Office of Trade Adjustment Assistance

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Background: Due to the entitlement nature of the TAA Program and the nuances of the various amendments to the Trade Act of 1974, workers are, in general, eligible for the benefits and services under the version of the TAA Program under which their group certification was issued. As a result, states must use a combination of administrative guidance and federal regulations to determine which rules apply to which workers. In general, 20 CFR part 618 applies for all workers determined eligible to apply for TAA except for those covered under certain provisions of the Trade Adjustment Assistance Reform Act of 2002 and the Trade and Globalization Adjustment Assistance Act of 2009, for which administrative guidance will continue to apply unless otherwise provided. The tables in this document provide the various regulatory and administrative guidance references to be used by states in determining what rules apply to which workers. Any additional questions should be referred to the appropriate ETA Regional Office.

Petition Numbers	<= 69,999	70,000 – 79,999	80,000 - 84,999	85,000 – 97,999	98,000+
Training	2002	2009	2011	2015	Reversion 2021
Maximum Weeks of	130	156	130	130	130
Approved Training	OJT = 104	OJT = 104	OJT = 104	OJT = 104	OJT = 104
	TEGL 11-02, Pg 28, E.3.	TEGL 22-08, Pg. A-34	20 CFR 618.615(d)(3)(i)	20 CFR 618.615(d)(3)(i)	TEGL 24-20, Pg 16, Attachment A
Part-Time Training	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Allowable	TEGL 24-20, Pg. 16, Attachment A	TEGL 22-08, Pg. A-34	20 CFR 618.615(b)	20 CFR 618.615(b)	TEGL 24-20, Pg 16, Attachment A
Enrollment	8/16 weeks	26/26 weeks	26/26 weeks	26/26 weeks	8/16 weeks
Deadline	TEGL 11-02, Pg. 18, D.2.	TEGL 22-08, Pg. A-16	20 CFR 618.725(a)	20 CFR 618.725(a)	TEGL 24-20, Pg. 6, Attachment A

Training	2002	2009	2011	2015	Reversion 2021
Breaks in Training	30	30	30	30	30
(Days) for TRA	TEGL 11-02, Pg. 5	TEGL 22-08, Pg. A-70	20 CFR 618.775(a)(b)(c)	20 CFR 618.775(a)(b)(c)	TEGL 24-20, Pg 11, Attachment A
Remedial Training/	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Prerequisite Course	TEGL 11-02, Pg. 5	TEGL 22-08, Pg. A-24	20 CFR 618.605(d)(2)	20 CFR 618.605(d)(2)	TEGL 24-20, Pg 13, Attachment A
Online Training	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

Additional TRA	2002	2009	2011	2015	Reversion 2021
Total Weeks Payable	52	78	65	65	65
	TEGL 11-02, Pg. 22	TEGL 22-08, Pg. A-25	20 CFR 618.745	20 CFR 618.745	TEGL 24-20, Pg 7, Attachment A
Payable Within	52	91	78	78	78
Weeks	TEGL 11-02, Pg 22	TEGL 22-08, Pg. A-35	20 CFR 618.710(a,b,c)	20 CFR 618.710(a,b,c)	TEGL 24-20, Pg 5, Attachment A
TRA Election	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
	TEGL 11-02, Pg. 17	TEGL 22-08, Pg. 29	20 CFR 618.720(e)(2)	20 CFR 618.720(e)(2)	TEGL 24-20, Pg. 17, Attachment A

TRA	2002	2009	2011	2015	Reversion 2021
Earnings Disregard	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
	Sec. 232 (a)(2)	Sec 232 (1)(a)(C)	20 CFR 618.745(c)(1)	20 CFR 618.745(c)(1)	TEGL 24-20, Pg 15, Attachment A
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Remedial/Prerequisite	Yes (26 R)	Yes (26 R/P)	No	No	No
TRA (Weeks)	TEGL 11-02	TEGL 22-08	20 CFR 618 Subpart G	20 CFR 618 Subpart G	TEGL 24-20, Pg 7, Attachment A
Completion TRA	No	No	Yes (13)	Yes (13)	Yes (13)
(Weeks)	N/A	N/A	20 CFR 618.765(a-d)	20 CFR 618.765(a-d)	TEGL 24-20, Pg. 7, Attachment A

Enrollment Deadline Provisions	2002	2009	2011	2015	Reversion 2021
45-Day Extenuating	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Circumstances Extension	Sec. 231(a)(5)	TEGL 22-08, Pg. A-16	20 CFR 618.725(a)(3)	20 CFR 618.725(a)(3)	TEGL 24-20, Pg 6, Attachment A
State Good Cause	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Provision Allowable	N/A	TEGL 22-08, Pg. A-27	20 CFR 618.725(a)(3) 20 CFR 618.730	20 CFR 618.725(a)(3) 20 CFR 618.730	TEGL 24-20, Pg 10, Attachment A
Federal Good Cause	No	No	Yes	Yes	No
Provision Allowable	N/A	N/A	20 CFR 618.730	20 CFR 618.730	TEGL 24-20, Pg. 10, Attachment A

