00:00:00,080 --> 00:00:05,600 to let everyone know yes amber just just

2 00:00:03,840 --> 00:00:07,520 clicked on it but just to let everybody

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00:00:05,600 --> 00:00:10,080 know we're just going to be recording

4 00:00:07,520 --> 00:00:12,400

the um presentation portion of the

5 00:00:10,080 --> 00:00:13,360 presentation um primarily because we

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00:00:12,400 --> 00:00:15,280 want to make sure that we have this

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00:00:13,360 --> 00:00:16,720 resource available on our website uh for

00:00:15,280 --> 00:00:18,640 folks that maybe couldn't be here today

9 00:00:16,720 --> 00:00:19,760 or you know other nonprofits in the

10 00:00:18,640 --> 00:00:22,320 state that might be interested in

11 00:00:19,760 --> 00:00:24,560 learning um about this really important

12 00:00:22,320 --> 00:00:26,080 content um but i'm actually going to go

13 00:00:24,560 --> 00:00:28,240 ahead and pass it over to amber because

14 00:00:26,080 --> 00:00:32,000 she's starting our presentation so thank

15 00:00:28,240 --> 00:00:34,160 you thanks jessica um so for those of

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00:00:32,000 --> 00:00:37,600 you that um just joined so my name is

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00:00:34,160 --> 00:00:39,600 amber haye i use she her pronouns um i'm

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00:00:37,600 --> 00:00:42,640 a recent addition to the office of the

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00:00:39,600 --> 00:00:44,480 student loan advocate my role is as the

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00:00:42,640 --> 00:00:47,840 public service loan forgiveness advocate

21 00:00:44,480 --> 00:00:49,920 or pslf um uh obviously i'm here today

22 00:00:47,840 --> 00:00:51,600 with jessica as well as terry um and

00:00:49,920 --> 00:00:53,680 they'll reintroduce themselves in just a

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00:00:51,600 --> 00:00:55,199 second today we're here to speak with

25 00:00:53,680 --> 00:00:57,520 you about the public service loan

26 00:00:55,199 --> 00:01:00,079 forgiveness program we'll refer to it

27 00:00:57,520 --> 00:01:01,920 generally as pslf moving forward our

28 00:01:00,079 --> 00:01:03,760 goal is to share with you employer tips

29 00:01:01,920 --> 00:01:05,760 and resources so that you can share this

00:01:03,760 --> 00:01:07,439 amazing benefit with your employees and

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00:01:05,760 --> 00:01:10,000 help them on their path to student loan

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00:01:07,439 --> 00:01:11,600 forgiveness through the program um that

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00:01:10,000 --> 00:01:13,840 really recognizes the hard work they do

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00:01:11,600 --> 00:01:15,840 every day to serve the public so with

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00:01:13,840 --> 00:01:18,240 that being said um i'll let the the rest

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00:01:15,840 --> 00:01:23,240 of the team introduce themselves um 00:01:18,240 --> 00:01:23,240

terry if you'll go ahead and go first

38 00:01:23,759 --> 00:01:30,000 sure hello again so um i'm a little bit

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00:01:27,520 --> 00:01:33,920 newer than amber i've been with the

40 00:01:30,000 --> 00:01:36,640 program since july and my role within

41 00:01:33,920 --> 00:01:41,360 the ofm state hr office is really to

42 00:01:36,640 --> 00:01:44,320 serve um state agency employers and

43 00:01:41,360 --> 00:01:48,000 state employees themselves to navigate

44 00:01:44,320 --> 00:01:50,560 the pslf process uh specifically

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00:01:48,000 --> 00:01:53,920 addressing any issues that our employees

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00:01:50,560 --> 00:01:56,479 may have with the certification process

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00:01:53,920 --> 00:02:00,000 and then i am privileged to be able to

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00:01:56,479 --> 00:02:01,920 work with jessica and amber in terms of

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00:02:00,000 --> 00:02:05,680 making sure we have great materials

50 00:02:01,920 --> 00:02:07,600 available that people know how to

51 00:02:05,680 --> 00:02:11,200 connect with the student loan advocate

00:02:07,600 --> 00:02:12,879 office when needed and um very very glad

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00:02:11,200 --> 00:02:14,879 to be here and i just thank everybody

54 00:02:12,879 --> 00:02:18,760 who's taken the time to learn about the

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00:02:14,879 --> 00:02:18,760

program jessica

56 00:02:20,239 --> 00:02:24,239 thank you terry um so hi everyone for

57 00:02:22,720 --> 00:02:26,400 those that you you that just joined my

58 00:02:24,239 --> 00:02:28,879 name is jessica manrey i am washington

00:02:26,400 --> 00:02:30,239 state student loan advocate um the

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00:02:28,879 --> 00:02:31,920 office of the student loan advocate

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00:02:30,239 --> 00:02:34,480 which has the same name as my title it's

62 00:02:31,920 --> 00:02:36,080 kind of funny um works directly with

63 00:02:34,480 --> 00:02:38,239 student loan borrowers to address

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00:02:36,080 --> 00:02:40,640 complaints and to help them navigate

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00:02:38,239 --> 00:02:43,680 issues and identify resources such as

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00:02:40,640 --> 00:02:45,519

the pslf program just as a heads up uh

67 00:02:43,680 --> 00:02:47,599 we will be sharing a copy of the slides

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00:02:45,519 --> 00:02:49,280 with na after today's presentation so

69 00:02:47,599 --> 00:02:51,280 they can share that information with you

70 00:02:49,280 --> 00:02:52,560 and we're also going to be sharing uh

71 00:02:51,280 --> 00:02:54,000 the links that we're going to be

72 00:02:52,560 --> 00:02:56,080 providing on the slides throughout the

73 00:02:54,000 --> 00:02:57,519 presentation in the chat with you so

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00:02:56,080 --> 00:03:01,480 i'll go ahead and pass it back to

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00:02:57,519 --> 00:03:01,480 members so that we can get started

