

AEPP PERFORMANCE BENCHMARKS

Hello Program Managers, as promised, AEPP has completed the negotiation process required by OCTAE for New York's Performance Targets. Please note the following AEPP Performance Benchmarks intended for all funded programs, WIOA (4 Areas), WEP, EPE, ALE:

- In the tables below, please find benchmarks in each of the Educational Functioning Levels, in addition, there is a comprehensive Measurable Skill Gain benchmark.
- Follow Up Outcomes are also provided in individual reporting areas, Employment, Credential Attainment, HSE diploma Achievement, and one comprehensive benchmark for all Follow Up Outcomes
- Post-testing Benchmark remains the same as years past however, we are implementing a more supportive Post-test Benchmark for students who are eligible for a post-test to be sure programs are not penalized for students who have not accrued enough contact hours to warrant a post test.

Note: All benchmarks will be included on the Program Evaluation Report in the next ASISTS software upgrade anticipated in mid-August.

These benchmarks have been set with much consideration and calculation including a weighted performance formula in consideration of New York's previous years' performance and population calculations based on the concentration of students served in past years within each of the Educational Functioning Levels. Our negotiations and resulting benchmarks have been approved by OCTAE and are now in place for FY23 beginning July 1, 2022, through June 30, 2023. Please refer back to your AEPP contract/grant for indications of compliance with all performance expectations and resulting action.

New York State BENCHMARKS:

Educational Functioning Levels:

ABE Level 1:	41%
ABE Level 2:	59%
ABE Level 3:	41%
ABE Level 4:	45%
ABE Level 5:	45%
ABE Level 6:	35%
ESL Level 1:	45%
ESL Level 2:	50%
ESL Level 3:	45%
ESL Level 4:	45%
ESL Level 5:	42%
ESL Level 6:	42%

Measurable Skill Gain Benchmark: 49% overall

Post-Test Rate:

- Overall 70%
- Students Eligible for a Post Test 90%

Follow Up Outcomes:

Employment Quarter 2: 32%

Employment Quarter 4: 30%

Manual Survey Response Rate: 90%

Credential Rate: 49%

We wish all programs a productive and safe FY23.

AEPP Team