



## Spring 2023 Training Fund Newsletter

### 2022 Year in Review



**2022 was a big year for the Training Fund!** In addition to launching the Advanced Certification for EVS Technicians (ACET) program, we developed apprenticeship programs to support workforce development needs in Washington state.

And we continue to help members reach their career and educational goals through programs like Tuition Assistance, Tutoring, and more.

[See the Training Fund impact](#)

[Apply to the Training Fund](#)

**Thanks to everyone who completed our Member Satisfaction Survey.** Congrats to our three randomly-selected winners, who each will receive a free Google Chromebook from the Training Fund!

The winners are:

- **Senait Salima**, Lab Assistant at VMFH-St. Anne Hospital
- **Nafely Heng**, RN at UW Valley Medical Center
- **MaryJo Sandoval**, Medical Assistant at Kaiser Permanente Olympia



*The great aim of education is not knowledge but action - Herbert Spencer.*  
I value the help you've given me. The financial aid you provided has made it easy for me to pursue my studies well. Thank you, SEIU!

**Senait Selima**, Lab Assistant at St. Anne Hospital  
*Training Fund member since 2013*

The Training Fund has allowed me to add certification courses which adds values to my Medical Assistant License. Thank you, SEIU!

**MaryJo Sandoval**, MA at Kaiser Permanente Olympia  
*Training Fund member since 2020*



## New Calendar and Upcoming Deadlines



Training Fund staff members regularly visit worksites to check in with members and talk with workers interested in accessing their hard-earned resources.

**Check out the calendar on our website** to view our events! If you don't see your worksite yet, check back soon.

[Check out our Calendar](#)

### Pro/Tech Conference Travel Funding Deadline

Pro/Tech workers can use Professional Development funds for Conference Travel and Funding. The next deadline to apply is June 1.



Check out your other PD benefits and apply by clicking the button below.

[Apply for Conference Funding](#)

[Find your Education Navigator](#)

## Spotlight: NA-C Training Program



To meet skyrocketing behavioral health needs, the Health Care Apprenticeship Consortium (HCAC), led by the Training Fund, now offers an NA-C Training Program.

The program provides highly-supported classroom & lab learning (4 weeks) and a clinical setting (1 week) to prepare aspiring Nursing Assistants.

[Learn more about the NA-C program](#)

Read about how **Narielle Mendoza, a Tacoma-area high school student**, earned her NA-C while still in school with the support of the Training Fund.



[Read Narielle's Story](#)

## Member Services and Programs



### Language Interpretation

The Training Fund offers its members language interpretation services to access their Training Fund programs and benefits. Click the button below to learn more. And stay tuned for more exciting news about our

language interpretation services!

[Learn more about Interpretation](#)

### Free CEUs through HealthStream CE Unlimited

The Training Fund offers an easy way for members to complete job-related CEUs through HealthStream CE Unlimited. You may complete as many CE courses as you like — all for free through the Training Fund!



[Learn more about HealthStream](#)



### Laptop and Mobile Hotspot Lending

The Training Fund offers short-term laptop and mobile hotspot loans as part of our commitment to Digital Access and Equity for Education! These resources are short-term loans available to members participating in

approved Training Fund Programs.

Loans are not intended to exceed 90 days or during the decided duration

for an approved Training Fund program. Training Fund staff will work closely with you to overcome barriers to access longer-term resources.

[Learn more about Laptop and Hotspot Lending](#)

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