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Military Service	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Deadline Extension Available	N/A	TEGL 22-08, Pg. A-28	20 CFR 618.725(b)(2)	20 CFR 618.725(b)(2)	TEGL 24-20, Pg 12, Attachment A
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210-Day Bona Fide	Yes	No	No	No	Yes
Application for Training Rule	TEGL 11-02, Pg. 25	TEGL 22-08, Pg. A-26	N/A	N/A	TEGL 24-20, Pg 6, Attachment A
Equitable Tolling	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Allowed	20 CFR 618.888	20 CFR 618.888	20 CFR 618.888	20 CFR 618.888	20 CFR 618.888 TEGL 24-20, Pg. 11, Attachment A

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Enrollment Deadline Provisions	2002	2009	2011	2015	Reversion 2021
Judicial or	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Administrative Review Extension	N/A	TEGL 22-08, Pg. B-22	20 CFR 618.755(b)	20 CFR 618.755(b)	TEGL 24-20, Pg 14, Attachment A
Justifiable Cause to	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Extend the Period	N/A	TEGL 22-08, Pg. B-22	20 CFR 618.770	20 CFR 618.770	TEGL 24-20, Pg 15, Attachment A
Military Service	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
Deadline Extension	N/A	TEGL 22-08, Pg A-27, C.6.3	20 CFR 618.884	20 CFR 618.884	TEGL 24-20, Pg. 15, Attachment A

ATAA/RTAA	2002	2009	2011	2015	Reversion 2021
Full-time	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Employment	TEGL 11-02, Pg. 38	TEGL 22-08, Pg. 51	20 CFR 618.505(a)(4)(i)	20 CFR 618.505(a)	TEGL 24-20, Pg 25, Attachment A
Part-Time	Yes*	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes*
Employment	TEGL 24-20, Pg. 24, Attachment A	TEGL 22-08, Pg. 58	20 CFR 618.505(a)(4)(i)	20 CFR 618.505(a)(4)	TEGL 24-20, Pg. 24, Attachment A
Training + RTAA	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
	TEGL 11-02, Pg. 38	TEGL 22-08, Pg. 51	20 CFR 618.520(b)	20 CFR 618.500	TEGL 24-20, Pg. 21, Attachment A
Maximum Amount	\$10,000	\$12,000	\$10,000	\$10,000	\$10,000
	TEGL 11-02, Pg. 39	TEGL 22-08, Pg. 60	20 CFR 618.520(a)	20 CFR 618.520(a)	TEGL 24-20, Pg 23, Attachment A
Group Eligibility	Yes	No	No	No	Yes
Required for ATAA	TEGL 11-02, Pg. 38	TEGL 22-08, Pg. 51	20 CFR 618.505	20 CFR 618.505	TEGL 24-20 Pg 21, Attachment A

Job Search	2002	2009	2011	2015	Reversion 2021
% Reimbursement	90%	100%	90%	90%	90%
Up to Amount	\$1,250	\$1,500	\$1,250	\$1,250	\$1,250
	TEGL 11-02, Pg. 30	TEGL 22-08, Pg. A-44	20 CFR 618.425(a) & (b)	20 CFR 618.425(a) & (b)	TEGL 24-20, Pg 18, Attachment A
Relocation	2002	2009	2011	2015	Reversion 2021
% Reimbursement	90%	100%	90%	90%	90%
Up to Amount	\$1,250	\$1,500	\$1,250	\$1,250	\$1,250
(Lump Sum)	TEGL 11-02, Pg. 32	TEGL 22-08, Pg. A-46	20 CFR 618.460(d); 618.460(a)(4)	20 CFR 618.460(d); 618.455(a)(4)	TEGL 24-20, Pg 18, Attachment A

TRA Types	2002	2009	2011	2015	Reversion 2021
Remedial TRA	Yes	Yes	No	No	No
Available	TEGL 11-02, Pg. 21	TEGL 22-08, Pg. 100	N/A	N/A	N/A
Prerequisite TRA	No	Yes	No	No	No
Available	N/A	TEGL 22-08, Pg. 100	N/A	N/A	N/A
Completion TRA	No	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Available	N/A	N/A	20 CFR 618.765(a-d)	20 CFR 618.765(a-d)	TEGL 24-20, Pg. 7, Attachment A