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CTE Opportunities for Career Training

Too often the world of education and the world of work are seen as separate environments that have no connection. But meeting Alaska's workforce needs requires not only initial education and training, but continuous learning as workforce needs and technologies evolve. Strong partnerships that support and coordinate activities between educators, employers, and government are critical in the development of a qualified workforce that is adequate to meet Alaska's current and future economic demands.

Regional Training Centers

Alaska's Regional Training Centers (RTC's) are public or non-profit centers created through partnerships. Their mission is to develop and implement educational activities linked to employment opportunities in Alaska. RTCs provide coordinated workforce development, education, and training in conjunction with local, statewide and federal partners to prepare our citizens to enter into the Alaskan workforce.

- ▶ Alaska Technical Center
- ▶ AVTEC - Alaska's Institute of Technology
- ▶ Delta Career Advancement Center
- ▶ Fairbanks Pipeline Training Center
- ▶ GILA - Galena Interior Learning Academy
- ▶ Ilisagvik College and North Slope Workforce Training Partners
- ▶ NACTEC - Northwestern Alaska Career & Technical Center
- ▶ SAVEC - Southwest Alaska Vocational & Education Center
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Program and Facility Inventories

Alaska Regional Training Centers Program and Facility Inventories April 2012 (PDF)

Programs

- Alaska Tech Prep
- Apprenticeships
- Career Clusters & Pathways
- Career Lattice
- LPN & CNA state licensing
- Training Providers (PDF)
- WorkKeys®

Terms

Career Cluster - used nationally as an organizer of knowledge and skills needed by a broad industry or related industries.

Career Lattice- a new project of the Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development's **Research & Analysis Section** to identify occupations that are most likely to lead to advancement. This information is based on real-world analysis of occupation-to-occupation movements of Alaska workers from 2001 through 2006.

Career Pathway - identifies a sub-set within career clusters, i.e. as an organizer of knowledge and skills statements shared by closely related professions.

Personal Learning and Career Plan (PLCP) - outlines a student's academic course work and other experiences and used as a guide by the student to achieve individually chosen career goals.

- ▶ [PLCP Templates and Resources](#)

Program of Study - identifies a sequence of instruction that is available to students during and after high school that provides the academic and skill competencies and credentials to qualify for employment in a career pathway.

- ▶ [Program of Study form \(PDF\)](#)