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**Program Benefits and Services**

- **Training**
  - Up to 130 weeks of classroom/online training in occupational skills, Adult Basic Education, General Educational Development, apprenticeship, or up to 104 weeks in an OJT (On-the-Job) training.
- **Job Search Allowance**
  - Reimbursement for costs of seeking employment outside of the worker’s normal, 10-mile commuting area.
- **Reemployment Trade Adjustment Assistance (RTAA)**
  - Workers age 50 or over who get reemployed full-time at a reduced salary and earn $50,000 or less each year may receive a 50% wage subsidy for up to $10,000 over 2 years.
- **Health Coverage Tax Credit (HCTC)**
  - Covers 72.5% of qualifying health insurance premium costs, administered by the Internal Revenue Service.

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**WHAT TO EXPECT**

**important dates**

- Do not wait! Make sure you meet the following deadlines.
- Notification of your eligibility will be mailed to you.
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- Once you are determined eligible for TAA, contact your local CareerSource FL Career Center immediately. There are important deadlines that you must meet when applying for each service.

**Employment & case management services**

Trade-affected workers are assigned to a career advisor who will walk you through the necessary steps to obtain TAA services and benefits.

Our services will help you return to suitable employment as quickly as possible.

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**Submits a petition application to participate in the TAA program portion in a group certification process after a determination of eligibility**

**What are my benefits?**

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