



EMPLOYERS: ATTRACT VETERAN TALENT TO YOUR WORKFORCE

Registered Apprenticeship Programs

Registered Apprenticeship Programs are a great way to attract and retain veteran talent to your workforce – and they're easy to start!

Apprenticeships can be developed in nearly any industry, from traditional sectors like **construction** and **manufacturing**, to emerging sectors like **energy**, **health care** and **information technology**.

Companies can also provide an added incentive by becoming **GI Bill® -approved!** Veterans can use those benefits toward tuition and fees, a monthly housing allowance, and a book and supplies stipend.



WHY START A REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM?

- ✓ Veteran apprentice programs are a great way to **recruit and develop a highly skilled workforce.**
- ✓ Create industry-driven and **flexible training solutions** that allow veterans to utilize **GI Bill®** benefits.
- ✓ Reduce turnover costs and **increase veteran employee retention.**
- ✓ **Improve productivity** and the bottom line.

INTERESTED IN DEVELOPING AN APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM?

Begin by visiting **Michigan.gov/Apprenticeship** where you'll find information about apprenticeship benefits, opportunities and links to contact your local Michigan Works! Apprenticeship Success Coordinator.

For information on Registered Apprenticeships, contact Michigan State Apprenticeship Expansion by email, **LEO-Apprenticeship@Michigan.gov**, or call 517-335-5858. Or visit **Michigan.gov/Apprenticeship**.

To get your training approved for GI Bill® funding, visit the Michigan State Approving Agency's website at **Michigan.gov/VES** where a link to the agency's information can be found. Or email **MISAA@Michigan.gov**. You can also contact the USDOL Office of Apprenticeship at 517-377-1747.

You'll also find more information about Veterans' Employment Services at **Michigan.gov/VES**.

