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Department of Community and Human Services

Developmental Disabilities Division (KCDDD)

**School-to-Work (S2W) Models, Partnerships, and**

**Agency Eligibility Requirements**

S2W Models

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| **General Model** | |
| Length of time providing KCDDD- contracted Individual Employment (IE) services | Minimum one year |
| Contract status with KCDDD | Monitoring completed. Agency in satisfactory compliance, as determined by KCDDD |
| % of participants served by agency in IE who are competitively employed | Meets the current S2W average for participants employed (2014: 58%) |
| Department of Social and Health Services (DSHS), Division of Vocational Rehabilitation (DVR) status | Agency holds and maintains a current DSHS/DVR Community Rehabilitation Program contract for Community Based Assessment, Job Placement, and Intensive Training services |

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| **District Model** | |
| Length of time providing KCDDD-contracted IE services | Minimum one year |
| Length of time providing General Model S2W services | Minimum two years |
| Contract status with KCDDD | Monitoring completed. Agency in satisfactory compliance, as determined by KCDDD |
| % of participants served by agency in IE who are competitively employed | Meets the current S2W average for participants employed (2014: 58%) |
| DSHS/DVR status | Agency holds and maintains a current DSHS/DVR Community Rehabilitation Program contract for Community Based Assessment, Job Placement, and Intensive Training services |
| School District stakeholder committee selection | Agency is selected for participation by a School District stakeholder committee. |

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| **Agency Collaborative Model** | |
| Length of time providing KCDDD-contracted IE services | Minimum one year |
| Length of time providing General Model S2W services | Minimum two years |
| Contract status with KCDDD | Monitoring completed. Agency in satisfactory compliance, as determined by KCDDD |
| % of participants served in IE with high acuity who are competitively employed | Meets the current S2W average for employed participants with high acuity (2014: 41%) |
| DSHS/DVR status | Agency holds and maintains a current DSHS/DVR Community Rehabilitation Program contract for Community Based Assessment, Job Placement, and Intensive Training services |
| Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) | Agency enters into a KCDDD-approved MOA with other organizations participating in the Agency Collaborative Model |

S2W Partnerships

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| [***Project SEARCH***](http://www.projectsearch.us/) | |
| Length of time providing KCDDD- contracted IE services | Minimum one year |
| Length of time providing General Model S2W services | Minimum two years |
| Contract status with KCDDD | Monitoring completed. Agency in satisfactory compliance, as determined by KCDDD |
| % of participants served by agency in IE who are competitively employed | Meets the current S2W average for participants employed (2014: 58%) |
| DSHS/DVR status | Agency holds and maintains a current DSHS/DVR Community Rehabilitation Program contract for Community Based Assessment, Job Placement, and Intensive Training services |
| Formal agreement, *Project SEARCH* licensing agreement, and “model fidelity” | Agency enters into a formal agreement with community partners, including school district, DSHS/DVR, and host business, with one partner holding the *Project SEARCH* licensing agreement and contract. Agency meets all requirements of [*Project SEARCH*](http://www.projectsearch.us/)to ensure “model fidelity” |

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| **College Partnership** | |
| Length of time providing KCDDD-contracted IE services | Minimum one year |
| Length of time providing General Model S2W services | Minimum two years |
| Contract status with KCDDD | Monitoring completed. Agency in satisfactory compliance, as determined by KCDDD |
| % of participants served by agency in IE who are competitively employed | Meets the current S2W average for participants employed (2014: 58%) |
| DSHS/DVR status | Agency holds and maintains a current DSHS/DVR Community Rehabilitation Program contract for Community Based Assessment, Job Placement, and Intensive Training services |
| College status and setting | Agency must be part of an institution of higher learning and offer some services in college setting |