

Perkins V Executive Summary

On July 31, 2018, the president signed the Strengthening Career and Technical Education for the 21st Century Act (Perkins V) into law. Perkins V includes key changes that will impact the implementation of CTE programs, such as an added emphasis on programs of study, the addition of a Comprehensive Local Needs Assessment, and the introduction new program quality indicators. The Texas Perkins V vup4 0smum(v)-36 ()TJ0.005 Tc -5.001 Tw.1 (l2 (a)2.,...re)2.1 (a)2 (m(13.915 0 Td(J15 r1Gm15 .00i)5229.482 0 Tc(9.05705.1 9v)-0.r labor projections alongside real-time labor data. Industry-based certifications have been aligned to programs of study. Texas established a work-based learning continuum of experiences across grade bands and encourages career awareness and exploration happen in earlier grades. A program of study should culminate in a capstone work-based learning experience.

Meeting the Needs of Special Populations

Local Education Agencies (LEAs) applying for Perkins funding must indicate the steps taken to ensure that all individuals from special

