

## Ohio Disability Employment Initiative (OHDEI) Customized Employment Training And Technical Assistance Services

The Ohio Department of Jobs and Family Services & Griffin-Hammis Associates are sponsoring classroom training, on-line instruction, special topics webinars, and technical assistance on Customized Employment to staff, agencies, and partners of the One-Stop who support individuals with significant disabilities and complex barriers to employment. All training is offered as part of the OWD Customized Employment Training and Technical Assistance Services and provided by the staff of Griffin-Hammis Associates LLC.

### **ACRE Certificate Series**

A training series resulting in an optional National Certificate in Community Employment Services through the **Association of Community Rehabilitation Educators (ACRE)** will be offered. For those interested in receiving the ACRE Certificate, you must attend ***all*** training sessions.

#### **Two-Day Customized Employment & Discovery**

#### **Two-Day Customized Job Development and Interest-Based Negotiation for Community Employment**

#### **Two-Day Systematic Instruction and Natural Supports**

#### **Two-Day Social Security Work Incentives; Microenterprise: Business Idea Development and Feasibility Testing**

### **Self-Employment Quick Launch**

Two-day hands-on functional classroom training on Customized Self-Employment. This highly structured seminar for teams of participants, will work together to create the major elements of a microenterprise plan for a job seeker with a disability or other complex barriers to employment.

### **On-Line Asynchronous classes is Customized Employment or Self Employment**

On-line classes that can be completed at your own pace that cover ***either*** Customized Employment or Self Employment. Each course is comprised of 5 classes that provide a certificate of completion for each section. The entire series of classes will take between 10 and 12 hours to complete, at your own pace from your computer. These classes provide One Stop staff and stakeholders with knowledge of the concepts, processes, and approaches involved with CE and self-employment. Up to 12 One-Stop staff and stakeholders in each area will be selected to receive this training.

### **Specialty Topic Webinars**

Webinars of two hours in duration will be provided that add additional content to the Customized Employment trainings. These webinars will be developed by the needs of each site and can include topics such as Community Action Teams, evidence based-practice, job site support strategies, social security, Discovery, or other topics identified by location needs.

### ***Who should attend and participate in these Customized Employment Training sessions?***

One-Stop staff, partner agencies, Employment Specialists working for Ohio RSC funded agencies, Developmental Disabilities Community Service Providers, Mental Health service provider agencies, Vocational Counselors, Educators, School Transition staff, Support Coordinators, Employment Stakeholders, Family Members, Community Members

