

Overview of Nebraska VR's Supported Employment Services

Definition

The concept of "place and train" is central to supported employment. The person is placed in competitive employment and provided training and other supports and services needed to develop job performance skills. Successful closure may occur on an established timeline when the client, employer, and VR counselor, agree tha the employment goal is met and job performance is satisfactory.

The person must be compensated at or above the minimum wage, but not less than the customary wage and level of benefits paid by the employer for the same or similar work performed by persons who are not disabled, at the time of transition to extended services.

Customized Employment is a type of Supported Employment that requires:

- The use of Discovery Information to generate vocational themes
- Negotiation of an Employment Proposal with the employer
- Customizing a job descripton, work schedule, worksite location and specifics on supervision
- Individualized determination of the client's strengths, needs and interests
- A design that will match the individual's abilities to meet the business needs of the employer

Services To Be Provided

Each service or milestone requires prior-authorization by VR.

Discovery

In limited circumstances when a client's abilities and interests are unknown or cannot be determined from existing records Discovery may be authorized. This service involve assessment of the person's talents, interests, and work preferences using the VR Profile for Supported or Customized Employment.

Initiate Services – Milestone 1

This milestone includes provider intake activities, and provision of supports needed to initiate and conduct job search activities. Such activities are guided by the Employment Goal stated in the Individualized Plan for Employment (IPE) with regard to type of work, number of hours, work schedule, and wages and benefits desired.

Job placement – Milestone 2

Job placement services include those activities directly related to obtaining a suitable job for the person such as:

- Job development
- Accompanying the person to job interviews
- Assistance with completing application forms
- Accompanying the person to required medical exams and drug screening tests
- Submitting 30 day reports on job search activities and outcomes

Job Coaching & Stabilization – Milestone 3

Job Coaching services lead to stable job performance by teaching needed job skills and developing appropriate work behaviors to help the person be successful on the job. A person is considered to be stable on the job when:

- Their performance meets employer's expectations
- The number of job coaching hours has been the same for 4 or more weeks.
- Number of job coaching hours provided is sufficient to support the person to maintain the job
- The person is satisfied with the job, hours, wage, etc.
- VR Counselor agrees that stabilization has occurred

Other supports at or away from the work site

These are supports that help the person do their best on the job. They may be provided at the work site, the person's home, or other location. Such support may include training or reminders to maintain grooming and hygiene, using transportation to get to and from work, or other supports that enable the person to maintain their job.

Successful Outcome – Milestone 4

A person has reached a successful employment outcome when he or she remains stable on the job for a minimum of 60 days after Milestone 3 has ended.

Employment Report – Milestone 5 A/B

This milestone includes the provision of needed supports so the client may retain his or her job. An Employment report is submitted at two intervals:

- 1) Milestone 5A: 6 months after successful closure for authorized service when the client has remained at the same job held at closure; and
- 2) Milestonen5B: 12 months after successful closure for authorized service when the client has remained at the same job held at closure.

Independent Provider

Supported/Customized Employment Service - Definition of Terms

<u>Nebraska VR</u>

Also referred to as Vocational Rehabilitation, Voc Rehab, or VR helps people who have a disability get and keep a job. The disability may be a physical, emotional or learning disability.

Supported Employment

Person requires training on the job to help them learn the job duties and behaviors required to be successful. The job is based on existing job description. The person is successful when they able to work independently on the job or require very little job coaching to keep their job.

Customized Employment

Person requires individualized determination of their strengths, needs and interests. Job is developed to meet the individual's needs and the employer needs. The job description is developed by the provider.

<u>Client</u>

A person with a disability who works with VR is often referred to as 'client'.

Support Provider/Job Coach/Independent Provider

The person who helps the client learn the job duties.

Hours of intervention

The number of hours the support provider/job coach spends with the client at the work site providing job coaching and support.

Fading

As the client gains more knowledge about their job and becomes more skilled, the provider allows the client to work with less support. The provider may observe from a distance, or actually leave the work place. The provider would then check with the supervisor or co-workers to see how the client did during their absence. If successful the client will become more independent and need less support.

Stabilization

This occurs when the client is working as independently as possible. For example, the client works 25 hours per week, and for the past 4 weeks the provider has only provided support for 3 hours each week. It is believed the client will require the 3 hours of support each week for the foreseeable future.

