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WORKFORCE CONVENING

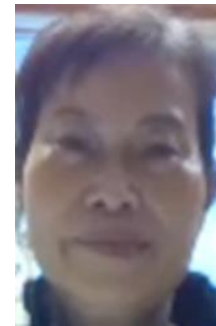
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The EcSA Model (Economic Security for All)

A Poverty Reduction System You Can Implement with WIOA

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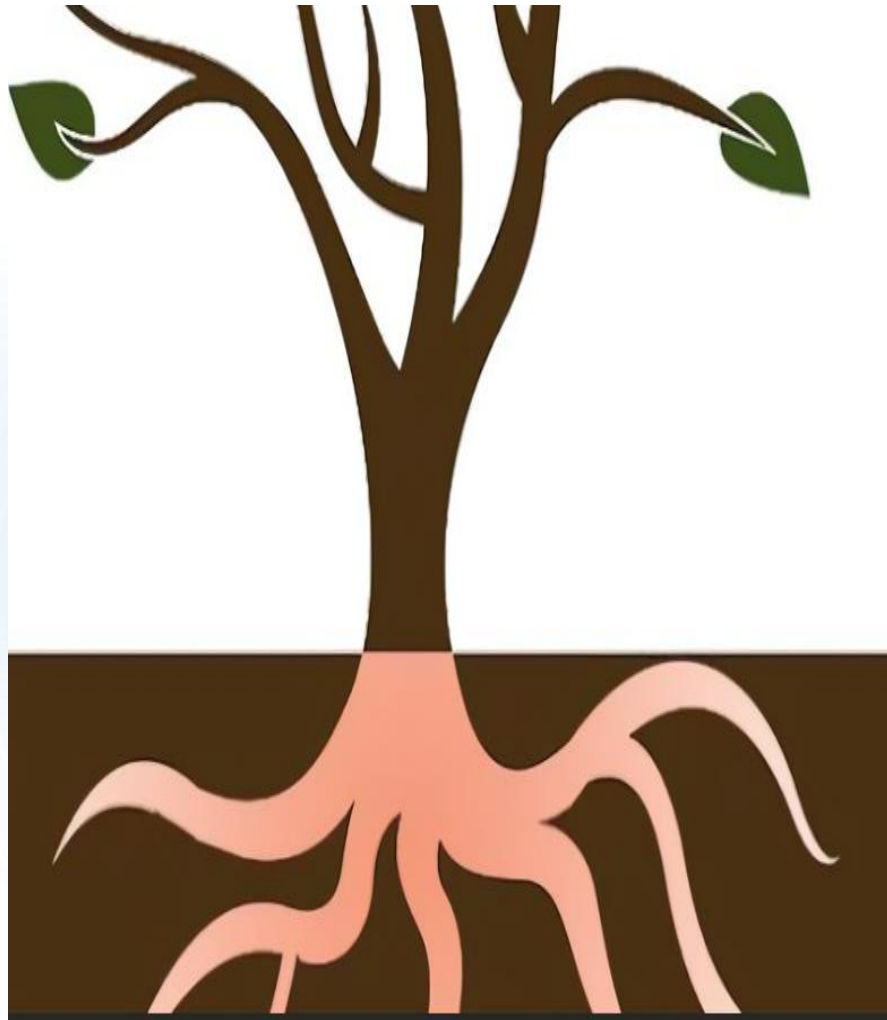
- Rafa is a young man from a family of seasonal farmworkers. Through EcSA, he is now earning \$75,000 driving long-haul. His father now wants to earn his CDL as well!
- Sarah had little parental help. With EcSA's comprehensive approach, Sarah is pursuing her bachelor's degree with a solid support plan.
- Tera was homeless. Now Tera works as a carpenter's apprentice.



