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Department of Community and Human Services

Developmental Disabilities Division (KCDDD)

**School-to-Work (S2W) Models, Partnerships, and**

**Agency Eligibility Requirement**

*S2W eligibility criteria is uniform for all program models. Students must meet and maintain eligibility in order to receive services. DVR’s payment at stabilization ($8670) remains the same, regardless of length of time in S2W.*

**S2W Models**

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| **General Model** | |
| **Length of time providing KCDDD- contracted Individual Employment (IE) services** | Minimum one year |
| **Contract status with KCDDD** | Monitoring completed. Agency in satisfactory compliance, as determined by KCDDD |
| **% of participants served by agency in IE who are competitively employed** | Meets the current S2W average for participants employed (58%) |
| **Department of Social and Health Services (DSHS), Division of Vocational Rehabilitation (DVR) status** | Agency holds and maintains a current DSHS/DVR Community Rehabilitation Program contract for Community Based Assessment, Job Placement, and Intensive Training services |
| **Length of Service** | 9-12 months, depending on service start date. Students are required to initiate services with a provider by October of their final year the school transition program. |

**The following information applies to the S2W Program Models described below:**

* *Require co-funding from the school district.*
* *Student can receive 2 years of S2W services under the DVR/King County S2W contract, with prior approval from the referring district.*

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| **District (Embedded) Model** | | |
| **Length of time providing KCDDD-contracted IE services** | Minimum one year | |
| **Length of time providing General Model S2W services** | Minimum two years | |
| **Contract status with KCDDD** | Monitoring completed. Agency in satisfactory compliance, as determined by KCDDD | |
| **% of participants served by agency in IE who are competitively employed** | Meets the current S2W average for participants employed (58%) | |
| **DSHS/DVR status** | Agency holds and maintains a current DSHS/DVR Community Rehabilitation Program contract for Community Based Assessment, Job Placement, and Intensive Training services | |
| **School District stakeholder committee selection** | Agency is selected for participation by a School District stakeholder committee. | |
| **Length of Service** | Up to 2 years (under contract) | |
| **Participating School Districts and Contracted Providers** | Northshore | Provail |
| Shoreline | Provail |
| Lake Washington | Redmond - Provail |
| Lake Washington | Kirkland - NWC |
| Federal Way | Trillium |
| Bellevue | AtWork! |
| **FTE Requirements** | Providers must dedicate staff to meet FTE requirements, which are based on the number of students served. | |

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| **Agency (High Supports) Collaborative Model** | | |
| **Length of time providing KCDDD-contracted IE services** | Minimum one year | |
| **Length of time providing General Model S2W services** | Minimum two years | |
| **Contract status with KCDDD** | Monitoring completed. Agency in satisfactory compliance, as determined by KCDDD | |
| **% of participants served in IE with high acuity who are competitively employed** | Meets the current S2W average for employed participants with high acuity (41%) | |
| **DSHS/DVR status** | Agency holds and maintains a current DSHS/DVR Community Rehabilitation Program contract for Community Based Assessment, Job Placement, and Intensive Training services | |
| **Length of Service** | Up to 2 years (under contract) | |
| **Participating School Districts and Contracted Providers** | Kent | AtWork!, NWC, Trillium and Vadis |
| Issaquah | NWC and Vadis |
| Shoreline | AtWork!, Provail and Vadis |

**S2W Partnerships** *– King County, DDD funds S2W services for eligible students.*

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| **College Partnership** | |
| **Length of time providing KCDDD-contracted IE services** | Minimum one year |
| **Length of time providing General Model S2W services** | Minimum two years |
| **Contract status with KCDDD** | Monitoring completed. Agency in satisfactory compliance, as determined by KCDDD |
| **% of participants served by agency in IE who are competitively employed** | Meets the current S2W average for participants employed (58%) |
| **DSHS/DVR status** | Agency holds and maintains a current DSHS/DVR Community Rehabilitation Program contract for Community Based Assessment, Job Placement, and Intensive Training services |
| **College status and setting** | Agency must be part of an institution of higher learning and offer some services in college setting |
| **Length of Service** | 9-12 months, depending on service start date. Students are required to initiate services with a provider by October of their final year the school transition program. |
| **Contracted Providers** | Highline for eligible students in ACHIEVE |

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| [***Project SEARCH***](http://www.projectsearch.us/) ***- https://www.projectsearch.us/*** | | |
| **Length of time providing KCDDD- contracted IE services** | Minimum one year | |
| **Length of time providing General Model S2W services** | Minimum two years | |
| **Contract status with KCDDD** | Monitoring completed. Agency in satisfactory compliance, as determined by KCDDD | |
| **% of participants served by agency in IE who are competitively employed** | Meets the current S2W average for participants employed (58%) | |
| **DSHS/DVR status** | Agency holds and maintains a current DSHS/DVR Community Rehabilitation Program contract for Community Based Assessment, Job Placement, and Intensive Training services | |
| **Formal agreement, *Project SEARCH* licensing agreement, and “model fidelity”** | Agency enters into a formal agreement with community partners, including school district, DSHS/DVR, and host business, with one partner holding the *Project SEARCH* licensing agreement and contract. Agency meets all requirements of [*Project SEARCH*](http://www.projectsearch.us/)to ensure “model fidelity” | |
| **Length of Service** | 9-12 months, depending on service start date. Students are required to initiate services with a provider by October of their final year the school transition program. | |
| **Participating School District and Contracted Provider** | Seattle | Provail – University of Washington |
| Vadis – Seattle Children’s Hospital |