



**To:** Institutions of Higher Education  
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**Subject:** NJ OSHE Announces Innovative Partnership with ReUp Education & NJ Colleges and Universities

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The New Jersey Office of the Secretary of Higher Education (OSHE) remains committed to re-engaging students who many have some college credit and no degree (SCND), to re-enroll and complete. This week OSHE announced a partnership with ReUp Education and seventeen of New Jersey’s higher education institutions to provide outreach and coaching to adult learners who stopped out of college and need support to re-enroll.

The institutions participating in the year one cohort include: Rutgers University-Newark, New Jersey Institute of Technology, Kean University, New Jersey City University, Stockton University, William Paterson University of New Jersey, Thomas Edison State University, Saint Elizabeth University, Camden County College, Essex County College, Hudson County Community College, Middlesex College, Passaic County Community College, Rowan College at Burlington County, Salem Community College, Sussex County Community College, and Union College of Union County, New Jersey. In recognition of the resources necessary to serve this population, the year one cohort institutions are eligible for mini-grants to help support the Statewide ReUp Partnership work.

Through the partnership, data will be collected and leveraged to share statewide results and best practices to serve this critical population.

The full press release is available [here](#).

Questions about the Fiscal Year 2023 Some College, No Degree state initiative can be directed to Stefani Thachik at [Stefani.Thachik@oshe.nj.gov](mailto:Stefani.Thachik@oshe.nj.gov).