76 00:03:03,200 --> 00:03:09,120 all right so today we'll give you an

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00:03:05,120 --> 00:03:11,920 overview briefly of pslf um as we know

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00:03:09,120 --> 00:03:13,840 not everyone has a knowledge yet of the

79 00:03:11,920 --> 00:03:15,280 program um we'll also give you some key

80 00:03:13,840 --> 00:03:17,360 data points for washington state

00:03:15,280 --> 00:03:19,040 borrowers in particular we know that

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00:03:17,360 --> 00:03:20,879 student loan debt is one of the biggest

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00:03:19,040 --> 00:03:24,480 financial challenges that your employees

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00:03:20,879 --> 00:03:26,000 face and so we know that um also that

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00:03:24,480 --> 00:03:27,840 taking advantage of the public service

86 00:03:26,000 --> 00:03:29,760 loan forgiveness program has been

87 00:03:27,840 --> 00:03:32,239 confusing and frustrating for both

00:03:29,760 --> 00:03:34,400 employees and employers alike so we'll

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00:03:32,239 --> 00:03:36,319 talk through available resources how

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00:03:34,400 --> 00:03:38,239 pslf can be leveraged as a tool for

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00:03:36,319 --> 00:03:39,680 recruitment and retention and how

92 00:03:38,239 --> 00:03:42,640 employers can help their employees

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00:03:39,680 --> 00:03:44,000 access this benefit um we do have a bit

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00:03:42,640 --> 00:03:45,599 of time at the end of the presentation

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for questions so please go ahead and

96 00:03:45,599 --> 00:03:49,280 take note of them as we go through this

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00:03:47,280 --> 00:03:53,560 through the slides um and we'll talk

98 00:03:49,280 --> 00:03:53,560 about those questions then at the end

99 00:03:55,200 --> 00:03:59,840 so what exactly is pslf the public

100 00:03:58,080 --> 00:04:01,840 service loan forgiveness program is a

101 00:03:59,840 --> 00:04:05,040 federal program that forgives the

102 00:04:01,840 --> 00:04:07,680 remaining balance on direct loans after

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00:04:05,040 --> 00:04:10,159 a borrower has made 120 qualifying

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00:04:07,680 --> 00:04:12,879 monthly payments 10 years essentially of

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00:04:10,159 --> 00:04:15,200 payments under a qualifying repayment

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00:04:12,879 --> 00:04:18,000 plan while working full-time for an

107 00:04:15,200 --> 00:04:19,519 eligible public service employer

108 00:04:18,000 --> 00:04:22,320 the federal government is essentially

109 00:04:19,519 --> 00:04:24,240 saying in exchange for for your your

00:04:22,320 --> 00:04:26,320 service in um serving the public by

111 00:04:24,240 --> 00:04:27,680 taking a government or nonprofit job

112 00:04:26,320 --> 00:04:29,600 where there's a public need for your

113 00:04:27,680 --> 00:04:31,840 skills and your passions will lighten

114 00:04:29,600 --> 00:04:34,639 your financial load after you meet those

115 00:04:31,840 --> 00:04:36,240 certain conditions um and so

116 00:04:34,639 --> 00:04:38,400 understanding the pslf program and how

00:04:36,240 --> 00:04:40,880 to navigate earning forgiveness is vital

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00:04:38,400 --> 00:04:42,800 to help ensuring that um to to ensuring

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00:04:40,880 --> 00:04:44,320 that we help passionate public servants

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00:04:42,800 --> 00:04:47,320 remain in the communities that they

121 00:04:44,320 --> 00:04:47,320 serve

122 00:04:51,919 --> 00:04:56,479 i'd like to highlight um is that the

123 00:04:54,639 --> 00:04:59,759 people in washington state are

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benefiting from the pslf program and

125 00:04:59,759 --> 00:05:04,160 more borrowers have their student loans

126 00:05:02,000 --> 00:05:05,759 forgiven daily the data that we're

127 00:05:04,160 --> 00:05:08,320 looking at right now comes from

128 00:05:05,759 --> 00:05:12,000 department of education's website and we

129 00:05:08,320 --> 00:05:15,360 do also mirror it on our ofmpslf website

130 00:05:12,000 --> 00:05:18,479 as you can see in march 2022 there were

131 00:05:15,360 --> 00:05:23,120 over 3,000 people with processed pslf

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00:05:18,479 --> 00:05:25,440 discharges as of march 2024 over 19,000

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00:05:23,120 --> 00:05:28,080 borrowers in washington state have

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00:05:25,440 --> 00:05:29,919 received forgiveness under pslf and i'm

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00:05:28,080 --> 00:05:33,360 a numbers geek so i just got to throw

136 00:05:29,919 --> 00:05:34,880 this one out that represents a 533%

137 00:05:33,360 --> 00:05:37,360 increase in the loans that have been

138 00:05:34,880 --> 00:05:40,479 discharged since 2022

00:05:37,360 --> 00:05:42,880 and this translates into \$1.2 2 billion

140 00:05:40,479 --> 00:05:46,000 dollar of debt being forgiven through

141 00:05:42,880 --> 00:05:48,639 the program for borrowers in our state

142 00:05:46,000 --> 00:05:51,520 this data does demonstrate how pslf is

143 00:05:48,639 --> 00:05:52,960 working the pslf approval process can be

144 00:05:51,520 --> 00:05:55,520 confusing and really challenging as

145 00:05:52,960 --> 00:05:57,520 amber just referenced but the benefits

00:05:55,520 --> 00:06:00,080 to public service employees can be

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00:05:57,520 --> 00:06:02,400 tremendous so thank you again for coming

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00:06:00,080 --> 00:06:04,240 taking the time to learn um about our

149 00:06:02,400 --> 00:06:06,560 program and how you can support your

150 00:06:04,240 --> 00:06:09,560 employees uh in obtaining student loan

151 00:06:06,560 --> 00:06:09,560 forgiveness

152 00:06:13,360 --> 00:06:17,520 all right so now that you've heard some

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of the success of the pslf program let's