Natural Supports

Natural supports are the assistance a co-worker, supervisor, or other named person provides, on an occasional basis, to assist the client. An example would be a client who needs a reminder to switch from one activity to another. The co-worker would agree to remind the client to switch activities. Another example would be a family member ensuring proper grooming for the job each morning.

Extended Supports

Extended supports are the supports the client will need for as long as they have the job. Extended supports may be provided by the job coach (Independent Provider), co-worker, supervisor, or family member.

<u>On-site Supports</u>

These are the services and supports provided at the job site.

Off-site Supports

These are the services and supports provided away from the job site. They include work related supports such as addressing grooming needs, transportation, and work preparation skills.

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Nebraska VR Milestone Payment Schedule SUPPORTED EMPLOYMENT (SE) FOR PEOPLE WITH INTELLECTUAL/DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES (I/DD)

Milestone	Description/Activities	Payment	Date Examples
Discovery	Provider completes VR Profile for Supported or Customized Employment document, including all previous and most recent discovery activities. Referral is made to VR, who facilitates meeting with Client and family/guardian, DD Service Coordination, and Provider. Discovery may include (but is not limited to) interviews with Client and others including family members, school staff, case manager and/or Service Coordinator or people who know client well, review of existing records, observation in home and in the community (activities in various settings), observation of participation in a familiar activity (does well, knows how), observation of participation in a new activity of choice, etc. Client identifies interests, talents and work preferences. Team determines services and supports necessary for client's employment success. Note: This Assessment Support is only authorized if little or no previous Discovery activities have been completed or if available information is dated. Examples include home-schooled students, non-Nebraska graduates, individuals who have been on wait list for an extended time, or when competitive, integrated employment is questioned at the present time.	\$500	Start Date: Date authorization began; End date: Date activity was completed
Milestone 1: Initiate Services	VR develops Individualized Plan for Employment (IPE) in collaboration with client, DD Service Coordination, and Supported Employment (SE) Provider representative(s), based on results of VR Profile for Supported or Customized Employment and VR Evaluation. Intake is completed for new VR client. VR authorizes milestone 1 and milestone 2 on separate authorizations. SE Provider submits a copy of the Initiate Job Search Services Milestone 1 form and invoice to VR. VR QE2: VR Services	\$1,000 payment upon invoice for Milestone 1 along with Initiate Job Search Services form	Start Date and End Dates: Date of referral to SE provider
Milestone 2: Supported Employment & Placement	SE Provider implements job search activities with the client to achieve employment including the teaching of interviewing skills, development of resume, assistance in completing job applications, provide grooming tips, contacts and advocates with employers, attends job interviews & develops transportation plan for work. The SE Provider matches work environment and work skills to potential jobs and identifies any needed accommodations prior to starting job. Meets with VR liaison monthly to review job search progress, submits written reports every 30 days during job search period on standardized form, and ensures that VR has been notified of the start job date and employment details prior to employment start date. SE Provider submits Supported Employment Placement Report – Milestone 2 – with invoice for payment. VR QE2: VR Services	\$1,500 Payment upon invoice for Milestone 2 along with Job Placement Report	Start Date: day after date of initiate services. End Date: day client starts job
Milestone 3: Job Coaching & Stabilization	SE Provider and client jointly develop job specific strategies and accommodations. On and off-site job coaching is initiated to teach job duties, work culture, work expectations, and work behaviors. Plan to reduce Job coaching interventions is devised as accommodations and natural supports are developed. Stabilization occurs no sooner than 30 Days Post-Job Start when employer agrees that the client is meeting work standards for a new employee, client agrees the job is a good match, and VR, guardian, as applicable, and SE Provider agree that stabilization has occurred. This team agreement on stabilization will trigger authorization of Milestone 4. SE Provider submits Milestone 3 Job Stabilization Report and invoice to VR. VR QE2: Employment Follow-up	\$1,500 Payment upon invoice for Milestone 3 along with Job Stabilization Report	Start Date: day client starts job End date: Day client stabilizes (minimum 30 days)
Milestone 4: VR Closure and Extended Supports	SE Provider implements the plan for funding supports, develops and monitors natural supports. Maintains regular contact with the Employer and client. Develops a Plan for Extended Supports and Job Maintenance. A team meeting is held no sooner than 60 days from date of Stabilization to agree on a VR successful outcome and the Plan for Extended Supports. The client must agree that the job is a good match and the Employer must agree that the client's performance is meeting standards. SE Provider submits Closure/Extended Support Plan-Milestone 4 form and invoice to VR. VR QE2: Employment Follow-up	\$2,000 Payment upon invoice for Milestone 4 along with Extended Supports Plan	Start Date: day after client stabilizes End Date: date client achieves successful outcome (minimum 60 days)
Milestone 5A & 5B: SE report 5A6 months 5B12 months	SE Provider implements the extended supports plan including regular contact with Employer and client. Six months from successful outcome date, SE Provider submits Report with invoice for Milestone 5A payment to VR; 12 months from successful outcome date SE Provider submits Report with invoice for Milestone 5B. QE2: Post-Employment	\$500 Payment upon invoice for Milestone 5A & \$500 payment upon invoice for Milestone 5B	5A Start/End Date: 6 months from VR successful outcome date; 5B Start/End Date: 12 months from successful VR outcome date.
	TOTAL PAYMENT	\$7,000	

