

CAEP Professional Development for 2021

WestEd is pleased to announce that we will be launching a series of statewide webinars. These webinars will introduce you to key concepts and topics for adult educators as they relate to your CAEP work and the Adult Education Pipeline Dashboard. These webinars are the place to start preparing for your three-year plan or begin exploring the AEP data tools and resources. You can also schedule a follow up training that is tailored to your consortium, K-12 Adult School, community college noncredit program or a community college district needs.

Webinar: *The Education to Workforce Pathway: Smoothing the Route and Ensuring a Relevant Destination.* We will explore the California Regional Education to Workforce Dashboard, a tool that offers insights to how your CTE offerings (credit and noncredit) line up to your local labor market needs. This webinar will also introduce you to concrete examples of how consortia have used this data and technical assistance to identify and plan pathways that align to industry needs and attend to the learner's educational journey.

Webinar: *Understanding and Using the Adult Education Pipeline (AEP) Dashboard for Continuous Improvement.* This webinar will overview the unique features of the AEP Dashboard, how to navigate and interpret the data, and how to use the data to inform continuous improvement. This webinar will spotlight consortia that have used AEP Dashboard data to inform evaluation and Continuous Improvement efforts.

Webinar: *Get Ready for AEP 2021: New Features and Updates to the Adult Education Pipeline Dashboard.* Stay in the Know! This webinar will walk you through the changes you will find on the AEP Dashboard. These improvements include new drilldowns, definitions, and datapoints that provide more reliable and nuanced data reporting. We will address how this may be reflected in changes to program outcomes and how you can use this data for planning.

Webinar: What's NonCredit Coding Got to Do with It: Getting the Most Out of Your Data. This webinar will introduce you to the complexities of coding your noncredit outcomes so that they are represented in the CAEP dataset. Using the Metric Data Definitions Dictionary we will highlight the trickier data elements and discuss how they should be coded to ensure your learner outcomes are captured in MIS and the AEP Launchboard.

Webinar: *Three-year Consortium Planning Using the AEP Dashboard*. This webinar will identify how the AEP Dashboard can help you develop your 3-year plan. We will identify key data points, help you understand the data, including issues of data integrity and validity, other data or resources that you may want to bring to the process, and how to use these to set goals and steps to achieve these goals.

Webinar: Why Do My Data Reports Look Different: AEP Dashboard and CASAS TopsPro Enterprise. This webinar will walk through the reported outcomes on the AEP Dashboard and the CAEP Summary Reports and identify where and why your program outcomes may differ. We will visit metric definitions, self-reported and matched data elements, and why some metrics are lagging. We will discuss the importance of and use for the different reports.

Webinar: *What's it all About: CB 21, NRS Educational Functioning Levels, and Curriculum Alignment*. Delve into the purpose of AB705, what it means for CB21 courses and NRS Educational Functioning Levels (EFLs). Explore the rubrics that help you align your CB21 courses with the WIOA NRS EFLs so that your classes provide standardized content. Lastly, this webinar will overview changes to the updated AEP so that outcomes are recorded properly, and reporting opportunities are not lost.