OWS Initiative: Women's Return to Work Economic Development Plan

OWS is in the process of aligning our partners with our initiatives

Special Act 22-22

- ✓ Understanding the Impact of COVID-19 on Women Returning to Work
- Establish Partnerships across institutions of Higher education, nonprofit organizations, professional business and childcare providers, and transit to promote women's return to work initiatives
- Business incentives to increase apprenticeship and internship opportunities for women



Identify and Align stakeholders within CoWaG and at key agencies

- Meeting with partner agencies including:
 - ✓ GWC DEI Committee to discuss challenges and opportunities
 - ✓ Office of Early
 Childhood to discuss childcare initiatives



Perform landscape analysis of existing resources and programs

- ✓ Analyzing national research, legislation, and models
- Resource mapping and braiding OWS initiatives including:
 - ✓ CareerConneCT
 - ✓ Regional Sector Partnerships (Good Jobs Challenge)





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We will collaborate with key stakeholders to design and implement inclusive return to work programs