CUSTOMIZED EMPLOYMENT (CE) FOR PEOPLE WITH INTELLECTUAL/DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES (I/DD)

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ABI/Autism/I/DD SUPPORTED EMPLOYMENT 30 DAY REPORT

Instructions: This information must be submitted every 30 days during the job search period.

Client Name:	Address:
Phone Number:	Email:
Service Provider:	
DD Service Coordinator:	
Report start date:	Report end date :

SERVICES PROVIDED DURING JOB SEARCH PERIOD: Face to Face with Client _____ (number of hours)

Provide details of each: Applications:	
Applications. 1. Employer	_Outcome
	Outcome
Follow-up3 Employer	Outcome
Interviews:	
1. Employer	
Outcome/Follow-up	
2. Employer	
3. Employer	
Outcome/Follow-up	
<u>Other supports provided</u> (explain):	
Work related behavior:	Social Skills
Transportation:	Personal Appearance
Comments (Barriers, progress, other notable	e information):

SE Provider Staff

Date

I/DD CUSTOMIZED EMPLOYMENT 30 DAY REPORT

Instructions: This information must be submitted every 30 days during the job search period.

Client Name:	Address:
Phone Number:	Email:
Service Provider:	
DD Service Coordinator:	
Report start date:	Report end date:

SERVICES PROVIDED DURING CUSTOMIZED EMPLOYMENT PERIOD:

Job goal: _____

Targeted job tasks for customizing job:

Provide details of each:	
Contacts:	
1. Employer	_ Progress of CE/Outcome
Follow-up	
	Progress of CE/Outcome
Follow-up	
	_ Progress of CE/Outcome
Follow-up	
4. Employer	_ Progress of CE/Outcome
Follow-up	
	plans to overcome them, and need for team discussion, etc.
Other supports provided (explain):	
Work related behavior:	
Transportation:	
Social Skills:	
Personal Appearance:	

SE Provider Staff

SE MILESTONE-1 ID

MILESTONE/SERVICE DATES: START: _____

END:_____

Client Name: Address: Phone Number: Email:			
	Client Name:	Phone Number:	Email:

M-1 ID SUPPORTED EMPLOYMENT INITIATE JOB SEARCH SERVICES

VR Counselor:	Date Submitted to VR:
VR IPE Job Goal:	Other Acceptable Options:
Contributions (qualities you have to offer an employer):	Preferences (things you would prefer in a job):
Requirements (things you must have to accept a job):	Environments / Jobs to Avoid:
Employment Barriers	Possible Solutions:

Here is a list of job search skills and activities that a person will need to have the ability to do to successfully obtain employment. Please mark the activities that would be most helpful for you and the Supported Employment Specialist to do together during the job search process.

