

# Strengthening Career and Technical Education for the 21st Century

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Comprehensive Local Needs Assessment—Round #2



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# Perkins V

- Signed into law July 2018
- Transition year 2019-2020
  - Applications were due May 2019
- First two-year application completed May 2020
  - Initial CLNA included
  - July 2020-June 2022
- Second two-year application due May 2022
  - Second CLNA included with next two-year application
  - July 2022-June 2024

# CLNA purpose

- CLNA
  - Strengthens data-driven decision-making
  - Provides added focus on the use of funds at the local level
  - Local spending must be aligned to the results of the CLNA
- The connection between the CLNA and the local application is a critical part of the Perkins V planning process

# Consortium Responsibilities

- Conduct the local CLNA
- Include the CLNA results in the local application
- Update the CLNA NLT every two years

# CLNA Requirements

- Section 134(c) -- The CLNA shall include
  - An evaluation of student performance with respect to SDPLs
  - How programs are of sufficient size, scope, and quality to meet the needs of all students served
  - Evaluation of progress toward implementation of CTE programs & programs of study
  - How local consortium will improve recruitment, retention, and training of CTE teachers, faculty, etc.
  - Progress toward implementation of equal access to high-quality CTE

# Consultation

- Consortia shall involve a diverse body of stakeholders including, as a minimum
  - Teachers, counselors, school leaders, etc. from LEAs
  - Faculty and administrators from postsecondary
  - Reps from workforce development boards, local businesses and industries
  - Parents and students
  - Reps of special populations
  - Reps of regional or local agencies serving out-of-school youth, homeless children and youth, at-risk youth
  - Reps of Indian tribes and Tribal organizations

# CLNA

- Lessons Learned from the first CLNA?
- What do you need from the System Office?