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MEMORANDUM

DATE: March 3, 2016
TO: Local Workforce Development Boards (LWDBs)
FROM: Lois A. Scott, Chief, Bureau of One Stop and Program Support
SUBJECT: 2016 HHS Poverty Guidelines

The United States Department of Health and Human Services recently released the updated 2016 poverty guidelines. This update became effective on January 25, 2016, and is published in the Federal Register. The following table incorporates the figures that may be used to calculate income levels to determine if individuals meet the poverty guidelines for funded services in various workforce programs.

Please share this information with designated staff and other interested parties that are involved in the eligibility determination process for programs that include income as a criterion. The Federal Poverty Level Guideline update is located at the following link for future reference:

[Federal Poverty Guidelines 2016](#)

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Attachment

cc: Tom Clendenning
Michelle Dennard
Trina Travis

2016 Poverty Guidelines for the (48) Contiguous States and District of Columbia

Persons in Households	Poverty Guidelines
1	\$11,880
2	\$16,020
3	\$20,160
4	\$24,300
5	\$28,440
6	\$32,580
7	\$36,730
8	\$40,890

(** For families/households with more than eight (8) persons, add \$4,160.00 for each additional person).