

ELIGIBILITY

Pre-ETS are FREE to students who are:

- ✓ Between the ages of 14-21
- ✓ Enrolled in traditional or alternative secondary or post-secondary programs
- ✓ Eligible for special education-related services under IDEA (e.g. have an IEP or 504 plan) or considered an individual with a disability under Section 504

Pre-ETS are available to all eligible students, regardless of whether or not they have applied for Bureau of Vocational Rehabilitation Services.

VR is an equal opportunity employer/program Auxiliary aids and services available upon request for individuals with disabilities
TTY (775) 687-5353
Relay 711 or (800) 326-6868

VISION

BUREAU OF VOCATIONAL
REHABILITATION

To bridge the gap between
disability and self-sufficiency.

PURPOSE

WORKFORCE INNOVATION AND
OPPORTUNITY ACT (WIOA)

1. To support job seekers and workers in accessing employment, education, training, and support services to succeed in the labor market.
2. To match employers with skilled workers needed to compete in the global economy

Funding Disclosure:

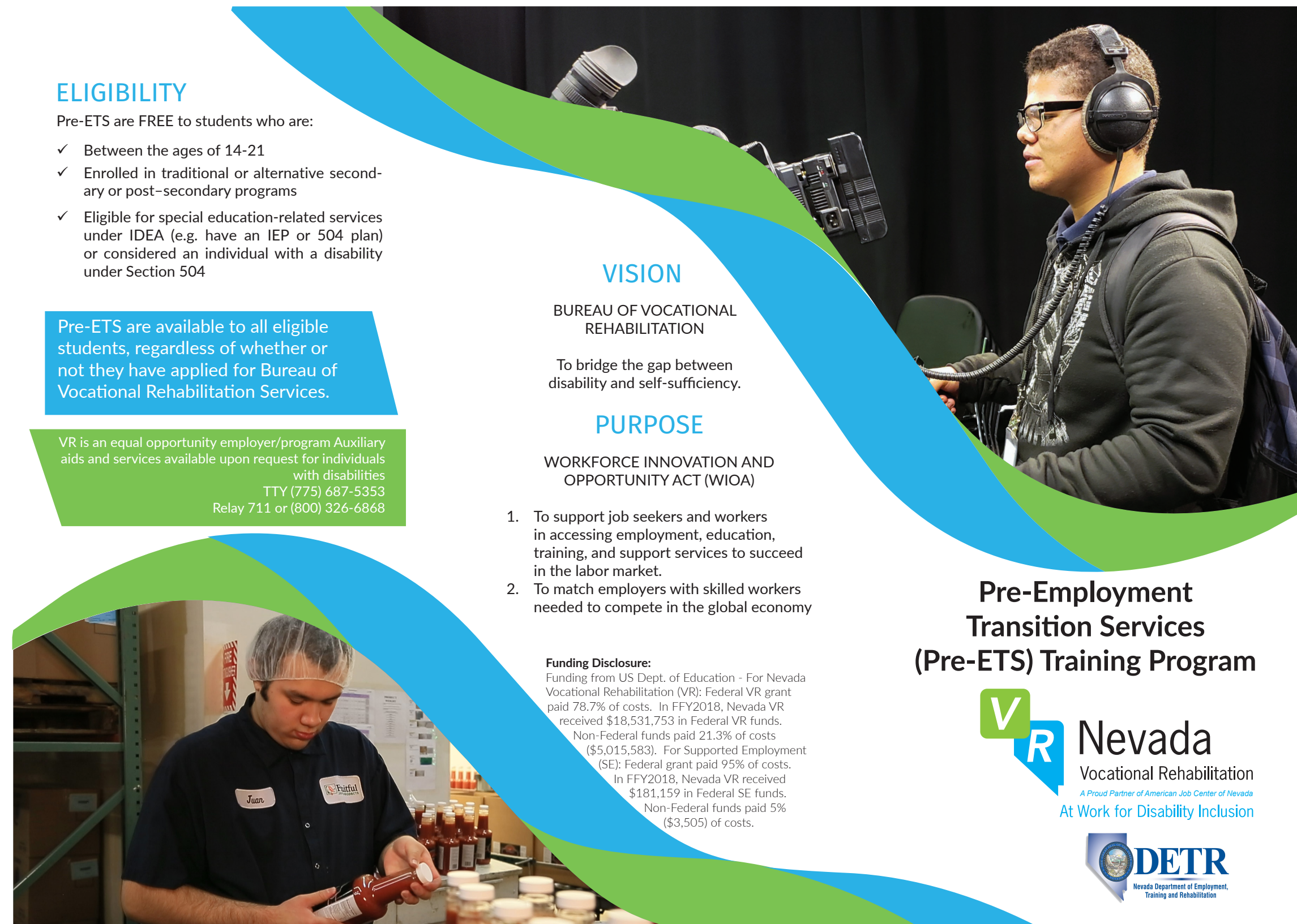
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Non-Federal funds paid 21.3% of costs (\$5,015,583). For Supported Employment (SE): Federal grant paid 95% of costs.

In FFY2018, Nevada VR received \$181,159 in Federal SE funds.

Non-Federal funds paid 5% (\$3,505) of costs.

Pre-Employment Transition Services (Pre-ETS) Training Program



TYPES OF SERVICES AVAILABLE:

- Community Specialists can provide training in the school or community to individuals or classes
- Students can access online Pre-ETS modules at their own convenience
- VR counselors can provide Pre-ETS services
- Teachers may provide Pre-ETS by incorporating lessons into their curriculum
- Pre-ETS camps are available in the community throughout the year

BENEFITS OF Pre-ETS:

The student will:

- Learn to request supports and services
- Learn about their rights & responsibilities
- Identify career interests and supports
- Develop skills needed in the workforce
- Experience hands-on learning in the workplace

WAYS TO OBTAIN SERVICES:

All participants must have a signed consent form. Once submitted to BVR services can begin.

- Request services from your teacher or School District Transition Specialist
- Call your local BVR Transition Coordinator (see contact information below)
- Request services in an IEP or 504 plan meeting



Pre-ETS Contact Information

BVR Statewide Transition
Coordinator:
702-486-7284

BVR Statewide Transitions
Admin:
775-823-8113

Email: pre-ets@detr.nv.gov



THE FIVE Pre-ETS FOCUS AREAS INCLUDE:

- ✓ **Instruction in Self-Advocacy** to assist students in gaining the knowledge and skills to effectively communicate, convey, negotiate, or assert their own interests and/or desires
- ✓ **Job Exploration Counseling** to support a discovery process using customized tools that help students discover their skills, abilities, and interests
- ✓ **Post-Secondary Exploration** to provide counseling on opportunities for enrolment in local community college/post-secondary education programs
- ✓ **Work-Place Readiness Training** to develop social skills, independent living and employability skills
- ✓ **Work based Learning Experience** to provide work opportunities and experiences inside or outside of the traditional school setting

