

About the LEAD Center:

The LEAD Center is a policy development center focused on the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) that improves employment and economic advancement outcomes for people with disabilities by supporting effective WIOA implementation. LEAD is led by National Disability Institute (NDI) and is fully funded by the Office of Disability Employment Policy (ODEP), U.S. Department of Labor, Grant No. OD-38977-22-75-4-11.

Purpose of Dissemination:

To ensure material, tools, and resources from the LEAD Center reach and support diverse communities based on race/ethnicity, geography, gender, sexual orientation, disability, veteran-status, and those who have multiple intersecting identities.







Visit the @LEADCtr webinar archive, "Race, Ethnicity and Disability: The Financial Impact of Systemic Inequality," to learn how practitioners in the workforce development field are applying lessons learned about race, disability, and poverty. bit.ly/3uTqjQS

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The Partnership on Employment & Accessible Technology (PEAT) is helping creators and implementors of state digital equity plans engage with organizations that empower people with disabilities (#PWDs) to participate fully in their communities with a new resource. Explore "Digital Equity and the Disability Ecosystem: Finding Local, Regional, and National Connections" for information n inclusive digital equity planning and more! bit.ly/3v3Lvng

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"African American workers and job seekers with disabilities represent a diverse, talented group that can fill workforce gaps and be a part of the solution."

The National Black Caucus of State Legislators (NBCSL), in collaboration with ODEP's State Exchange on Employment & Disability (SEED), hosted a virtual exchange on ways to equitably include people with disabilities (#PWDs) in workforce policies and practices.

Explore "State Policy Power: How to Increase Workforce Equity Through Disability Inclusion" for more on the collaboration, including a webinar archive, legislative victories, resources, and more! bit.ly/3lhZM31

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