

## President Donald J. Trump Signs H.R. 6157 into Law

On Friday, September 28, 2018, the President signed into law H.R. 6157, the “Department of Defense and Labor, Health and Human Services Appropriations Act, 2019 and Continuing Appropriations Act, 2019. Earlier this week the U.S. House approved the conference report to HR 6157 by a vote of 361-61.

The conference report includes FY 2019 funding for the Departments of Defense, Labor, Health and Human Services and Education. In addition, it also includes short-term funding for other areas of the government that have not been funded through regular appropriations, including a short-term extension of the Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) program.

The following chart, from the Texas Workforce Commission ***Washington Board Update***, highlights certain funding levels for TWC administered programs as compared to current year funding levels.

Program	FY 2019 Conference Committee Report – HR 6157	Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2018
WIOA – Adult	\$845,556,000	\$845,556,000
WIOA – Youth	\$903,416,000	\$903,416,000
WIOA – Dislocated Workers	\$1,040,860,000	\$1,040,860,000
UI State Administration	\$2,515,816,000	\$2,639,600,000
Wagner-Peyser Employment Services Grants to States	\$641,639,000	\$645,000,000
Child Care & Development Block Grant	\$5,276,000,000	\$5,226,000,000
Vocational Rehabilitation	\$3,521,990,000	\$3,452,931,000
Career, Technical and Adult Education	\$1,925,686,000	\$1,830,686,000