

# Platform to Employment®

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## Employer Wage Subsidy Information Sheet

Platform to Employment (P2E) is an innovative, nationally recognized initiative designed to introduce skilled workers to employers, risk free, utilizing a “try-before-you-buy” approach to hiring. P2E was featured on *60 Minutes* in 2012 and since that time, hundreds have benefited from our risk-free approach.

***Hire someone risk free, evaluate them for 8 weeks and have P2E pay the wages.***

### **How it works?**

- Do you have an open position?
- We match Platform to Employment participants to the requirements of the open position.
- The employer interviews the P2E participant (candidate).
- The participant begins their 8 week “trial” work experience to demonstrate that they are qualified to do the job.
- Through wage subsidy, P2E pays the salary for weeks 1-4.
- Weeks 5-8 are based on a cost-sharing model, whereby P2E and the employer split the salary.
- If the individual performs well, the employer offers the individual the position at the end of the eight week work experience.
- P2E covers salary, insurance and payroll taxes.

### **What happens if the placement does not work out?**

P2E operates on good faith with employers at all times and expects the same in return. There is NO risk! If a participant does not meet your expectations, you are not obligated to hire.

### **Are there limitations on types of placements?**

P2E does not place participants in commission-only positions. All wage subsidies need to be approved in writing.

### **Why use P2E?**

- You can choose from a pool of qualified candidates with years of work experience.
- P2E is risk-free.
- No recruitment or other fees. No cost to employer or employees.

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