154 00:06:17,520 --> 00:06:20,800 talk a little bit about what's

155 00:06:18,720 --> 00:06:24,160 considered qualifying employment for

156 00:06:20,800 --> 00:06:26,720 pslf employment for pslf needs to be an

157 00:06:24,160 --> 00:06:29,199 average of at least 30 hours a week that

158 00:06:26,720 --> 00:06:31,199 can be one full-time public service job

159 00:06:29,199 --> 00:06:34,160 or multiple part-time jobs that meet

160 00:06:31,199 --> 00:06:36,240 that 30-hour peri threshold as long as

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00:06:34,160 --> 00:06:38,560 they are with qual all with qualifying

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00:06:36,240 --> 00:06:40,080 employ public service employers so if

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00:06:38,560 --> 00:06:41,840 you have part-time employees that maybe

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00:06:40,080 --> 00:06:43,840 work for your organization and with

165 00:06:41,840 --> 00:06:46,400 somebody else's that's also a nonprofit

166 00:06:43,840 --> 00:06:49,280 they can combine those hours to um to

167 00:06:46,400 --> 00:06:51,680 meet that 30 hour per week threshold 168 00:06:49,280 --> 00:06:53,199 generally a borrower must be directly

169 00:06:51,680 --> 00:06:55,759 employed by the qualifying public

170 00:06:53,199 --> 00:06:57,840 service employer as in your their w2

171 00:06:55,759 --> 00:06:59,919 would come from them um that means that

172 00:06:57,840 --> 00:07:03,360 most individual contractors would not

173 00:06:59,919 --> 00:07:05,680 qualify for pslf

174 00:07:03,360 --> 00:07:08,160 public service employer means any level

00:07:05,680 --> 00:07:09,919 of government or nonprofit organization

176 00:07:08,160 --> 00:07:12,400 um and we'll talk about that in a little

177 00:07:09,919 --> 00:07:14,000 bit more detail just in a second but the

178 00:07:12,400 --> 00:07:15,840 role or position held within the

179 00:07:14,000 --> 00:07:17,360 organization does not matter it just

00:07:15,840 --> 00:07:20,080 matters that the employer is a

181 00:07:17,360 --> 00:07:21,919 qualifying public service employer um

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and note that borrowers need to be

183 00:07:21,919 --> 00:07:25,680 employed at the time that they actually

00:07:23,120 --> 00:07:29,520 apply for forgiveness

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00:07:25,680 --> 00:07:31,680 for nonprofits all 501c3 taxexempt

186 00:07:29,520 --> 00:07:33,520 organizations are considered qualifying

187 00:07:31,680 --> 00:07:36,639 employers

188 00:07:33,520 --> 00:07:39,120 full stop just all 501c3s

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nonprofits with other tax statuses may

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00:07:39,120 --> 00:07:43,520 be considered qualifying if they devote

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00:07:40,960 --> 00:07:45,919 the majority of their fte employees to

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providing certain qualifying um public

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00:07:45,919 --> 00:07:52,080 services in certain areas those areas

194 00:07:48,880 --> 00:07:54,080 include emergency management um military

195 00:07:52,080 --> 00:07:56,879 um or civilian service to military

196 00:07:54,080 --> 00:07:59,680 public safety law enforcement public

00:07:56,879 --> 00:08:01,199 interest law public health education

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00:07:59,680 --> 00:08:03,520 early childhood education library

199 00:08:01,199 --> 00:08:05,440 services um public service for

200 00:08:03,520 --> 00:08:07,039 individuals with disabilities so there's

201 00:08:05,440 --> 00:08:09,680 there's kind of a wide range of fields

202 00:08:07,039 --> 00:08:12,160 and so um i've included a link on the

203 00:08:09,680 --> 00:08:14,479 slide and uh for um i think terry will

00:08:12,160 --> 00:08:17,280 drop it in the the chat as well um but

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00:08:14,479 --> 00:08:20,960 you can look to see that that um

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00:08:17,280 --> 00:08:23,599 qualifying services um that for for

207 00:08:20,960 --> 00:08:26,080 nonprofits that are other than the 501c3

208 00:08:23,599 --> 00:08:27,680 tax status so and if you're not sure if

209 00:08:26,080 --> 00:08:28,960 your organization qualifies stay tuned

210 00:08:27,680 --> 00:08:32,919 because we're going to review how you

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can find that out as well

212 00:08:36,000 --> 00:08:40,719 all right so now we are going to talk

213 00:08:38,479 --> 00:08:44,240 about how pslf can be a good strategy

214 00:08:40,719 --> 00:08:46,160 for recruitment and retention

215 00:08:44,240 --> 00:08:48,240 first while the statistic that we shared

216 00:08:46,160 --> 00:08:50,320 earlier uh showed that more people are

217 00:08:48,240 --> 00:08:51,839 qualified for pslf and enrolling in the

218 00:08:50,320 --> 00:08:53,200 program in washington state it's also

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00:08:51,839 --> 00:08:55,760 important to show that there's a human

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00:08:53,200 --> 00:08:57,360 face to this issue pslf is a

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00:08:55,760 --> 00:08:59,440 transformative benefit for washington

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00:08:57,360 --> 00:09:01,600 state public employees you don't have to

223 00:08:59,440 --> 00:09:04,320 take my word for it you can see it here

224 00:09:01,600 --> 00:09:06,880 in a few short testimonial uh phrases

225 00:09:04,320 --> 00:09:08,800 that a couple of ours in our state have

00:09:06,880 --> 00:09:10,640 shared about achieving forgiveness i'm

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00:09:08,800 --> 00:09:12,399 going to highlight a couple of them so

228 00:09:10,640 --> 00:09:14,160 shelley wy from employment security

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00:09:12,399 --> 00:09:15,760 department shared that forgiveness is