□ Training Support on Work Skills & Arrive on Time/Leave on Time	□ Job Interview Assistance
□ Interview Skills Training	□ Take to Job Interviews
Train on Workplace Problem Solving	Employer Advocacy & Follow-up
Assist with Personal / Appearance Needs	Assist in Developing Current Transportation Plan
Assist in Developing Cover Letter/Resume	□ Job Coaching to Learn Job
Employment Application Assistance	Contact & Develop Employer Opportunities
Provide Job Leads / Information	Follow up with Employers
□ Identify & Advocate for Worksite Accommodation Needs	

Client Signature	Date	
Authorized Representative Signature	Date	
SE Specialist Signature	Date	
VR Staff Signature	Date	

□ Copy sent to DD Service Coordinator

SE MILESTONE-2 ID

MILESTONE/SERVICE DATES: START: _____

END: _____ Client Name: Phone Number: Address: Email: **ID M-2** SUPPORTED EMPLOYMENT PLACEMENT REPORT VR Counselor: Job Start Date: Name Of Employer: Job Title: Employer Address: Job Duties: Telephone #: Supervisor: Hourly Wage: Hours Per Week: Benefits: □ Health Insurance □ Paid Sick Leave Retirement Plan □ None □ Other □ Dental □ Paid Vacation JOB SEARCH SUPPORTS PROVIDED TO GET A JOB: Total number of hours U Weekly Contact □ Application Assistance □ Interview Skills Training □ Personal / Appearance Needs □ Job Leads / Information □ Problem Solving □ Interview Assistance U Worksite Accommodations Developed Employer Advocacy / Follow-up □ We have reviewed possible risks involved in job □ Cover Letter/Resume Employer Contact & Job Development □ Transportation Plan & Assistance □ Other: Benefits Monitoring (Social Security, Medicaid, housing, food stamps) PROJECTED INTERVENTIONS IN WORK PLACE: □ Job Coaching On Site Hours _____ Per Week EMPLOYER INVOLVEMENT (CHECK ALL THAT APPLY) Off Site Hours Per Week U We may contact employer/supervisor about work performance □ Client Contact-____ (times per week) Employer is aware of disability □ Phone, Email, Text: □ Face to Face: Employer is aware of SE involvement Employer Contact – _____ (# of times per month) □ Assistance Learning the Job □ Personal/Appearance □ Implement Transportation Plan □ Problem Solving Skill Training & Support □ Other: Benefits Monitoring (Social Security, Medicaid, housing, food stamps) □ Work Related Behaviors □ Attendance Skills Comments: □ Implement Worksite Accommodations

I verify that the information above is correct. I understand that I have a right to revoke this consent in writing if I so desire in the future.

Client Signature	Date
Authorized Depresentative Cignature	Data
Authorized Representative Signature	Date
SE Specialist Signature	Date
VR Staff Signature	Date

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CUSTOMIZED EMPLOYMENT MILESTONE-2 ID

Address:

Client Name:

MILESTONE/SERVICE DATES: START: ____

Phone Number:

END___

Email:

ID M-2 CUSTOMIZED EMPLOYMENT PLACEMENT REPORT

VR Counselor:			Job Start Date:	
Name Of Employer:		Job Title:		
Employer Address:		Job Duties:		
Telephone #: Supervisor:		Benefits:		None Dental Reid Vecetion
Hourly Wage: Hours P	er Week:		□ Paid Sick Leave □ Paid Vacation □ Retirement Plan □ Other	
CUSTOMIZED JOB SEARCH SUPPORTS	PROVIDED TO GET A			
Weekly Contact		Assistance with employer's required paperwork		
Identified Employers with needs matching		Problem Solving addressed		
Employer contact & Advocacy		□ Identified other needed work supports		
□ Worksite assessment & analysis		□ We have reviewed possible risks involved in job		
□ Negotiated job duties &/or employer expectations		Other:		
□ Developed job description based on client & business needs				
Developed job duties, work schedule, supervision specifics		Personal / Appearance Needs		
Worksite Accommodations Developed		Benefits Monitoring (Social Security, Medicaid, housing, food stamps):		
PROJECTED INTERVENTIONS IN WORK PLACE:				
□ Job Coaching □ On Site Hours _		EMPLOYER INVOLVEMENT (CHECK ALL THAT APPLY)		
Off Site Hours		 We may contact employer/supervisor about work performance Employer is aware of disability Employer is aware of SE involvement Employer Contact – (# of times per month) 		
Client Contact (times per week)				
□ Face to Face: □ Phone, Email, Text:				
□ Assistance Learning the Job				
Develop Transportation Plan		□ No Employer contact per client request		
Problem Solving		Personal/Appearance		
Conflict Resolution		□ Coping Skills		
□ Attendance Skills				
Benefits Monitoring (Social Security, Medicaid, housing, food stamps)		Comments:		
Implement Worksite Accommodations				

