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National Disability Employment Awareness Month 2017

National Disability Employment Awareness Month (NDEAM) is observed annually in October. NDEAM was created to acknowledge the value and accomplishments of workers with disabilities in our workforce and to serve as a time of awareness for increasing the employment rate of individuals with disabilities. This year's theme is "Inclusion Drives Innovation" to reflect on the value of an inclusive workforce.

Resources, materials and the history of NDEAM are available through the US Department of Labor <u>website</u>

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