



## Workforce Development

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## Initial Application

### OMNI Project and COVID National Emergency Grant

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Basic eligibility:

1. Are you 18 years or older?  Yes  No
2. Are you a US citizen or legally entitled to work in the United States?  Yes  No
3. Which state do you live in?  Minnesota  Wisconsin

#### If you can answer yes to one or more of the following questions, you may be eligible for enrollment in the OMNI Project or COVID National Emergency Grant:

1. Have you been unemployed for at least 15 weeks in the previous year (52 weeks)?  Yes  No
2. Have you lost your job through no fault of your own?  Yes  No
3. Are you eligible for or currently receiving unemployment insurance benefits? Or have you recently exhausted unemployment?  Yes  No
4. Are you self-employed and recently lost a substantial amount of business?  Yes  No
5. Was the change in your employment or business status a result of the COVID pandemic?  Yes  No
6. Are you unlikely to return to your previous occupation?  Yes  No
7. Have you ever worked for a single employer through at least two pay periods or for one month?  Yes  No
8. Are you interested in pursuing a career in a field that can have an impact on the opioid crisis?  Yes  No
9. Your answer to this question is voluntary\*: Do you, a friend, or any member of your family have a history of opioid use?  Yes  No

Any questions about eligibility should be directed to Wendy Stromberg (218-730-5219; [wstromberg@duluthmn.gov](mailto:wstromberg@duluthmn.gov)) or Shayla Drake (218-730-5238; [sdrake@duluthmn.gov](mailto:sdrake@duluthmn.gov))

**Applicants selected for disaster-related employment must enroll with Duluth Workforce Development in the Dislocated Worker program before beginning work.** Employment may not be offered until enrollment eligibility is confirmed.