



## Action Alert

### Protect Special Wage Provision 14c

#### BE AWARE!

- The Biden Administration's \$1.9T Stimulus proposal (Biden American Rescue Plan) includes a provision to eliminate the Special Minimum Wage (Section 14(c)) of the Fair Labor Standards Act.
- Congress and the Administration are currently negotiating proposed legislation in the hope of reaching bipartisan agreement.
- If agreement is not reached, Democratic legislators may try to pass a bill through a process called budget reconciliation, which would only require Democratic support and cannot be filibustered, which would make it very likely to pass.

#### BE ADVISED!

- If the Special Minimum Wage provision (14(c)) is eliminated, you or your loved one **may lose the choice to work** in a setting that uses this certificate, such as *Futures Rehabilitation Center*.
- Most community rehabilitation programs utilize this important certificate to offer training/work services.

#### TAKE ACTION!

1. Call your Senator's office and let them know you support 14(c). You may be asked to leave a recorded message, or you may be able to directly give your message. Say "Senator PLEASE take the 14(c) provision out of the Stimulus legislation".

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2. If you would like to email your Senators, please contact Futures at (814) 368-4101 for assistance.