

Adult Eligibility

1. 18 years of age or older;
2. Resident of Wake or Johnston County;
3. US citizen or eligible, non-citizen;
4. In compliance with Selective Service registration requirements; and
5. Qualifies in one of the Priority of Service target groups;
6. Priority of Services under the Adult Program - Under WIA , 3 target groups receive priority for Adult services: Low Income persons (refer to definitions that follow for low income), Public Assistance recipients, and Veterans. Under the federal Jobs for Veterans Act , priority of services also applies to eligible spouses of veterans.
7. Low income individual is defined as:
 - a. Receiving public assistance, i.e., Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) or Supplemental Security Income (SSI);
 - b. Family income for the 6-month period prior to application, in relation to family size, that does not exceed the higher of the poverty level or 70% of the lower living standard guidelines;
 - c. Member of a household receiving Food Stamps or eligible to receive Food Stamps within the 6-month period prior to application;
 - d. Qualifies as a Homeless person;
 - e. Qualifies as a Foster child;
 - f. An individual with a disability whose own income does not exceed the higher of the poverty level or 70% of the lower living standard guidelines.
8. Veteran is defined as an individual who served active duty in the military, naval or air service, and who was discharged from such service under conditions other than dishonorable. Note: When the veterans' priority is applied in conjunction with another statutory priority such as recipients of public assistance and low income persons, "veterans and eligible spouses must receive the highest priority within that priority group..."