



What is MAAC?

A brief overview of the services provided by the Manufacturing Assessment and Advancement Centers. *This document is designed to assist HTC Counselors and Advisors.*

What MAAC is...

MAAC centers emphasizing advancement in the field of manufacturing with advisors available to review skills, explore career options, and plan an educational path.

Guidance on manufacturing career advancement through HTC certificates, diplomas, degrees, and credentials such as NIMS or PMMI.

vLabs with state-of-the-art simulators for students to practice skills or fulfill the hands-on requirements of a course. Current locations at BPC and EPC. Opening at Emerge and Bloomington WorkForce in September.

Connection to other support agencies such as HIRED, Veterans Center, WorkForce, etc.

Resource for job search services and connections with industry partners.

Resource for manufacturing companies. vLabs and simulators available for specialized training.

Support the development and incorporation of flexible delivery options with fully online or blended courses.

Support faculty in training and using simulators as part of the curriculum.

What MAAC is not...

MAAC is *not* a stand-alone program with a defined start and end point. MAAC provides services that support the existing **credit-based** manufacturing programs at HTC.

MAAC is *not* for just one type of person. While the grant is focused on recruiting veterans and TAA eligible individuals, anyone is welcome to utilize these resources.

MAAC does *not* require separate admission. MAAC students apply to HTC the same way as all other students. Once admitted to HTC, students complete the MAAC Supplemental form and sign off on the Equal Opportunity Statement.

MAAC does *not* guarantee a shortened time to complete an award; however, Credit for Prior Learning may reduce the amount of courses required and online or hybrid courses may shorten the time required to be on campus.

MAAC does *not* provide tuition reimbursement, but funding options may be available through third party sources.

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