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Client Signature	Date
Authorized Representative Signature	Date
SE Specialist Signature	Date
VR Staff Signature	Date

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SE MILESTONE-3 ID

Client Name:

MILESTONE/SERVICE DATES: START: ____

Address:

END:___

Email:

Phone Number:

M-3 ID SUPPORTED EMPLOYMENT JOB STABILIZATION REPORT

VR Counselor: Job Start		Date:	Stabilization Date:			
Name of Employer:			Job Title:			
Hourly Wage:	Hours per Week:		Job Duties:			
STABILIZATION CRITERIA:	satisfied with job & progress		Benefits: □ Dental □ Paid Vacatio □ Health Insurance □ None □ Other □ Paid Sick Leave □ Retirement Plan Employer Feedback: □ No Employer contact per Client request			
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Employer Contact –(times per month) Hrs		□] Employer Contact -	· (times per month):		
□ Assistance Learning the Job Hrs		_ [Job Retention Skills	;		
□ Problem Solving on the Job			Problem Solving on			
Work Related Behaviors			Work Related Behaviors			
Worksite Accommodations Imple	emented		Worksite Accommodations Implemented			
□ Attendance Skills			□ Attendance Skills			
Implement Transportation Plan			Developed Natural Supports at Worksite			
Personal / Appearance			Work Work/Life Balance			
Develop Natural Supports at Worksite			Transportation Plan Implemented			
Other:			Personal / Appearance			
Coordinate Benefits Monitoring (Social Security, Medicaid, housing, food stamps)			Coordinate Benefits busing, food stamps)	Monitoring (Social Security, Medicaid,		
Comments:		C	omments:			

Client Signature	Date	
Authorized Representative Signature	Date	
SE Specialist Signature	Date	
VR Staff Signature	Date	

SE MILESTONE-4 ID

Client Name:

MILESTONE/SERVICE DATES: START:

Address:

Phone Number:

Email:

END:

M-4 ID VR CLOSURE AND SE JOB RETENTION PLAN

VR Counselor:		Possible or	utcome date:	
IPE Job Goal:		Job Title:		
Name of Employer:			Job Duties	:
Hourly Wage:	Hours per Week:			
CLOSURE CRITERIA:		Benefits:		None
□ Client Satisfaction		Health Insurance Paid Sick Leave		□ Dental □ Paid Vacation
□ On the Job at least 90 days		□ Retirement Plan		□ Other
□ Employer Satisfaction		Employer Feedbac		
Long Term Supports Identified	4			
		Name of Contact:		
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SUPPORTED EMPLOYMENT SERVICES PROVIDED

JOB RETENTION PLAN (projected long term supports)

Employment Advocacy	□ Client Contact: (projected number of times per month) □ Face to Face: □ Phone, Email, Text:	
□ Job Search Activities	, ,	
□ Job Seeking Skills	□ Employer Contact (projected number of times per month) □ NA □On-Site: □ Emails, Phone:	
□ Job Coaching □ On Site Hours:	□ NA □On-Site: □ Emails, Phone:	
Off Site Hour:	□ Monitor Natural Supports	
□ Face to Face:		
□ Client Contact: (Avg # of times per week)	□ Provide Job Retention & Maintenance Skills Provided	
□ Face to Face: □ Phone, Email, Text:	□ On going Job Coaching number of hours each Week	
Employer Contact: Face-Face, Calls INA	U Worksite Accommodations Monitor	
Work Performance Skills Stable	□ Other (Describe)	
Transportation Plan Implemented	COMMENTS:	
Developed Natural Supports		
Work Related Social Skills		
Work Problem Solving Implemented		
Worksite Accommodations monitored	Benefits Monitoring (Social Security, Medicaid, housing, food	
Benefits Monitoring (Social Security, Medicaid, housing, food stamps)	stamps)	
Client Signature	Date	
Authorized Representative Signature	Date	
Supported Employment Specialist Signature	Date	
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Nebraska VR Specialist Signature	Date of Closure	
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SE MILESTONE-5 A&B I/DD, ABI/Autism Supported/Customized Employment

Check one:

MS 5A Start/End date (6 months from successful outcome date): ____

MS 5B Start/End date	(12 months from successful outcome date):
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Client Name:	Address:	Phone Number:	Email:

