



Achieving the Dream™

Community Colleges Count

Dear Achieving the Dream Network,

It is with great pleasure that I announce Achieving the Dream's participation in the Northeast Resiliency Consortium (NRC).

The NRC is made up of seven disaster-affected community colleges in the Northeast region of the U.S. in partnership with Achieving the Dream and the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching. The NRC received a three-year \$23.5 million award from the U.S. Department of Labor's TAACCCT program to develop programs committed to creating a highly skilled and resilient workforce. The NRC, led by **Passaic County Community College**, will create career pathways in health care, information technology, and environmental technologies, which are among the Northeast's largest growth industries.

Achieving the Dream will bring its expertise to the consortium through coaching and learning events to help the colleges collaborate with their workforce development offices to extend efforts to advance student success. It will support networking, knowledge development, and best practice dissemination activities as well as provide communications support and assure that the consortium stays focused on equity and excellence.

For more information about the NRC and to read the full press release, [click here](#).

Sincerely,

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