

<b>National Dislocated Worker Grant (DWG) Summary</b>
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<b>Project Name</b>	MVME
<b>Project Type</b>	Regular
<b>Period of Performance</b>	7/1/2015 – 6/30/2017
<b>Grantee Name</b>	Massachusetts Executive Office of Labor and Workforce Development
<b>Grantee City and State</b>	Boston, Massachusetts
<b>Grant Award Amount</b>	Up to \$1,968,992 with an initial \$808,693
<b>Planned Participants</b>	150
<b>Project Service Area</b>	The counties of Barnstable; Berkshire; Bristol; Dukes; Essex; Franklin; Hampden; Middlesex; Nantucket; Norfolk; Plymouth; Suffolk; and Worcester
<b>Project Operator</b>	Valley Works Career Center in Lawrence, Massachusetts
<b>Target Group</b>	Workers impacted by layoffs from three companies with facilities located in Merrimack Valley Workforce Investment Area: General Mills in Methuen; Ryder Systems, Inc.; in Haverhill; and Greencore USA in Newburyport.
<b>Project Description</b>	This project will serve approximately 150 of the 302 workers affected by layoffs at 3 plants located in northern Massachusetts: a General Mills yogurt plant in Methuen, a Greencore USA food production plant in Newburyport, and a Ryder Systems, Inc. logistics facility in Haverhill.
<b>Targeted Occupations</b>	Paramedics, electronic assemblers, and advanced machinist jobs
<b>Training/Services</b>	The needs of the affected workers will be addressed with a comprehensive program of case management, work readiness services, training, job development, employer cultivation, and job placement. English for Speaker of Other Languages and occupational skills will be available as applicable, with Individual Training Accounts used to effectively combine needed training. On-the-job training will also be developed for those who best fit this training methodology
<b>Congressional Interest</b>	None of which ETA is aware.
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