Division of Business Partnerships

WORKFORCE ADVISORY



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Alaska Job Centers, Workforce Investment

Act (WIA) Grantees, Sub-Recipients, and

Eligible Training Providers

From

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SUBJECT: Discrimination is Against the Law Poster Requirement Guidance

The requirement of displaying a "Discrimination Is Against the Law!" poster (attached) is to <u>supplement not replace</u> the Equal Opportunity notice requirement of Title 29 of the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 37.30 and to ensure clientele are fully informed of their rights and understand the process for filing discrimination complaints.

The Division recommends:

- Alaska Job Centers, Eligible Training Providers and WIA Grantees prominently
 display the attached "Discrimination is Against the Law" poster. The link to obtain
 the poster is http://www.dol.gov/oasam/programs/crc/diatl.pdf. The poster
 should be updated with the inclusion of the contact information for the local Equal
 Opportunity Officer in the section titled "Where may I file a complaint? You can
 choose one of two possible places to file your complaint."
- The poster should be posted in prominent places on the premises where WIA grant related activities are conducted. The poster should be displayed so that it is accessible by all applicants for services financed under the grant, and by all applicants for employment and workers whose employment is financed by the grant.
- Alternate formats of the poster should be provided for persons with disabilities, as appropriate.

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