



Thank you to Vocare member and friend, Kevin Panet, for sharing information on this valuable resource! Here are Kevin's notes:

There are some interesting things about the Workforce Investment Act, depending upon where you want to get services. It's not managed the same in all counties.

In Ventura, a person wanting to get into the WIA program would go to the EDD Office. The program in Ventura is run by the Ventura Social Services Agency. To begin the program, a person has to go to the orientation meeting, held once a week, at various EDD locations in Ventura County. To get to an orientation program, job seekers should contact the individual below:

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West Oxnard Job and Career Center
WIA Program/BESD
635 S. Ventura Road
Oxnard, CA 93030
805-382-6520 (voice)
805-382-4357 (fax)
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http://www.wib.ventura.org/JobSeeker_Overview.html

http://www.edd.ca.gov/jobs_and_training/Workforce_Investment_Act.htm

For job seekers in Los Angeles County, go to www.BuildWorkSorce.com. There is a location in Chatsworth who administers the WIA program through the city of Los Angeles. They also have a requirement that job seekers attend their orientation program to begin getting into the program. They can also be reached at (818) 701-9800.