230 00:09:14,160 --> 00:09:18,160 life-changing it makes it possible not

231 00:09:15,760 --> 00:09:21,440 to just survive but to prosper and jim

232 00:09:18,160 --> 00:09:23,440 coffee from uh the cowitz family health

00:09:21,440 --> 00:09:25,760 center which is a nonprofit also shared

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00:09:23,440 --> 00:09:27,920 that this is a burden that has long

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00:09:25,760 --> 00:09:30,320 awaited to be relieved and allows me to

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00:09:27,920 --> 00:09:32,480 save the loan payments for my retirement

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00:09:30,320 --> 00:09:36,800 so very transformative program for those

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00:09:32,480 --> 00:09:38,800 who are able to to receive forgiveness

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00:09:36,800 --> 00:09:40,959 and while pslf makes a huge difference

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00:09:38,800 --> 00:09:43,360 in your employees lives uh the program

241 00:09:40,959 --> 00:09:46,399 is often an overlooked recruitment and

242 00:09:43,360 --> 00:09:49,200 retention tool pslf helps with employee

243 00:09:46,399 --> 00:09:51,120 recruitment because as student loads

244 00:09:49,200 --> 00:09:53,200 unfortunately rise people tend to be

245 00:09:51,120 --> 00:09:56,640 more attracted to this benefit it can

246 00:09:53,200 --> 00:09:58,560 help it make it easier for recruits to

247 00:09:56,640 --> 00:10:00,240 make a decision between working in the

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00:09:58,560 --> 00:10:02,080 public sector versus working in the

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00:10:00,240 --> 00:10:04,880 private sector not just based on their

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00:10:02,080 --> 00:10:06,720 student loan debt alone pslf also helps

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00:10:04,880 --> 00:10:08,959 with employee retention and this is

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00:10:06,720 --> 00:10:10,880 actually by design because the program

253 00:10:08,959 --> 00:10:12,880 takes 10 years of public service

254 00:10:10,880 --> 00:10:15,920 employment in order for the borrower to

00:10:12,880 --> 00:10:17,680 qualify and then finally pslf can also

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00:10:15,920 --> 00:10:19,519 help the overall quality of your

257 00:10:17,680 --> 00:10:21,200 employees so the employees that are

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00:10:19,519 --> 00:10:23,120 interested in this benefit will likely

259 00:10:21,200 --> 00:10:26,000 come with higher education that they

260 00:10:23,120 --> 00:10:28,320 need to do their jobs and employees can

261 00:10:26,000 --> 00:10:31,279 also be more productive if they're

00:10:28,320 --> 00:10:32,959 working towards pslf because they may

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00:10:31,279 --> 00:10:35,120 have less stress that is often

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00:10:32,959 --> 00:10:37,839 associated with having high student debt

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00:10:35,120 --> 00:10:39,920 loads but more importantly all these

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00:10:37,839 --> 00:10:41,839 benefits require no direct investment

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from the employer making it a very

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your employees

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00:10:49,760 --> 00:10:54,640 conducted a a survey last month with

272 00:10:52,800 --> 00:10:56,560 washington state borrower employed at

273 00:10:54,640 --> 00:10:59,920 public service employers and it included

274 00:10:56,560 --> 00:11:02,320 nonprofit employees we had over 1,600

275 00:10:59,920 --> 00:11:04,320 respondents to this survey and as you

276 00:11:02,320 --> 00:11:05,920 can see at least 40% of the survey

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00:11:04,320 --> 00:11:07,839 respondents said that the promise of

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00:11:05,920 --> 00:11:10,320 earning forgiveness through the pslf

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program affected the decision to begin

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00:11:10,320 --> 00:11:14,959 working in the public sector so almost

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00:11:12,480 --> 00:11:17,360 half of everybody that answered the the

282 00:11:14,959 --> 00:11:19,760 survey and even more revealing is the

283 00:11:17,360 --> 00:11:21,519 fact that 65% of the survey respondents

00:11:19,760 --> 00:11:23,600 said that the promise of student loan

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00:11:21,519 --> 00:11:26,160 forgiveness influenced their decision to

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00:11:23,600 --> 00:11:29,120 stay in the public service for at least

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10 years and these results suggest that

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public employees in washington state

289 00:11:30,640 --> 00:11:36,160 value pslf both as a recruitment and

290 00:11:33,680 --> 00:11:37,600 especially as a retention strategy we

00:11:36,160 --> 00:11:39,680 want to show that this is an important

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00:11:37,600 --> 00:11:41,279 benefit for your employees and that you

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00:11:39,680 --> 00:11:42,959 as the employer can play a very

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00:11:41,279 --> 00:11:44,800 important role in ensuring that your

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00:11:42,959 --> 00:11:48,519 employees can access the benefits of the

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pslf program

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really amazing benefit so you might be

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asking yourself what can i do to ensure

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00:11:56,480 --> 00:12:00,000 that my employees are actually working

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00:11:58,000 --> 00:12:03,680 towards and achieving this forgiveness

302 00:12:00,000 --> 00:12:05,440 through this program and so based on our

303 00:12:03,680 --> 00:12:07,519 survey results and our experience

304 00:12:05,440 --> 00:12:09,680 helping borrowers over the the last few

00:12:07,519 --> 00:12:11,760

years our office has come up with about

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00:12:09,680 --> 00:12:13,600 four different specific actions or best

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employer to ensure that your employees

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00:12:15,519 --> 00:12:21,360 are accessing pslf

310 00:12:19,040 --> 00:12:23,839 that first action that you can take is

31100:12:21,360 --> 00:12:26,079to advertise to both prospective and

312 00:12:23,839 --> 00:12:29,639 current employees that you are a pslf

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00:12:26,079 --> 00:12:29,639 qualifying employer

