

2015 South Dakota Statewide Summary of Post School Outcomes of 2013-2014 Exiters with Disabilities

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The major outcomes of the 2015 South Dakota Statewide Post High School Outcomes Survey are summarized below. This survey focuses on youth with disabilities who exited high school with a diploma, a certificate of attendance, reached the maximum age of eligibility for services, or dropped out of high school during the 2013-2014 school year and have been out of school for one year. The results are organized around three areas of interest.

ADULT LIVING

Assesses living arrangements and general community participation and supports

- 64% of respondents continue to live at home with their family.
- 55% of respondents are covered by their family insurance.
- 15% of respondents are covered by other insurance.
- 36% of respondents have had contact with an Adult Services Agency within the year since leaving high school.

POST SECONDARY EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Assesses participation in any type of formal postsecondary education or training since leaving high school.

- 37% of respondents are or have enrolled in some type of higher education or other postsecondary education or training program within the year since leaving high school.
- 26% of respondents are or have completed at least one term in a higher education or other postsecondary education or training program within the year since leaving high school.
 - 10% of respondents attend a University or 4-year college.
 - 1% of respondents attend a Community college or 2-year college
 - 17% of respondents attend a Vocational/Technical College (less than 2-year program).
 - 1% of respondents entered the Military.
 - 2% of respondents attend a Vocational/Technical program.
 - 1% of respondents attend a High School Completion program, including a GED program.
 - 0% of respondents participate in a Union Apprenticeship program.
 - 3% of respondents participate in an Employment training program such as the Job Corps.
 - 1% of respondents attend any other type of formal education or program since leaving high school.

EMPLOYMENT

Assesses competitive and other employment, job setting, wages and benefits

- 69% of respondents are or have been competitively employed since leaving high school. (This means they are working for pay at or above minimum wage in a setting with others who are nondisabled for a period of 20 hours per week for at least 90 days).
 - 84% of respondents have been employed at any time since leaving high school.
 - 76% of respondents have been employed for 90 days.
 - 47% of respondents are competitively employed Full-Time.
 - 27% of respondents are competitively employed Part-Time.

Of the respondents who are or have been employed for pay:

- 98% are employed in a setting with others who are not disabled.
- 91% work an average of 20 hours per week.
- 94% earn minimum wage or greater.

2015 Indicator 14 Data Collection Components

- 20%** HIGHER EDUCATION - Respondents who have been enrolled on a full- or part-time basis in a community or technical college (2-year program), or a college or university (4-year program) for at least one complete term, at any time in the year since leaving high school.
- 54%** COMPETITIVELY EMPLOYED - Respondents who have worked for pay at or above minimum wage in a setting with others who are nondisabled for a period of 20 hours per week for at least 90 days (including military employment) and have not have not completed at least one term in a higher education program at any time in the year since leaving high school.
- 1%** OTHER POSTSECONDARY - Respondents who have been enrolled on a full- or part-time basis for at least one complete term, at any time in the year in an education or training program and have not completed at least one term in a higher education program or been competitively employed at any time in the year since leaving high school.
- 7%** OTHER EMPLOYMENT - Respondents who have worked for pay or been self-employed for a period of at least 90 days and have not have not completed at least one term in a higher education or other postsecondary program, or been competitively employed, at any time in the year since leaving high school. This includes working in a family business.
- 18%** DO NOT MEET CRITERIA - Respondents who have: (a) not completed at least one term in higher education program or other postsecondary education or training; (b) never been competitively or otherwise employed; (c) have been underemployed; (d) have missing data elements.

INDICATOR 14 REPORTING MEASURES

- 20%** Comprise MEASURE A, which includes higher education respondents.
- 74%** Comprise MEASURE B, which includes higher education and competitively employed respondents.
- 82%** Comprise MEASURE C, which includes higher education, competitively employed, other postsecondary education, and other employed respondents.