The EcSA Model is Different

Because It Addresses the Root Causes

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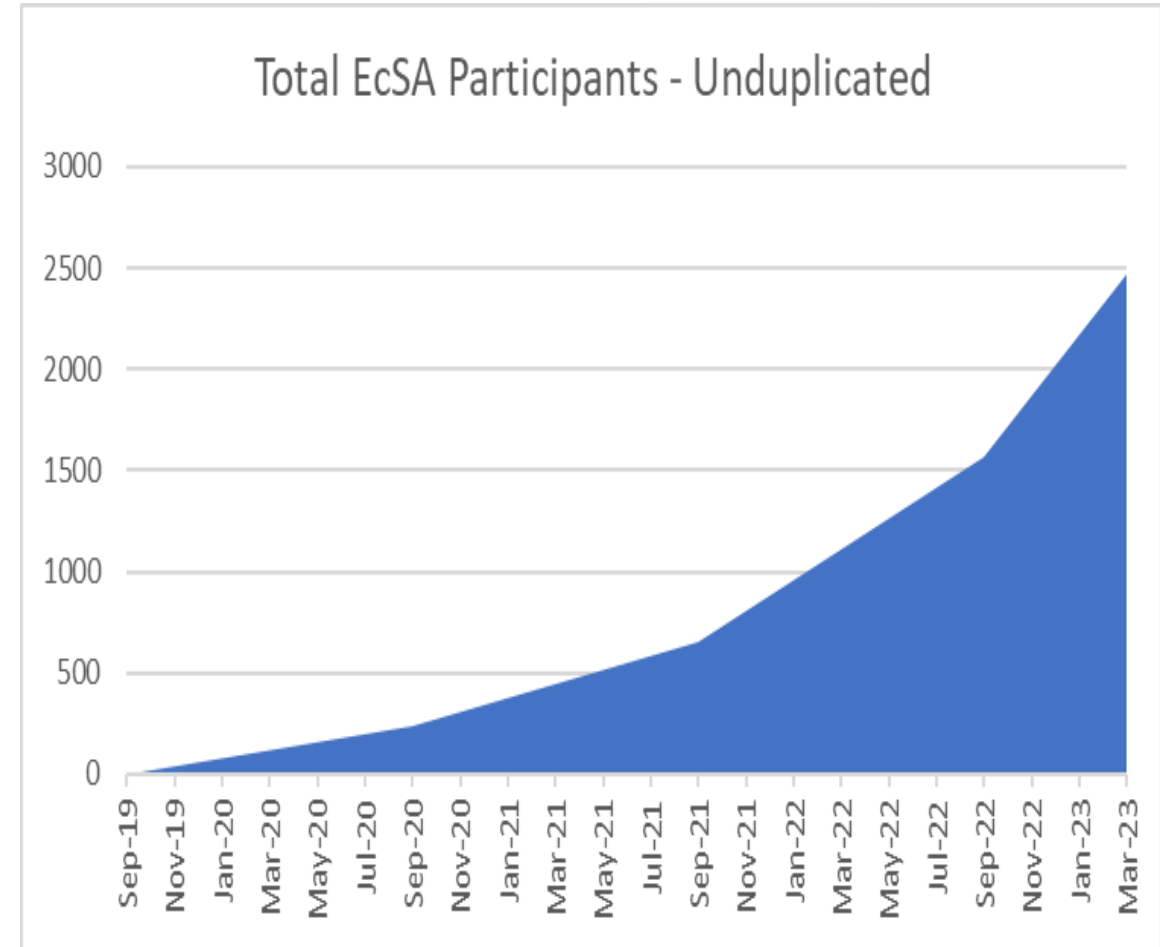
- Recruit for equity and serve with dignity
- Aim for and achieve living wages
- Bundle workforce/training/human services
- Fill gaps
- Consistent staff tools = equity

To address siloed programs, poverty wages, benefit gaps, hopelessness, abandonment

The EcSA Model is Working

Local Workforce Boards are Succeeding

- 13% unhoused
- 100% in poverty (most in deep poverty)
- 55% BIPOC or multiethnic
- 502 reached self-sufficiency so far
- \$46,000 median annual wage
- 756 training for living wage career
- \$10m/year new state appropriation to expand what WIOA began



The EcSA Model

Improves Outcomes for Families, Youth, and Adults



Isaiah – Spokane Workforce Board

Isaiah was disconnected from school and did not have access to technology to complete his GED. Through EcSA, Isaiah gained a career coach, self-sufficiency goal, career plan, and access to multiple services from different agencies, including a laptop and wifi access to complete his education. He is actively working toward permanent self-sufficiency.

Amplifies Collective Impact of Existing Programs

- Braided service-delivery model
- Intensive case management and wraparound support
- Equity for BIPOC, rural, and other marginalized communities

12	Local Workforce Boards
	Leading teams in all of WA
180+	Community-based Partners
500+	Reached self-sufficiency so far
2450+	Individuals enrolled so far
5000+	Projected by June 2025

The EcSA Model is Available for You

Resources We Can Share

- Expert staff—local and state
- Sample RFPs & Contracts
- Staff tool for bundling services
- Staff tool for personalized self-sufficiency goals
- Performance systems
- State legislative reports