M-5 A/B SUPPORTED/CUSTOMIZED EMPLOYMENT REPORT

DATE FORM SENT:		COMPLETED) BY/PHONE #
NAME OF EMPLOYER:			JOB TITLE & DUTIES:
HOURLY WAGE:	CLIENT SATISFACTION / FEEDBACK:		
HOURS PER WEEK:	EMPLOYER SATIS	FACTION / FE	EDBACK:

CLIENT LONG TERM SUPPORT PROVIDED (check all that occurred and provide a brief narrative about each in the comments section)

Work Performance Skills	Coping Skills	Natural Supports		
□ Social Skills on the Job	Conflict Resolution	Problem Solving		
□ Job Attendance	Personal Appearance	Worksite Accommodations		
Interpersonal Relationships (employer, supervisor, co-workers)		□ Transportation		
□ Training for Income Reporting/Benefits Monitoring Supports (Social Security, Medicaid, Housing, SNAP)				
Other, list:				

COMMENTS - Provide details on all supports checked above.

Client Signature	Date
Authorized Representative Signature	Date
SE Specialist Signature	Date
VR Staff Signature	Date

Copy sent to DD Service Coordinator (if applicable)

Copy sent to Authorized Representative (if applicable)

Links to the supporting documents for Independent Providers:

Milestone Payment Charts:

Supported Employment Milestone Payment for Intellectual/Developmental (I/DD) http://webforms.vr.ne.gov/assets/vr_forms/288/original/DD_ID_MilestonePaymentSchedule.pdf? 1504880387

Customized Employment Milestone Payment for Intellectual/Developmental (I/DD) http://webforms.vr.ne.gov/assets/vr_forms/285/original/CE_MilestonePaymentScheduleVR.pdf? 1504880501

Milestones:

Supported Employment Milestone-1 ID, SE Initiate Job Search Services http://webforms.vr.ne.gov/assets/vr_forms/206/original/SE_Milestone-1.pdf?1500292983

Supported Employment Milestone-2 ID, SE Placement Report http://webforms.vr.ne.gov/assets/vr_forms/207/original/SE_Milestone-2.pdf?1500293137

Supported Employment-2 ID Customized Employment Placement Report http://webforms.vr.ne.gov/assets/vr_forms/300/original/Milestone2Customized.pdf?1500293081

Supported Employment Milestone-3 ID, SE Job Stabilization Report http://webforms.vr.ne.gov/assets/vr_forms/208/original/SE_Milestone-3.pdf?1500293184

Supported Employment Milestone-4 ID, VR Closure and SE Job Retention Plan http://webforms.vr.ne.gov/assets/vr_forms/209/original/SE_Milestone_ID-4.pdf?1500293223

Supported Employment Milestone-5 A & B I/DD, ABI/Autism Supported/Customized Employment http://webforms.vr.ne.gov/assets/vr_forms/210/original/SE_Milestone_5_DD_ABI_Autism_SE.pdf? 1520006840

SE 30 Day Reports:

I/DD Supported Employment 30 Day Report http://webforms.vr.ne.gov/assets/vr_forms/299/original/I-DD_30_Day_Report.pdf?1526582317

I/DD Customized Employment 30 Day Report

http://webforms.vr.ne.gov/assets/vr_forms/354/original/IDD_Cust_30Report.pdf?1526582701

INDEPENDENT PROVIDER SUPPORTED EMPLOYMENT SERVICES BILLING DOCUMENT

Services Provided By: _____

Address: _____

CLIENT:

BILLING DATE:

MILESTONE	Start Date	End Date	Amount	TOTAL
Discovery Milestone			\$500	
Milestone 1-Initiate Services			\$1000	
Milestone 2-Supported Employment Placement			\$1500	
Milestone 2-Customized Employment Placement			\$2500	
Milestone 3 -Job Coaching & Stabilization			\$1500	
Milestone 4-VR Closure Plan & Extended Supports Plan			\$2000	
Milestone 5A -SE Report 6 months *			\$500	
Milestone 5B -SE Report 12months *			\$500	

*5A may be billed if job at closure is maintained for 6 months; 5B may be billed if job is maintained for 12 months

	TOTAL
Independent Provider Signature:	Date:
Nebraska VR Specialist Signature:	Date: