

AGENDA ADDENDUM

Please note that the following breakout sessions have been swapped.
The times and locations are below.

TUESDAY
11:00 A.M.–
12:00 P.M.

CONCURRENT SESSIONS 1

I. SKILLS2WORK IMPACTCOMMUNITY— INCREASING CONNECTIVITY IN A FRAGMENTED ENVIRONMENT

ROOM 4C5521

Christian Lagarde, Project Manager, Workforce and Economic Development, American Association of Community Colleges and TAACCCT Learning Network

Matt Springer, Great Falls College, Montana State University

The Skills2Work (S2W) IMPACTCommunity was created by SkillsCommons to support college staff to build stronger bridges between their institutions and employers. Come meet the grantees who are part of this community to hear about their industry engagement strategies and how the S2W community might be able to support your work.

WEDNESDAY
9:00–10:00 A.M.

CONCURRENT SESSIONS 2

II. HEALTHCARE MONTANA: CREATING ACCESS TO RURAL EDUCATION THROUGH HEALTH CARE APPRENTICESHIPS

ROOM
N-5437C

Carly Holman, Workforce Coordinator, Western Montana Area Health Education Center

Kaye Norris, Project Director, Missoula College University of Montana

Valerie Piet, HealthCARE Program Supervisor, Montana Department of Labor & Industry

Health care apprenticeship programs are being developed for the first time in Montana to develop a skilled workforce for this rural frontier state. Participants of this session will learn how employers and community and tribal colleges, as part of HealthCARE Montana, have worked collaboratively to train 84 apprentices, sponsored by 29 employers, in 14 different occupations, including certified nursing assistant, pharmacy technician, and practical nursing.