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TO: District Adult Education Directors Florida College System Adult Education Directors

Via: Chancellor2@fldoe.org

SUBJECT: Integrated Education and Training (IET) Resources

Greetings and Happy New Year!

Attached please find two Integrated Education and Training (IET) resources. The first attachment is an updated IET Guide. It includes important background information, templates and resources essential for the development/scaling of IET opportunities.

The second attachment provides 16 models for IET programs currently in use across the state. The models represent in-demand industry clusters (e.g., Architecture & Construction, Health Science, Transportation, Distribution & Logistics) that lead to high skill, mid to high wage careers.

As you know, all Adult Education providers will be required to submit a new IET program for 2022-2023. IET remains a priority for the Department principally because of its ability to accelerate an adult learner's time to completion and enrollment in a postsecondary credentialing program. No longer should we divorce the majority of basic skills education, high school equivalency course work, and/or English for speakers of other languages from quality postsecondary workforce training. To that end, we hope these models will not only assist you in that process but inspire new partnerships with area WIOA partners and/or industry.

For questions or further guidance, please do not hesitate to contact Dr. Ashley Yopp, Bureau Chief, Adult Education at <u>Ashley.Yopp@fldoe.org</u> or Rachel Ludwig, State Director of Professional Development and Provider Performance at <u>Rachel.Ludwig@fldoe.org</u>.

Best, and thank you for your commitment to our adult learners.

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