



ABSTRACT

Name of Applicant: Central Washington University (CWU) **City/State:** Ellensburg, Washington

Project Objectives/Activities: CWU a four-year public university, is proposing to continue offering HEP services to address the needs of its Migrant and Seasonal Farmworker (MSFW) students. CWU HEP's **goal** is to recruit and enroll **80 eligible commuter students** and provide them with the intensive academic, career, financial, and support services they need to successfully reach their education and career goals. CWU HEP's **annual objectives** and **outcomes** are:

Objective 1: Conduct intakes on **80** eligible participants and enroll them into the HEP Program;

Objective 2: To provide **80** HEP students with HSE preparation and instruction to graduate 69% of the cohort with their HSED (GPRA 1); and **Objective 3:** To place 80% HEP HSED graduates into post-secondary education, training program, first-time or upgraded employment, career or the military annually (GPRA 2). **Applicable Priorities:** CWU addresses: **Competitive Preference Priority 1 - *Fostering Flexible and Affordable Paths to Obtaining Knowledge and Skills*** and **Competitive Preference Priority 2 - *Consideration of Prior Experience*** as a successful 20-year HEP grant recipient. **Participants/Sites:** CWU HEP will serve 80 eligible commuter students from its established location in Yakima, WA. Of the **80** MSFW students served annually, **69%** will successfully obtain their HSED certificate (**GPRA 1**) and **80%** of these graduates will transition into postsecondary education, training program, military, or will obtain a first-time or upgraded employment (**GPRA 2**).