314 00:12:29,839 --> 00:12:34,399 and so in order to to kind of verify

315 00:12:32,320 --> 00:12:36,959 that you're qualifying so as mentioned

00:12:34,399 --> 00:12:39,279 501c3 nonprofits are always qualifying

00:12:36,959 --> 00:12:41,200 employers however sometimes that

318 00:12:39,279 --> 00:12:43,279 information might be incorrect on the

31900:12:41,200 --> 00:12:46,079federal student aids employer search

00:12:43,279 --> 00:12:48,079 database for pslf um so we recommend

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00:12:46,079 --> 00:12:50,320 that you check to see if your nonprofit

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00:12:48,079 --> 00:12:53,120 is showing up as a pslf eligible

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00:12:50,320 --> 00:12:56,320 employer using the pslf employer search

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00:12:53,120 --> 00:12:58,160 tool um in order to use this tool you'll

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00:12:56,320 --> 00:13:00,079 need your organization's federal

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00:12:58,160 --> 00:13:01,680 employee identification number or excuse

00:13:00,079 --> 00:13:04,399

me federal employer identification

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00:13:01,680 --> 00:13:06,160

number or ein and you will also need to

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00:13:04,399 --> 00:13:08,480 enter some mock employment dates and

330 00:13:06,160 --> 00:13:11,040 then click on search um terry's putting

331 00:13:08,480 --> 00:13:12,720 the the link in the chat for this um so

332 00:13:11,040 --> 00:13:16,320 that you can access it and again it'll

333 00:13:12,720 --> 00:13:16,320 be available on the slides

334 00:13:19,040 --> 00:13:23,279 once you've entered the dates uh and

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00:13:21,040 --> 00:13:24,880 your your ein the employer tool will

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00:13:23,279 --> 00:13:28,399 spit out one or more results for that

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00:13:24,880 --> 00:13:30,399 ein if you're a 501c3 organization your

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00:13:28,399 --> 00:13:32,399 organization should show up as eligible

339 00:13:30,399 --> 00:13:34,720 hopefully um just like the example at

340 00:13:32,399 --> 00:13:36,320 the top of this slide however there is a

341 00:13:34,720 --> 00:13:38,720 small chance your organization will show

00:13:36,320 --> 00:13:40,880 up incorrectly such as um ineligible

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00:13:38,720 --> 00:13:43,120 like our example here on the second half

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00:13:40,880 --> 00:13:44,800 of the slide u one of our state agencies

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00:13:43,120 --> 00:13:48,480 until very recently was showing as

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00:13:44,800 --> 00:13:50,800 ineligible incorrectly um you might see

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00:13:48,480 --> 00:13:52,399 the ineligible designation other ways

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00:13:50,800 --> 00:13:53,760 that that employers can show up

00:13:52,399 --> 00:13:56,240 incorrectly they might have an

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00:13:53,760 --> 00:13:57,760 undetermined or a not found um

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00:13:56,240 --> 00:14:02,199 designation and so we'll talk about what

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00:13:57,760 --> 00:14:02,199 to do in that instance in a minute

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00:14:02,800 --> 00:14:06,880 assuming your organization shows up as

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00:14:04,880 --> 00:14:09,519 eligible great now you know that when

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00:14:06,880 --> 00:14:10,800 your employees go to submit pslf forms

00:14:09,519 --> 00:14:13,839 they'll be able to get their employment

357 00:14:10,800 --> 00:14:15,839 certified with most likely no issues the

358 00:14:13,839 --> 00:14:17,920 pslf form is the employment

359 00:14:15,839 --> 00:14:20,720 certification employees need to submit

360 00:14:17,920 --> 00:14:22,560 to confirm their employment

361 00:14:20,720 --> 00:14:25,279 in the event that your organization

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00:14:22,560 --> 00:14:27,440 shows up as ineligible undetermined or

00:14:25,279 --> 00:14:29,199

not found you'll have to provide your

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00:14:27,440 --> 00:14:30,800 employees who are enrolling into the

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00:14:29,199 --> 00:14:32,720 program with at least one of the

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00:14:30,800 --> 00:14:35,360

following documents that can be

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00:14:32,720 --> 00:14:37,760 submitted alongside their pslf form so

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00:14:35,360 --> 00:14:39,680 examples of those documents are articles

369 00:14:37,760 --> 00:14:42,160 of incorporation showing that you're a

370 00:14:39,680 --> 00:14:43,839 nonprofit organization evidence that

00:14:42,160 --> 00:14:46,560 you're treated as a disregarded entity

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00:14:43,839 --> 00:14:49,199 of an eligible organization documents of

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00:14:46,560 --> 00:14:50,720 your organization's fein uh especially

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00:14:49,199 --> 00:14:53,600 when you see that your organization is

375 00:14:50,720 --> 00:14:55,120 not found in the database um and

376 00:14:53,600 --> 00:14:57,360 descriptions of your organization

377 00:14:55,120 --> 00:14:59,839 services that you believe qualify you as

00:14:57,360 --> 00:15:03,680 a pslf eligible employer particularly if

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00:14:59,839 --> 00:15:06,160 you're a nonprofit other than a 501c3

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00:15:03,680 --> 00:15:08,000 once the documents in the form has been

381 00:15:06,160 --> 00:15:09,600

submitted by the employee federal

382 00:15:08,000 --> 00:15:11,360 student aid will review your employees

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00:15:09,600 --> 00:15:14,079 pslf form and the documents that are

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00:15:11,360 --> 00:15:16,160 submitted once processed and hopefully

00:15:14,079 --> 00:15:18,639

approved fsa will then change your

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00:15:16,160 --> 00:15:22,000

county uh excuse me your organization's

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00:15:18,639 --> 00:15:23,680 status on the database to eligible right

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00:15:22,000 --> 00:15:26,240 now unfortunately there's not a way for

389 00:15:23,680 --> 00:15:28,079 an organization itself to notify fsa of

390 00:15:26,240 --> 00:15:30,160 its eligibility it can only be done

391 00:15:28,079 --> 00:15:32,480 through the individual employees in

392 00:15:30,160 --> 00:15:34,720 certification process you can

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00:15:32,480 --> 00:15:36,880 proactively however provide the document

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00:15:34,720 --> 00:15:38,720 documentation we just mentioned on your

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00:15:36,880 --> 00:15:43,000

website or include it in a notice that

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00:15:38,720 --> 00:15:43,000 you send to your employees about pslf

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00:15:45,120 --> 00:15:51,440 and so speaking of uh notice sending to

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00:15:48,240 --> 00:15:54,720

your employees um

39900:15:51,440 --> 00:15:56,639so um we want you to to be empowered to

00:15:54,720 --> 00:15:58,639 advertise to your employees that you are

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00:15:56,639 --> 00:16:00,800 qualifying employer um to both

402 00:15:58,639 --> 00:16:02,399 prospective and and current employees

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00:16:00,800 --> 00:16:03,920 for prospective employees you could

404 00:16:02,399 --> 00:16:06,160

include it as a benefit on your job

405 00:16:03,920 --> 00:16:08,480 posting um note that you're considered a

406 00:16:06,160 --> 00:16:09,920 pslf qualifying employer um that way

00:16:08,480 --> 00:16:13,519 they know that they can access the

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00:16:09,920 --> 00:16:14,880 program um if they get hired um it's

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00:16:13,519 --> 00:16:17,360 also critically important for you to

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00:16:14,880 --> 00:16:20,320 notify your current employees about the

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00:16:17,360 --> 00:16:22,000 program um because you're considered a

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00:16:20,320 --> 00:16:24,399 reliable source of information for them

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00:16:22,000 --> 00:16:26,639 and so some employees maybe haven't

00:16:24,399 --> 00:16:28,160 heard about pslf or maybe they've heard

415 00:16:26,639 --> 00:16:30,399 it mentioned in passing but haven't

416 00:16:28,160 --> 00:16:32,079 really received concrete information and

417 00:16:30,399 --> 00:16:33,680 so you as an employer can fill in that

418 00:16:32,079 --> 00:16:35,440 information gap and get your employees

419 00:16:33,680 --> 00:16:38,560 curious about how they can access this

420 00:16:35,440 --> 00:16:39,839 benefit um for current employees we've

421 00:16:38,560 --> 00:16:42,240 actually created some different letter

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00:16:39,839 --> 00:16:44,079 templates that you can share in order to

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00:16:42,240 --> 00:16:46,240 advertise again that you're a qualifying

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00:16:44,079 --> 00:16:48,959 employer and to provide resources for

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00:16:46,240 --> 00:16:50,639 your employees to access the benefit the

426 00:16:48,959 --> 00:16:53,279 three different notices that i'll review

427 00:16:50,639 --> 00:16:54,720 real quick are similar to each other but

428 00:16:53,279 --> 00:16:56,560 they share a different message depending

00:16:54,720 --> 00:16:58,800 on where the employee is at in their

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00:16:56,560 --> 00:17:00,880 employment journey with you

431 00:16:58,800 --> 00:17:02,399

so of course we've got a notice for new

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00:17:00,880 --> 00:17:04,959 employees this is intended as an

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00:17:02,399 --> 00:17:07,199 onboarding notice to help where raise

434 00:17:04,959 --> 00:17:09,120 awareness of the program provide key

435 00:17:07,199 --> 00:17:12,559 steps an employee has to take in order

00:17:09,120 --> 00:17:14,240 to eventually qualify for forgiveness

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00:17:12,559 --> 00:17:15,600 the annual notice so we recommend

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00:17:14,240 --> 00:17:17,600 sharing this with your employees

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00:17:15,600 --> 00:17:19,839 annually um as well as any time that

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00:17:17,600 --> 00:17:21,839

there are major pslf regulations that

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00:17:19,839 --> 00:17:25,120 change in order to continue raising

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00:17:21,839 --> 00:17:27,039 awareness of the program um this is

00:17:25,120 --> 00:17:28,559

intended to be sent out annually because

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00:17:27,039 --> 00:17:30,480 employees are really encouraged to send

445 00:17:28,559 --> 00:17:34,080 their pslf forms to certify their

446 00:17:30,480 --> 00:17:35,679 employment every year um and so kind of

447 00:17:34,080 --> 00:17:37,440 getting that annual reminder is just

448 00:17:35,679 --> 00:17:39,919 really good for them to be able to to

449 00:17:37,440 --> 00:17:41,280 remember to do that um and also to keep

00:17:39,919 --> 00:17:43,760

up to date with any rules and

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00:17:41,280 --> 00:17:46,720 regulations that change

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00:17:43,760 --> 00:17:48,000 and finally for separated employees um

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00:17:46,720 --> 00:17:51,200

for employees that maybe are leaving

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00:17:48,000 --> 00:17:53,760 your organization um it's important that

455 00:17:51,200 --> 00:17:55,120 um borrowers get this information or

456 00:17:53,760 --> 00:17:57,919 kind of a reminder about doing their

457 00:17:55,120 --> 00:17:59,919 pslf forms because it can be hard for

00:17:57,919 --> 00:18:02,240 folks to get that certification after

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00:17:59,919 --> 00:18:04,400 the fact um borrowers have reported it

460 00:18:02,240 --> 00:18:07,440 being very difficult to go back to a

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00:18:04,400 --> 00:18:10,080 prior employer to get that information

462 00:18:07,440 --> 00:18:12,720 um so and it's also critical to know

463 00:18:10,080 --> 00:18:14,559 that employees need to be employed in

464 00:18:12,720 --> 00:18:16,400 the public sector when they submit their

00:18:14,559 --> 00:18:18,000 last employment certification so if

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00:18:16,400 --> 00:18:20,240 they've you know gotten to the end where

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00:18:18,000 --> 00:18:21,840 they've made that 120 payments they need

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00:18:20,240 --> 00:18:24,720 to be employed when they go to submit

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00:18:21,840 --> 00:18:27,360 that form um so you know if they're

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00:18:24,720 --> 00:18:28,880 switching to the for-profit sector or

