

# You're invited to join the Maine Workforce Development Compact



HAROLD ALFOND CENTER  
FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF  
**MAINE'S WORKFORCE**



**The Harold Alfond Center for the Advancement of Maine's Workforce** has access to \$60 million in grant funding and is poised to serve 24,000 Maine citizens:

**The Maine Workforce Development Compact** is currently comprised of 675+ businesses and associations that have signed a Memorandum of Agreement with the Center to access training grant funding.

**The training takes place** at one of Maine's community colleges or by a third-party training vendor, which could be your company-based training.

**Benefits to joining the Compact** and access to training funding including:

- Receive up to \$1,200 per front line worker through December 2022; up to a \$1,200 match is available in 2023, 2024, and 2025.
- Community college scholarships are available for staff to continue acquiring skills in a for-credit program of study.
- Employees have an advisor to assist with course selection, textbooks, tutoring services, and other resources to ensure continued success.
- The Harold Alfond Center will maintain your employees' training records

**How to join** in two steps:

1. Complete a short, online application
2. Complete the MOA by clicking the link in the confirmation email

**Eligibility** Trainees must be employees who are Maine residents, 18 years or older, with a high school diploma, GED, HiSET, or equivalent.

## WHY JOIN THE COMPACT?

### RECRUIT

From a talent pipeline of pre-hire trainees for entry level positions being trained NOW.

### ENGAGE

your frontline staff in professional development opportunities to help them move up your ranks.

### RETAIN

your employees by engaging them in growth activities while boosting your company's productivity.

## Contact Us!

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Fill out an application form:  
<https://bit.ly/JoinTheCompact>



**Maine's  
Community Colleges**