



Montana

Total Funding: \$52,364,300
TAACCCT Grants: 3

Colleges

- Aaniih Nakoda College
- Bitterroot College
- Blackfeet Community College
- Chief Dull Knife College
- City College Montana State University Billings
- Dawson Community College
- Flathead Valley Community College**
- Fort Peck Community College
- Gallatin College - MSU
- Great Falls College Montana State University**
- Helena College University of Montana
- Highlands College of Montana Tech
- Little Big Horn College
- Miles Community College
- Missoula College University of Montana**
- Montana State University
- Montana State University-Northern
- Montana Tech of the University of Montana
- Salish Kootenai College
- Stone Child College
- University of Montana-Western

Bolded colleges are grant leads

Statewide Outcomes to Date

Programs Launched



= 10 programs

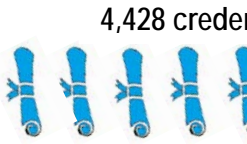
Participants

= 1,000 participants



Credentials Earned

= 1,000 credentials



See explanatory information at <https://www.doleta.gov/taaccct/state-profiles.cfm>

The U.S. Department of Labor's TAACCCT grant program is a major investment in building the capacity of community colleges. Grant funds are not used for tuition, but to create or enhance programs of study that lead to industry-recognized credentials, upgrade equipment, support student success toward completion, and more. TAACCCT supports colleges to better serve workers eligible for training under the TAA for Workers program, as well as a broad range of other adults.

Examples from Montana

Industry Emphasis of Programs of Study



Manufacturing



Energy



Healthcare

To find free and open career and technical training resources produced by colleges using TAACCCT funds, visit <https://www.skillscommons.org/>.

Montana Example: The Strengthening Workforce Alignment in Montana's Manufacturing and Energy Industries (SWAMMEI) project shared [64 learning resources](#) on CNC machining, industrial maintenance, welding, developmental math, and other manufacturing topics.

"The collaboration of multiple agencies (Montana University System, Great Falls College MSU, Montana Department of Labor and Industries, Montana Department of Commerce, and the Governor's Office) through the TAACCCT grant created unplanned synergies that magnified the effects of these dollars for students and businesses. These synergies will sustain our collective work for Montana residents and employers."

*Dr. Susan Wolff, Dean and CEO
Great Falls College*

Led by Missoula College - University of Montana, Montana HealthCARE (Creating Access to Rural Education) has expanded the apprenticeship model to the healthcare industry—a first for the state. To date, 29 employers are sponsoring 84 apprenticeships in 14 different healthcare occupations, such as surgical technician and certified nurse aide; the vast majority of employer sponsors are rural, frontier facilities, while three serve Native American communities on reservations. The computerized tomography (CT) technician apprenticeship co-created by Missoula College and Clark Fork Valley Hospital, a rural critical access facility, is one of the few such apprenticeship programs in existence nationwide.

