

## **CNA to LVN (Nurse Training) Pilot Summary**

- To address California's nursing shortage, on January 1, 2006 the Panel implemented a Pilot to fund licensed nurse training programs, training individuals who are currently working as nurse assistants or caregivers in a health facility and who are enrolled in an approved nurse training program to become Licensed Vocational Nurses (LVN).
- Trainees must: (1.) be employed at the start of ETP-funded training by a for-profit hospital; (2.) be employed as a nurse assistant or caregiver; and (3.) be enrolled in an accredited licensed nurse training program with an eligible employer, and have completed the first 800 hours of the training program prior to participating in ETP-funded training.
- Participating Employers must meet the definition of a health facility as defined in the Health and Safety Code, Section 1250 but are not required to meet the Panel's out-of-state competition eligibility requirements set forth in UI Code, Section 10200(1).

**For further information regarding this Pilot program, please contact the ETP [Regional Office](#) in your area.**