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00:18:27,360 --> 00:18:30,400 retiring they would no longer be

00:18:28,880 --> 00:18:34,679

eligible so they want to make sure to

473 00:18:30,400 --> 00:18:34,679 get that application in beforehand

474 00:18:37,039 --> 00:18:43,360 so the second uh significant barrier

475 00:18:40,080 --> 00:18:49,120 that we've identified is for the

476 00:18:43,360 --> 00:18:52,640 employee to know who um who can sign

477 00:18:49,120 --> 00:18:56,480 their certification form for them

478 00:18:52,640 --> 00:19:00,480 so we strongly recommend that you

479 00:18:56,480 --> 00:19:04,000 appoint someone to um be your point of

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00:19:00,480 --> 00:19:08,160 contact for pslf and that you designate

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00:19:04,000 --> 00:19:10,160 an email address that can be provided on

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00:19:08,160 --> 00:19:12,480

your website in these written

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00:19:10,160 --> 00:19:15,840 communications that you may make um to

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00:19:12,480 --> 00:19:19,520 your staff and we do recommend that you

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00:19:15,840 --> 00:19:22,559 use a general um email something that

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00:19:19,520 --> 00:19:26,559 won't change based on staffing um so if

00:19:22,559 --> 00:19:33,120 you have a general hr mailbox or um at

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00:19:26,559 --> 00:19:35,360 least um someone uh that uh is familiar

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00:19:33,120 --> 00:19:38,320 to your team and we do recognize that

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00:19:35,360 --> 00:19:40,880 not all offices have these structures of

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00:19:38,320 --> 00:19:44,799 a formal hr office or some official

492 00:19:40,880 --> 00:19:48,160 staff so we also want to share that

493 00:19:44,799 --> 00:19:52,400 according to the department of education

00:19:48,160 --> 00:19:55,679 an authorized individual is um anyone in

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00:19:52,400 --> 00:19:58,400 your organization who has access to and

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00:19:55,679 --> 00:20:00,320 is authorized to review employment

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00:19:58,400 --> 00:20:03,120 information about your employees such as

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00:20:00,320 --> 00:20:06,640 dates of employment and you can appoint

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00:20:03,120 --> 00:20:10,360 one or more of these um staff members to

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00:20:06,640 --> 00:20:10,360

serve in this role

00:20:10,640 --> 00:20:17,120 so employees can submit their pslf form

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00:20:14,080 --> 00:20:20,000

to their employer in two ways the

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00:20:17,120 --> 00:20:22,480 preferred option is for the borrower to

504 00:20:20,000 --> 00:20:24,080 complete the form digitally going on the

505 00:20:22,480 --> 00:20:27,760 studentaid.gov

506 00:20:24,080 --> 00:20:29,679 website and using the pslf help tool

507 00:20:27,760 --> 00:20:31,440 this is the most streamlined way to

00:20:29,679 --> 00:20:33,919

approach the employment certification

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00:20:31,440 --> 00:20:36,559 process last year the federal student

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00:20:33,919 --> 00:20:39,600 aid office released a new feature on the

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00:20:36,559 --> 00:20:41,919 pslf help tool that allows employees and

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00:20:39,600 --> 00:20:44,960 employers to digitally sign the pslf

513 00:20:41,919 --> 00:20:46,880 form using docu sign employers may

514 00:20:44,960 --> 00:20:48,960 direct employees to initiate the

515 00:20:46,880 --> 00:20:51,280 employment certification process by

00:20:48,960 --> 00:20:55,600 submitting the employment certification

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00:20:51,280 --> 00:20:58,880 portion of the pslf form to their pslf

518 00:20:55,600 --> 00:21:00,960 contact via the pslf help tool the

519

00:20:58,880 --> 00:21:03,440 employer then digitally signs and

520 00:21:00,960 --> 00:21:06,159 returns the form through the pslf help

521 00:21:03,440 --> 00:21:08,480 tool which is then submitted by um the

522 00:21:06,159 --> 00:21:11,039 federal student aid um office for

00:21:08,480 --> 00:21:14,400 automatic processing and i think amber

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00:21:11,039 --> 00:21:20,080 has just dropped the link for that um

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00:21:14,400 --> 00:21:23,520 site and um information into the chat um

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00:21:20,080 --> 00:21:27,919 so this link um it explains how you as

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00:21:23,520 --> 00:21:30,960 an employer can um fill out the form and

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00:21:27,919 --> 00:21:33,840 has some helpful tips employees also can

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00:21:30,960 --> 00:21:36,400 submit a paper form or a pdf version of

00:21:33,840 --> 00:21:38,159

the form to their employer for signature

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00:21:36,400 --> 00:21:40,240

please just be aware that this option

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00:21:38,159 --> 00:21:43,200 does require the borrower to take some

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00:21:40,240 --> 00:21:46,080 additional steps to either mail fax or

534 00:21:43,200 --> 00:21:48,320 upload uh the manual form to their

535 00:21:46,080 --> 00:21:50,960 federal student aid account and when you

536 00:21:48,320 --> 00:21:54,240 use this option um it is good for the

537 00:21:50,960 --> 00:21:57,200 employer to use some encrypted

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00:21:54,240 --> 00:21:59,600 um method for sharing the document

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00:21:57,200 --> 00:22:01,600 through email just to maintain that

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00:21:59,600 --> 00:22:05,880 employees confidentiality and their

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00:22:01,600 --> 00:22:05,880 personally identifiable information

542 00:22:08,799 --> 00:22:14,080 now let's talk about how to communicate

543 00:22:10,880 --> 00:22:16,480 information about pslf resources to your

544 00:22:14,080 --> 00:22:18,400 employees

00:22:16,480 --> 00:22:20,640 the office of the student loan advocates

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00:22:18,400 --> 00:22:22,480 website has several resources available

547 00:22:20,640 --> 00:22:25,360 to help borrowers on their path toward

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00:22:22,480 --> 00:22:27,600 pslf forgiveness i won't go through each

