



## NEW JERSEY GRANT UPDATE

### **New Jersey offers grants for hiring unemployed workers**

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The state of New Jersey is offering employers a cash grant of up to \$2,400 for hiring individuals who have exhausted all state and federal unemployment insurance benefits at time of hire.

Under New Jersey's RETURN-To-Work program, employers will be reimbursed for up to \$5 per hour for a maximum of 12 weeks, limited to \$2,400 per qualified employee. The new position must pay at least \$15 per hour and the employee must be retained for at least six months.

There are limited funds for this program, so applications will be processed on a first come first served basis.

For more information about the New Jersey RETURN-To-Work grant, e-mail First Advantage at [tax@fadv.com](mailto:tax@fadv.com) or contact your First Advantage account manager.

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