

**Guaynabo-Toa Baja Local Workforce Development Board
Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA)**

PUBLIC POLICY NUMBER WIOA 20-005 - THIRD AMENDMENT

**PUBLIC POLICY FOR PROVIDING WORK EXPERIENCE FOR WIOA TITLE I-B
PARTICIPANTS**

BACKGROUND

The Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) allows for the provision of Work Experience activities for youth, adults, and dislocated workers. This activity represents an opportunity for individuals facing employment barriers and serves as an opportunity to engage businesses in activities developed under WIOA. The work experience activity developed under Title I of WIOA is designed to help individuals establish a work history, demonstrate success in the workplace, and develop skills that lead to obtaining and retaining unsubsidized employment.

PURPOSE OF AMENDMENT

With the purpose of establishing greater work history opportunities for participants and providing the opportunity to acquire more skills, Policy 20-005 is amended to increase the duration of the established **Summer Employment** activity.

AMENDED PART

The General Provisions section in Clause V is hereby amended to read as follows:

For this purpose, the Guaynabo-Toa Baja Local Workforce Development Board (GTB-LWDB) establishes the following regarding the duration of Work Experience activities:

- The duration of the work experience activity for youth will be determined based on the type of experience to be offered, with a **maximum duration of eighty (80) hours** for summer activities, one hundred fifty (150) hours for internships, and up to a maximum of nine hundred (900) hours for Work Experience in the Public and Private sectors.

EFFECTIVENESS

This amendment shall become effective immediately upon its approval. All other provisions of the Public Policy on Supportive Services will remain unaltered and in force.

In Toa Baja, Puerto Rico, on March 23, 2023.

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