



Maine's Health Care Grant

October, 2011 Project Update

Project Goal

To increase the supply and employment of credentialed health care workers in high-demand occupations.

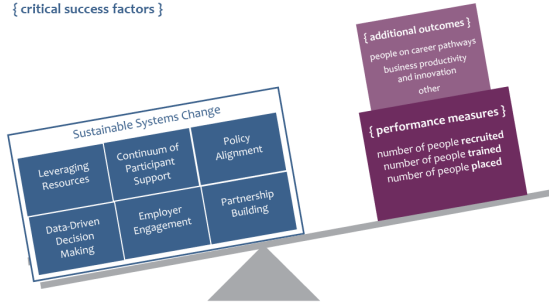


4 Primary Objectives

- Increase the number of employees and unemployed workers who advance their training and earn healthcare credentials.
- Reduce Maine's clinical training bottleneck
- Improve access to information about health career pathways
- Maintain and strengthen partnerships between employer, education and workforce sectors

Critical Grant Success Factors

{ critical success factors }



How are we doing?



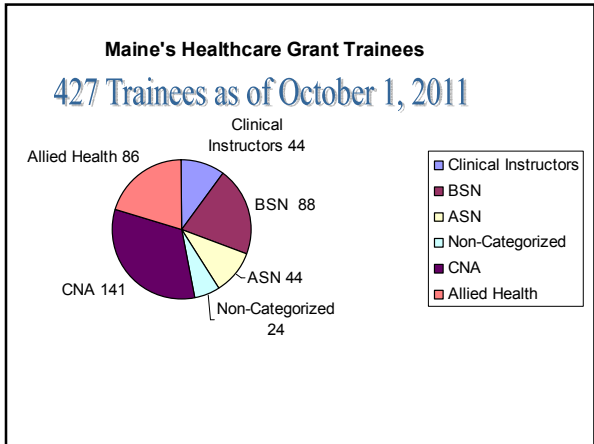
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Increasing Numbers

427 individuals enrolled in training programs

| | Clinical Instructors | Bachelor's Degree Nurses | Associate's Degree Nurses | Allied Health Trainees | Certified Nursing Assistants | Non-Categorized Trainees | Totals |
|--------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|--------|
| Current Statewide Totals | 44 | 88 | 44 | 86 | 141 | 24 | 427 |
| Statewide Targets | n/a | 50 | 50 | 100 | 200 | n/a | 400 |
| % OF TOTAL | n/a | 154% | 88% | 86% | 71% | n/a | 107% |

As of October 1, 2011

- ## Reducing the Bottleneck
- 44 trainees enrolled in clinical instructor training
 - MGH Nurse Apprenticeship/Residency Program
 - Hiring of 5 additional clinical instructors at Husson

Improving Information Access



www.myskillsmyfuture.org

www.mynextmove.org

Muskie School at USM is developing detailed career pathway tools for allied health occupations identified as being in high demand in various regions of Maine

Strengthening Partnerships

- > Fall 2011 Summit for stakeholders held 10/18/11
- > Administrative support for FORUM meetings enabled by grant funds; role of forum clarified; partnerships enhanced; collaboration continues
- > Regional conversations identifying employer needs and developing/matching with resources continue

NEXT STEP

Continue to develop regionally specific strategies for allocating remaining training funds to meet employer needs by ensuring a well trained workforce.

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