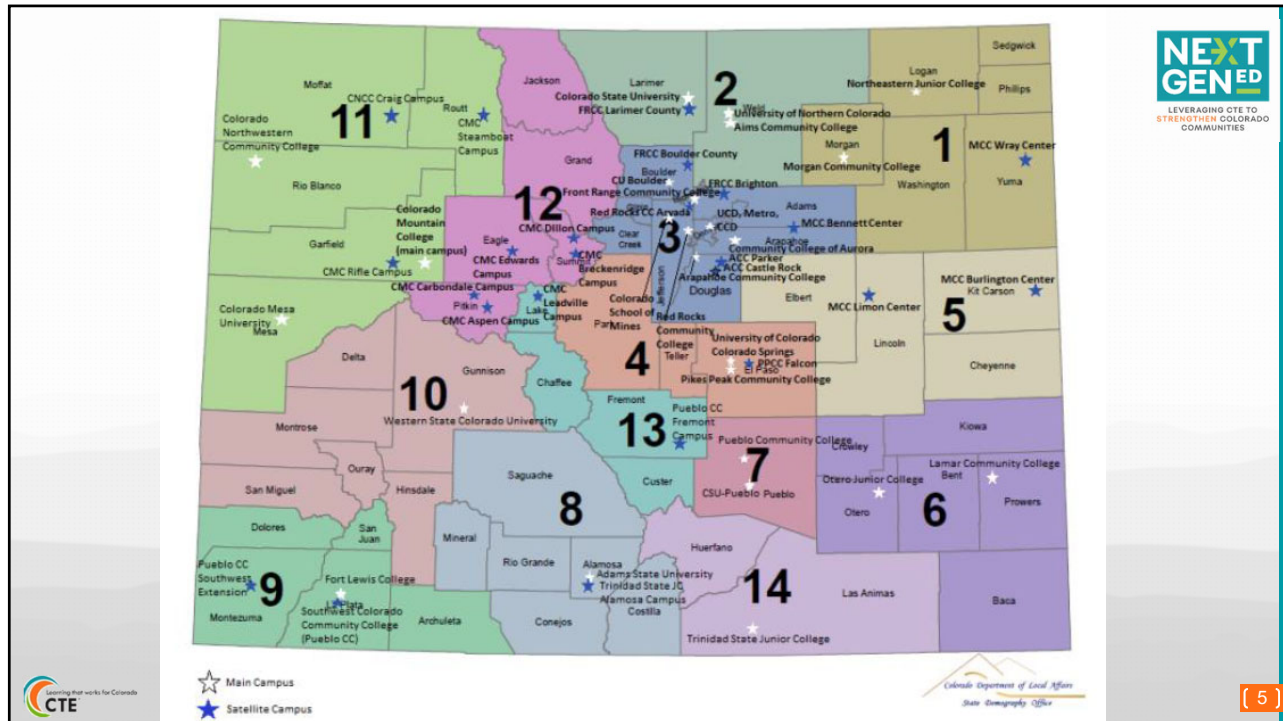
October to November -
Regional
Meetings to
refresh CLNA

Late November –
Finalize
signatures

December 1
deadline to
submit final
CLNA to
CCCS



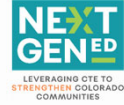
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To-Do List to Prepare for the 2021 CLNA:

- Engage each entity in your region to begin coordination process.
- Identify an individual or team that will coordinate the communication & meetings.
- Complete the CCCS survey for specific support requests for your region and to sign up for an available CCCS facilitator timeslot as desired.
- Begin gathering relevant stakeholder feedback and reviewing local level documentation, data, and any homework determined in your region in preparation for a fall regional meeting.

Resources



- CLNA Handbook
- Worksheets
- Resource Guide
- List of Regional Assignments and Contacts
- Grant Funded Project Alignment Worksheet to Assess Alignment to Priorities
- CCCS Facilitator(s) to Support Regional Meetings (Virtually)
- Customized supports as requested (cte@cccs.edu)



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Spending Alignment to Priorities



Needs Assessment	Region	FourYearStrategicPlanElement	ProjectTitleElement	TotalAward	TotalBudgeted	CountOf Projects
	4	Local Workforce Alignment		\$88,644.00	\$0.00	0
	4	Progress toward Improving Equity		\$88,644.00	\$0.00	0
	4		Career Advisement & Development	\$88,644.00	\$11,003.00	1
	4		Recruitment & Retention of Faculty/Staff	\$88,644.00	\$3,862.00	1
	4		Size, Scope & Quality	\$88,644.00	\$8,070.00	1
	4	Work-based Learning	Work-based Learning	\$88,644.00	\$65,709.00	1
	4	Progress toward Improving Equity		\$293,906.00	\$0.00	0
	4	Size, Scope & Quality	Size, Scope & Quality	\$293,906.00	\$228,161.00	1
	4	Work-based Learning	Work-based Learning	\$293,906.00	\$65,745.00	1
	4	Career Advisement & Development		\$87,906.00	\$0.00	0
	4	Progress toward Improving Equity		\$87,906.00	\$0.00	0
	4		Local Workforce Alignment	\$87,906.00	\$26,000.00	1
	4		Recruitment & Retention of Faculty/Staff	\$87,906.00	\$63,012.00	2
	4	Size, Scope & Quality	Size, Scope & Quality	\$87,906.00	\$46,800.00	2
	4		Student Performance	\$87,906.00	\$20,000.00	1
	4	Work-based Learning	Work-based Learning	\$87,906.00	\$20,000.00	1
	4	Career Advisement & Development		\$54,247.00	\$0.00	0
	4	Size, Scope & Quality		\$54,247.00	\$0.00	0
	4		Progress toward Improving Equity	\$54,247.00	\$5,855.00	1
	4		Student Performance	\$54,247.00	\$29,832.00	2
	4	Work-based Learning	Work-based Learning	\$54,247.00	\$18,560.00	1
	4	Work-based Learning		\$157,739.00	\$0.00	0
	4	Recruitment & Retention of Faculty/Staff	Recruitment & Retention of Faculty/Staff	\$157,739.00	\$22,721.94	1
	4	Size, Scope & Quality	Size, Scope & Quality	\$157,739.00	\$130,738.64	3



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Colorado CTE Goals



- GOAL 1** **Career Advisement & Development** – Ensure each Colorado Learner has access to ongoing career advisement and development.
- GOAL 2** **Instructor Recruitment & Retention** – Develop and ensure a viable pipeline of CTE instructors to fill the educator positions at the middle school, secondary, and postsecondary levels.
- GOAL 3** **Partnerships** – Prepare Colorado’s future workforce through transformational partnerships.
- GOAL 4** **Quality Programs** – Elevate the quality of CTE programs to support each learner’s skill development and meet industry needs.
- GOAL 5** **Work-Based Learning** – Ensure access to meaningful work-based learning opportunities for each CTE learner.

FOUNDATIONAL ELEMENTS	EQUITY & ACCESS Create opportunities for each learner to access quality CTE programs and distribution of CTE programs throughout the state.
	INCLUSIVITY Provide each learner with the opportunity to participate in a CTE program and decrease the gaps of CTE participation for target populations, non-traditional occupations, and geographic areas.



Questions?

