

**Walmart Brighter Futures 2.0 Project: 2015 Work Plan
Moraine Valley Community College**

Major Strategies	Action Steps	Expected Outcomes/Accomplishments	Target Date	Persons Assigned
I. Recruitment	Continue to collaborate with Admissions, TRIO, Career Programs, MVCC Foundation, and other departments to identify recent graduates and low-income students near completion in middle-skills occupational training	Project will meet intake goal	Jan-May 2015	WBF 2.0 Project Manager
II. Basic Skills & Literacy Training	Implement I-BEST model for WBF 2.0 participants enrolled in welding	Low-skilled participants will receive additional support from MVCC Welding faculty and I-BEST partner instructor, which will increase test scores and allow participants opportunities for enrollment in Welding career programs	Jan-Dec 2015	WBF 2.0 Project Manager, WBF 2.0 Project Director, Dean of Learning Enrichment and College Readiness (LECR), Dean of Career Programs
	Continue I-BEST inspired model for WBF 2.0 participants enrolled in medical records terminology	Supplemental Instruction will provide low-skilled participants additional support and increased understanding of medical terminology. Successful completers will be offered WBF 2.0 scholarship awards for Caregiver Certificate program and/or enrolled in the WIA Approved Basic Nursing Assistant Training Program	Jan-May 2015	Dean of LECR
	Offer low-skilled students contextualized healthcare bridge program		Feb-July 2015	Dean of LECR

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II. Basic Skills & Literacy Training <i>(continued)</i>	Offer contextualized manufacturing program to low-skilled GED/ESL students and high school youth	<p>Students will show gains in Post-TABE math scores to better meet college-ready standards on placement exam</p> <p>Successful completers of contextualized manufacturing program will be offered WBF 2.0 scholarships for welding career pathways and opportunities for work-based learning</p>	<p>March-August 2015</p> <p>June-December 2015</p>	<p>Dean of LECR</p> <p>WBF 2.0 Project Manager, WBF 2.0 Project Director, Dean of LECR</p>
III. Wrap-Around Support Services	<p>Participants will be referred to Career Connections Spring 2015 Resource Fair, Counseling/Advising, MVCC Foundation for scholarships, and social service providers offering financial assistance, pro-bono legal clinics, housing, childcare, and services to assist participants with overcoming barriers that may impact upon performance</p> <p>Participants will receive WBF 2.0 funded supportive services for transportation assistance and supplies so they are prepared for classes within their programs of study</p>	Students will utilize community and campus resources to address any barriers they potentially face so that they can persist and complete training programs and become employed	<p>January-December 2015</p> <p>January-December 2015</p>	<p>WBF 2.0 Project Manager, WBF 2.0 Project Director, Dean of Academic Advising</p> <p>WBF 2.0 Project Manager</p>

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IV. Middle-Skill Job Training	<p>Offer foundational career exploration programs in Healthcare for GED/ESL participants</p> <p>Provide low-skilled participants with I-BEST Instruction during manufacturing programs</p> <p>Provide employment assistance and supportive services to low-income, low-skilled participants nearing completion in middle-skills training</p>	<p>Successful completers of healthcare bridge program will be awarded WBF 2.0 scholarships for Caregiver Certificate or co-enroll in WIA Approved Basic Nursing Assistant Training Program</p> <p>Participants can choose to pursue employment and/or continue career pathways in Manufacturing through co-enrollment in WIA Approved Welding Combination certification</p> <p>Participants receiving industry recognized credentials in middle-skill occupations are more marketable for employment in their field of study</p>	<p>April-August 2015</p> <p>January-December 2015</p> <p>January-December 2015</p>	<p>WBF 2.0 Project Manager, WBF 2.0 Project Director, Dean of Career Programs, Dean of LECR</p> <p>WBF 2.0 Project Manager, WBF 2.0 Project Director, Dean of Career Programs, Dean of LECR</p> <p>WBF 2.0 Project Manager</p>
V. Employment Opportunities	<p>Participants will continue to receive referrals to employers from Business Service Specialists, UPS, Job Resource Center, and other campus resources</p> <p>MVCC graduates and students nearing completion will receive employment assistance targeting middle-skills occupations</p>	<p>Project will meet placement goal</p> <p>Project will meet placement goal</p>	<p>January-December 2015</p> <p>January-December 2015</p>	<p>WBF 2.0 Project Manager, WBF 2.0 Project Director, Dean of Student Services</p> <p>WBF 2.0 Project Manager, WBF 2.0 Project Director, Dean of Student Services</p>