



**MAP**  
MOBILIZING  
ALABAMA  
PATHWAYS

## What is Mobilizing Alabama Pathways (MAPs)?

**MAPS (Mobilizing Alabama Pathways)** MAPs are FREE short-term, virtual training programs for high-demand jobs in Alabama. Students can complete the credentialed programs in less time than other college credentials. The first MAPs were created for high demand and high wage industries in the state, including healthcare, transportation & logistics, information technology, manufacturing, and construction.

**Alabama residents** who are displaced, in career fields with low wages or who are new to the workforce but face barriers now have a streamlined workforce development process that helps them navigate in-demand careers. The skills-based workforce training program through Alabama's community colleges and adult education providers is the result of a federal grant that creates the Alabama Workforce Stabilization Program (AWSP).

**AWSP** provides opportunities for nearly 8,000 Alabama workers in conjunction with nine partners: Governor Kay Ivey's Office; Alabama Workforce Council (AWC); Alabama Community College System (ACCS); Alabama Workforce Innovation & Opportunity Act (WIOA); Alabama Department of Labor; VitAL; Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta; Alabama Office of Apprenticeship Pre-apprenticeship Program; and AIDT.

## How will MAPs benefit Alabama residents?

**The MAP Credential** is awarded to individuals who complete courses licensed by the Alabama Community College System for non-credit training aligned to business and industry need. The ACCS Credential communicates to businesses and institutions of higher education alike that the skills taught in the program have been mastered by individuals now ready for employment and/or additional education.

### What participants can gain:

- MAP industry recognized credential
- Industry-specific skillset
- Opportunities for advancement in a current job
- Gainful employment
- Potential credit for college-level courses in specific career and technical education (CTE) programs under the college's Prior Learning Assessment program.
- Placement in a Skills for Success rapid training course

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