



HIGHLIGHTS IN ADULT EDUCATION ADULTS WITH DISABILITIES



VALUABLE JOB SKILLS

Consortia have been actively planning and implementing collaborative programs that engage adults with disabilities to help this population gain valuable job skills. Member workgroups have used AEBG funds to partner with local offices of the California Department of Rehabilitation (DOR) to offer pre-employment training and career technical education to adults with disabilities. Consortia leveraged partnerships with rehabilitation specialists and community groups to build capacity on a statewide level in this program area.

\$20,793

In 2014, individuals with disabilities between ages 18-64 in California made between \$20,793 and \$22,656 compared to between \$30,753 and \$33,970 for individuals without disabilities.¹

24.5%

The poverty rate for individuals ages 18-65 with disabilities in California was between 24.5 percent and 27.6 percent compared to between 12.6 percent and 14.6 percent for individuals without disabilities.¹

¹Lewis, K. (2016). 2016 Disability Statistics Annual Report. Durham, New Hampshire: University of New Hampshire.

²Lauer, E., & Houtenville, A. (2017). Annual Disability Statistics Supplement: 2016. Durham, New Hampshire: University of New Hampshire, Institute on Disability.



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