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Notes for Testimony to Senate Commerce Committee

- Employers – difficult time finding employees
- Vermont has an aging workforce
- Most jobs that are being created require education beyond the high school level.
- We need to work together to keep businesses and attract new businesses.
- Develop industry recognized credential...get a better job (milestone) while working on a degree.

Work with employers in a number of different ways:

1. Contracted courses/training on-site
2. Send individual employees to CCV for further education
3. Design specific curriculum/program – Medical Assistant program in Brattleboro

Sample Programs

1. Medical Assistant program – Brattleboro Hospital
2. VT Division of VR – ACRE (Association of Community Rehabilitation Educators)
3. Certified Book keeping program
4. CCV – VT Child Care Industry and Career Council – Childcare apprenticeship program includes 6 CCV course, etc – can use this toward a degree
5. CPT (Certified Production Technician) – GE Aviation/Adecco
Quality, Maintenance, Safety
9 sections running from Hazelett to Darn Tough, to GE Aviation, to Global Foundries, to public sections in Springfield, Bennington and St. Albans