Florida Credentials Review Committee

2022 - 2023 Timeline

February	2/1 to 2/4 – ESG Employer Focus Groups convene. Preliminary Florida Credentials of Value Workgroup report received with final report expected in March. 2/17 – Labor Market Estimating Conference Meeting #2 – Supply and demand analysis not adopted by conference. Framework of Quality workgroups convene and continue work.
March	3/9, 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. – Virtual Credentials Review Committee meeting to update the committee on Framework of Quality workgroups, present findings from ESG Credentials of Value work, and present an update on progress of the Labor Market Estimating Conference's work on wages and supply and demand. Action item to consider current Master Credentials List for 2022-2023 school year to be presented. Mid-March – Preliminary Credentials Review Committee Communications Plan drafted. 3/29 – Virtual CareerSource Florida Executive Committee Meeting; Committee votes on delivery of **2022-2023 Master Credentials List to State Board of Education.**
April	April – Anticipate the Office of Economic and Demographic Research will provide additional wage analyses to include wages for occupations at all education levels; wage comparisons within the eight education levels (below high school through graduate degrees); and potential proxy for determining entry-level wages in addition to wage range brackets for all earners. 4/28, 1-4 p.m. – Credentials Review Committee meeting in Tallahassee to include progress report outs from Framework of Quality workgroups; review wage threshold scenarios and discuss process for determining local demand.
May	Workgroups continue discussions. Begin development of Returned-Value Funding Formula for presentation at June Credentials Review Committee meeting.

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June	6/27, 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. – Credentials Review Committee meeting in Tampa, coinciding with Florida Chamber Foundation's Learners to Earners Summit, to introduce Returned-Value Funding Formula; provide updates from Framework of Quality workgroups and Labor Market Estimating Conference progress toward August conference; review list of credentials that will be evaluated for inclusion on Master Credentials List; and review outcomes from Florida Chamber Foundation's Florida Workforce Needs Survey 2.0.
October	10/25 – Labor Market Estimating Conference Meeting – Labor market data for occupations at sub-baccalaureate level provided. 10/31 – Virtual Credentials Review Committee meeting to provide status updates and revised timeline for Master Credentials List development. Framework of Quality Workgroups receive labor market data from Conference and finalize proposed definition of Credentials of Value and Framework of Quality.
November	11/1 to 11/30 – Application window open for submission of certifications to be considered for state Career and Professional Education (CAPE) Act funding for the 2022-2023 school year. Mid-November – Agenda packet for December Credentials Review Committee meeting provided to committee members for review.

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December	12/7 – Credentials Review Committee meeting in Tallahassee to approve final Framework of Quality criteria and introduce postsecondary performance funding.
	
	Initial evaluation of credentials using approved Framework of Quality begins. Credentials to evaluate include:
	• Sub-baccalaureate credentials collected by the Credentials Review Committee workgroups which include those collected from:
	  ○ Florida School Districts
	  ○ Florida College System
	  ○ State University System of Florida
	  ○ Independent Colleges and Universities of Florida
	  ○ Commission for Independent Education
	  ○ Registered Apprenticeships in Florida
	  ○ Occupational Licenses
	• Industry certifications submitted in the November CAPE application window
	• Current Master Credentials List

February 2023	On or near 2/9 – Credentials Review Committee meets to adopt Master Credentials List for state of Florida. On or near 2/10 – Application window for credentials not included in initial evaluation for Master Credentials List opens. TBD – CareerSource Florida Board meeting to approve delivery of Master Credentials List to State Board of Education.
March 2023	3/22 – State Board of Education meets and votes on CAPE Industry Certification List.
May 2023	Credentials Review Committee meets to adopt *new* credentials to the Master Credentials List that meet the Framework of Quality.