Exit Status Decision Tree

Code Reason for Exit Description

- **Health/Medical.** Individual is hospitalized or receiving medical treatment expected to last longer than 90 days and precludes entry into competitive integrated employment or continued participation in the program.
- 3 Death of Individual.
- 4 Reserve Forces Called to Active Duty. Individual is a member of the National Guard or other reserve military unit of the armed forces and is called to active duty for at least 90 days.
- Ineligible: The individual was determined eligible for the VR program; however, the individual was **no longer eligible** because they no longer wished to seek competitive integrated employment or the individual's disability prevented the individual's ability to seek competitive integrated employment.
 - ❖ No longer interested in Competitive Integrated Employment.
 - Chooses to pursue subminimum wage employment or a position determined non-integrated, rather than CIE.
- 7 **Criminal Offender:** Individual entered a correctional institution (e.g., prison, jail, work farm, detention center) or other institution designed for confinement or rehabilitation of criminal offenders.
- 8 **Ineligible:** Individual is not eligible for VR services because no disabling condition, impediment to employment, or did not require VR services to prepare for, secure, retain, or advance in or regain competitive integrated employment.
- **Transferred to Another Agency:** Individual needs services that are more appropriately obtained elsewhere. This indicates appropriate referral information is forwarded to the other agency in order to provide services more effectively. Include individuals transferred to other VR agencies.
- Achieved Competitive Integrated Employment Outcome. A VR client completed IPE goals and has attained employment in their vocational goal that meets the definition of competitive integrated employment. Prior to beginning a period of stable employment (e.g. 90 days), VR supports the client in additional services (e.g. transportation, job coaching, etc.) necessary to reach stability and increase likelihood of maintaining employment long-term. Once the client has reached stability, the case is closed after a minimum 90-day period.
- **Extended Employment:** Individuals who received services and were placed in a non-integrated or sheltered setting for a public or private nonprofit agency or organization that provides compensation in accordance with the Fair Labor Standards Act.
 - ❖ A VR client completed IPE activities but was unable to attain employment in an integrated setting. The client is happy with employment and is making competitive wages. The client is no longer looking for employment.
 - ❖ Enclave Placement or work crew (position belongs to Provider, not the client.)
 - Employment sites determined non-integrated (see <u>Supported Employment</u> Chapter and <u>Assessment for Competitive Integrated Employment</u> chapter for more info.)

- **Extended Services Not Available:** Individual has received VR services but requires long term extended services for which no long-term source of funding is available. This code is used only after IPE is written and individual has received VR services.
- 17 Unable to Locate or Contact: Individual has relocated or left the state without a forwarding address, or when the individual has not responded to repeated attempts to contact by mail, telephone, text, e-mail, etc.
- No Longer Interested in Receiving Services or Further Services: Individuals who actively choose not to participate or continue in VR program. Also use this code to indicate when an individual's actions make it impossible to begin or continue a VR program. Examples include repeated failures to keep appointments for assessment, counseling, or other services.
- **All Other Reasons:** This code is used for 'all other reasons' not included in code values 1 through 18. Because there are very descriptive reasons for exit, very few individuals should be coded to reason 19, Other.
- Ineligible: The individual applied for VR Services due to Section 511 of the Rehabilitation Act, but before determined eligible, decides they are not interested in competitive integrated employment.
- Ineligible: The individual was determined eligible for the VR program; however, following trial work experience(s), the individual was determined **no longer eligible** because the individual was unable to benefit due to the severity of the client's disability and there is clear and convincing evidence to support this decision.
 - An individual's disability may be too significant for them to benefit from the VR program, in terms of an employment outcome. trial work experience(s) to include recent community observations (e.g. High School work experience, work crew, Supported Employment, OJE, OJT, or volunteer experience) there is clear and convincing evidence to support this decision.

Pre-employment Transition Services: No Longer Eligible for Pre-employment Transition Services:

- ❖ Individual is no longer a student or and/or is not in the specified age range 14-21.
- Student is no longer verified as a student with a disability, the disability no longer presents barriers for the student and the student does not have another disabling condition that would qualify for the receipt of pre-employment transition services. (e.g. student is discharged from IEP or 504 Plan and it is agreed that there is no disabling condition). Discussion with parent/authorized representative for a student 19 or under must be documented.
- Death of student.

Pre-employment Transition Services: No Longer Interested in Services:

- Student and/or parent/authorized representative actively chooses not to participate or continue to receive preemployment transition services.
- Student and parent/authorized representative agree that all needed pre-employment transition services have been completed.
- Student's actions make it impossible to begin or continue pre-employment transition services. Examples include repeated failures to keep appointments for participation in pre-employment transition services. Contact with parent/authorized representative of a student 19 or under and any student with an IEP must have been attempted and documented.

Pre-employment Transition Services: Not Available for Services:

- Unable to contact student, unable to locate student, student moved out of state.
- Student entered a correctional facility where pre-employment transition services are **not** offered and there is a reasonable expectation that the student will be inaccessible to VR staff for the remainder of their period of eligibility as a student. If the student is at a facility where VR staff provide services or is expected to return to high school, do not terminate the case.

Closure from Referral

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Closure from Applied

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Closure from Determined Eligible

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Closure from VR Services

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Pre-Employment Transition Services- Still Eligible

Pre-employment Transition Services: Not Available for Services and Pre-employment Transition Services: No Longer Interested in Services

Pre-Employment Transition Services- No Longer Eligible

Pre-employment Transition Services: No Longer Eligible for Pre-employment Transition Services