Executive Summary

Introduction to the Technical Assistance Team and Resources for Success

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This H1B-Scaling Apprenticeship webinar serves as an overall introduction to important Technical Assistance (TA) resources and to success factors that promote high-performing and sustainable projects. Presenters emphasize steps that lead to solid implementation of projects and help mitigate future problems. The webinar covers the following ground:

- Introductions to the TA team and an understanding of how to communicate with TA coaches and how the team will support projects
- Knowledge of the roles of TA coaches, Federal Project Officer (FPOs) and the National Office team
- A curated list of key TA resources designed specifically for Scaling Apprenticeship grants as well as apprenticeship resources developed by ETA more broadly
- A high-level understanding of Scaling Apprenticeship “success factors”
- Answers to your questions – and knowledge of where to go with future questions

Jan Bray, the TA Lead, presents the scope of proposed TA available to grantees. Evan Burke, the DOL Contracting Officer’s Representative, presents the Scaling Apprenticeship Community on WorkforceGPS, as well as steps to create an account on the site and join the community. Marilia Mochel, the TA project manager, shows resources available at the Scaling Apprenticeship Community on WorkforceGPS. Mason Bishop, a senior subject matter expert, discusses the Scaling Apprenticeship Success Indicators.

The indicators serve to guide TA efforts and grantees’ self-assessment. They facilitate discussions around grant progress and likelihood of success. The presentation focuses on the most important indicators in the early stages of grant implementation.

Run of Show

Overview of H-1B Scaling Apprenticeship Grantees
- TA Team
- TA Coaches

Affinity Groups
- SME and TA Coach roles

Federal Project Officer (FPO) and TA Coach roles

Introducing the Scaling Apprenticeship Community of Practice Site
- WorkforceGPS Communications

Technical Assistance Resources
- Foundational Grant Resources
- Key Grantee Performance Reporting Resources
- Apprenticeship: The Basics

Scaling Apprenticeship Success Indicators
- Success Indicator 1: Strong Organizational Management
- Success Indicator 2: Strong Operational Systems
- Success Indicator 3: Sustainability Principles
- Success Indicator 4: Effective Apprenticeship Design
- Success Indicator 5: Effective Partner Engagement
- Success Indicator 6: Effective Participant Engagement in an Apprenticeship Experience

Next Steps

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