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To: Executive Directors and Program Managers of the WorkSource System

From: Manny Chavez, Acting Director  
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Subject: **WIA TRAINING Bulletin Number 05-01  
ASSOCIATED WITH THE HEALTH CARE CAREER LADDER  
PROJECT**

The Healthcare Career Ladder Training Program will be offering free Certified Nurse Assistant (**CNA**) and Licensed Vocational Nurse (LVN) Training Programs. The Workforce Investment Board (WIB) has allocated \$1 Million to the Healthcare project this year to train WIA participants interested in the healthcare industry. Certified Nursing Assistant and Licensed Vocational Nurse trainings are an integral part of the career ladder designed to increase education levels and promote self-sufficiency. These classes are part of the WIB's on-going commitment to alleviate the shortage of nurses and other professionals in the Healthcare industry.

Lynwood Adult School has been selected to present both trainings. It offers accelerated programs with flexible schedules and an exceptional pass rate. After the successful completion of the program, students will be offered a job opportunity with one of the participating employers. Participation in the customized training program requires a commitment on the part of the training participant to work for one year with the chosen employer. Individuals who are not able to meet this obligation cannot be accepted into this educational program.

Please see attached flyer for important information on prerequisites, screening and training dates. For any additional information about this program please contact Joan Samuels, Healthcare Project Coordinator at (213) 381-3110 x 245.

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