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take notice

How can Workforce³ One support professional development? Find out on page 3.

what's new

Looking for information about careers that are licensed by states? Use CareerOneStop's **Licensed Occupations** tool, which has been updated with new data. You can search by occupation, agency, or keyword to find details about the licenses required by law in your state. Visit www.careerinfonet.org/licensedoccupations.

It's now even easier to share or teach others about CareerOneStop resources. The newly redesigned **Outreach and Training Center** has materials you can print, share, and download. Documents are grouped by audience to help you quickly find what you need. Visit www.CareerOneStop.org/OutreachTraining.

If you're a regular user of the **Registered Apprenticeship Partners Information Data System (RAPIDS)**, you can now easily search for related O*NET occupations. RAPIDS has been added to the crosswalk search on O*NET at <http://online.onetcenter.org/crosswalk>.

E-mail your feedback, comments, and other thoughts to info@careeronestop.org.

spotlight:

New tools to support workforce and talent development

Are you looking for tools to help you visually represent the industry needs in your region?

The **Competency Model Clearinghouse** site within CareerOneStop has added two new interactive tools that can help.



Read more on page 2.

spotlight:

New Tools from Competency Model Clearinghouse

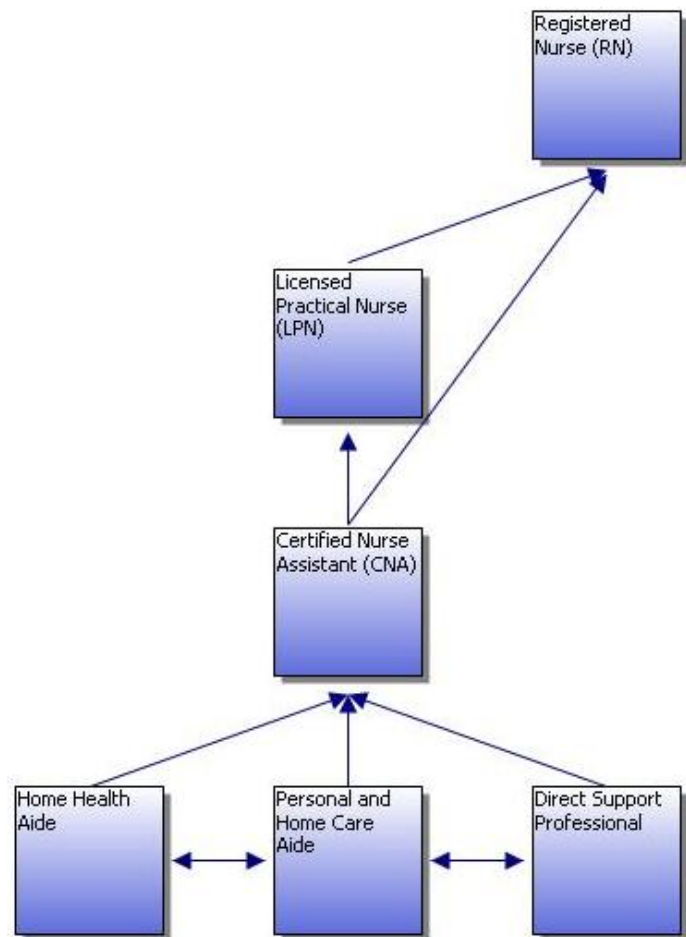
Two new online tools have recently gone live on the Competency Model Clearinghouse site within CareerOneStop. These two interactive tools — Build a Competency Model and Build a Career Ladder/Lattice — let strategic partners work together to build, save, and download customized models that identify the competencies and critical developmental experiences individuals need to progress through 21st century careers in specific industries.

The enhanced Competency Model tool enables users to customize national industry competency models to reflect specific workforce needs of regional economies. For example, a user can start with the framework for Advanced Manufacturing, and customize it to reflect the competencies for Pharmaceutical Manufacturing in a region.

Users can then start with a national or customized industry competency model and employ the Career Ladder/Lattice tool to identify the sequence of jobs or occupations within specific careers in that industry. The tool results in a graphic that illustrates the progression and advancement potential in the career ladder/lattice and also contains documentation of the requirements for each job and the critical developmental experiences needed to move between them.

To access these tools as well as other resources that will help you learn about and use competencies and career ladder/lattices to support workforce and talent development, visit the Competency Model Clearinghouse at www.CareerOneStop.org/CompetencyModel.

Sample: Registered Nurse Career Ladder/Lattice



Example Career Lattice for the Long-term Healthcare Industry

events

Check out free webinars and online courses at:

www.Workforce3One.org

www.ONETAcademy.com

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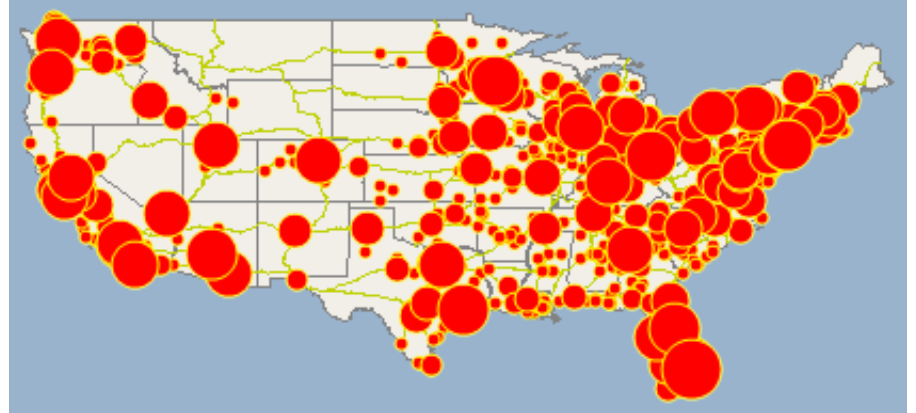
Toll Free: 1-877-348-0502

TTY: 1-877-348-0501

solutions

CareerOneStop's Refugee Mapping Tool

<http://maps.servicelocator.org/refugeemap/>



Looking for a snapshot of the refugee population in your state or local area?

This interactive tool quickly identifies refugee populations by resettlement place, country of origin, gender, age, and other variables. Use it to help understand demographics, plan programs, and connect with local partners.

other resources

Workforce Professionals: Let Workforce³ One support your professional development. www.Workforce3One.org

Did you know that Workforce³ One's mission is to build the capacity of the Workforce Investment System (WIS)? You'll find many capacity-building resources on this innovative Web site:

- Webinars that highlight promising practices
- A searchable database of 3,500 learning modules
- Collaborative workspaces to allow individuals to share information and support partnerships

coming soon

Updated financial aid and scholarship information will be available soon at www.CareerOneStop.org/EducationTraining.