549 00:22:25,360 --> 00:22:29,840 one of these links today amber is going

550 00:22:27,600 --> 00:22:31,760 to drop the links in the chat and again

551 00:22:29,840 --> 00:22:34,080 we will provide a copy of the slide deck

00:22:31,760 --> 00:22:35,760 following the presentation we encourage

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00:22:34,080 --> 00:22:38,080 you to share these links with your

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00:22:35,760 --> 00:22:40,480 employees it's also a good idea to go

555 00:22:38,080 --> 00:22:42,240 through them uh yourself just to

556 00:22:40,480 --> 00:22:45,760 understand a little bit about maybe

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00:22:42,240 --> 00:22:47,520 what's on their side of it and um this

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00:22:45,760 --> 00:22:49,760 first slide shows the links that are

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00:22:47,520 --> 00:22:52,880
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available on the student loan advocates

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00:22:49,760 --> 00:22:54,720

website and following that we have um

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00:22:52,880 --> 00:22:57,840 some additional resources that are on

562 00:22:54,720 --> 00:23:00,080 the federal student aid website and all

563 00:22:57,840 --> 00:23:03,600 of these links are helpful so if you can

564 00:23:00,080 --> 00:23:07,440 share them with your employees

565 00:23:03,600 --> 00:23:09,120 so back to the um after all that you say

566 00:23:07,440 --> 00:23:11,840 so what's the best way to distribute

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00:23:09,120 --> 00:23:13,600 this information to my employees so the

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00:23:11,840 --> 00:23:15,360 most important resource you can use is

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00:23:13,600 --> 00:23:18,080

the letter templates that we've covered

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00:23:15,360 --> 00:23:22,799 earlier to help your employees

571 00:23:18,080 --> 00:23:28,159 understand both this is an available um

572 00:23:22,799 --> 00:23:30,799 program for them that they need to um

573 00:23:28,159 --> 00:23:33,760 certify their employment annually

00:23:30,799 --> 00:23:36,480 as well as making sure you're separating

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00:23:33,760 --> 00:23:39,760

employees um

576 00:23:36,480 --> 00:23:42,240 get that information before they go um

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00:23:39,760 --> 00:23:44,960 we recommend maintaining the pslf

578 00:23:42,240 --> 00:23:47,360 information on your internet or public

579 00:23:44,960 --> 00:23:49,760 facing website if you have that i want

580 00:23:47,360 --> 00:23:53,360 to reiterate again it's a costfree

00:23:49,760 --> 00:23:55,679 recruitment and retention tool and um we

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00:23:53,360 --> 00:24:00,320 also recommend including the pslf point

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00:23:55,679 --> 00:24:03,679 of contact your ein or fein as well as

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00:24:00,320 --> 00:24:06,000 your pslf email address on your public

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00:24:03,679 --> 00:24:08,159

facing website this ensures that even

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00:24:06,000 --> 00:24:11,039 separated employees have this

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00:24:08,159 --> 00:24:13,440 information as they need it and again

00:24:11,039 --> 00:24:16,000

this is um something we hear often about

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00:24:13,440 --> 00:24:18,559

being a barrier to eventually achieving

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00:24:16,000 --> 00:24:20,799 psl of forgiveness now i'll pass it on

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00:24:18,559 --> 00:24:24,240

to jessica and she'll share more about

592 00:24:20,799 --> 00:24:26,000 employer best practices

593 00:24:24,240 --> 00:24:27,360 thank you terry and we're almost done

594 00:24:26,000 --> 00:24:29,200 here everyone thank you for your

00:24:27,360 --> 00:24:31,039

patience so finally the last thing that

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00:24:29,200 --> 00:24:33,120 we want to do is to ensure that your

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00:24:31,039 --> 00:24:36,880 employees are successful in achieving

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00:24:33,120 --> 00:24:39,120

pslf is that they need to get regular

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00:24:36,880 --> 00:24:41,039

pslf updates

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00:24:39,120 --> 00:24:43,520 so as someone that has been working in

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00:24:41,039 --> 00:24:45,600

the world of student loans for the past

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00:24:43,520 --> 00:24:47,279

few years i'm going to be the first one

00:24:45,600 --> 00:24:49,520 to tell you that everything seems to be

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00:24:47,279 --> 00:24:50,799 constantly changing and while while a

605 00:24:49,520 --> 00:24:52,960 lot of the changes that happened in the

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00:24:50,799 --> 00:24:55,200 past few years to the pslf program have

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00:24:52,960 --> 00:24:57,279

benefited borrowers a lot of borrowers

608 00:24:55,200 --> 00:24:59,679 are simply unaware or confused about

609 00:24:57,279 --> 00:25:01,679 these changes right and you can actually

00:24:59,679 --> 00:25:03,919 help this issue by providing updated

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00:25:01,679 --> 00:25:07,120

pslf information for your employees and

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00:25:03,919 --> 00:25:09,120 to make this very easy um for you our

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00:25:07,120 --> 00:25:11,600 office has created a mailing list that

614 00:25:09,120 --> 00:25:13,520 you can subscribe to as an employer and

615 00:25:11,600 --> 00:25:15,919 anytime there are relevant changes to

616 00:25:13,520 --> 00:25:17,520 the program and or new resources are

00:25:15,919 --> 00:25:19,200

added we will share that information

618 00:25:17,520 --> 00:25:21,760 with you so that you can share that with

00:25:19,200 --> 00:25:24,159 your employees and finally if for some

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620 00:25:21,760 --> 00:25:26,400 reason you have questions about the pslf

621 00:25:24,159 --> 00:25:27,919 program as an employer right the office

622 00:25:26,400 --> 00:25:29,440 of financial management is also

623 00:25:27,919 --> 00:25:32,480 available to answer any questions that

624 00:25:29,440 --> 00:25:36,840 you may have as an employer about pslf

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00:25:32,480 --> 00:25:36,840 and you can email them at pslfm.wa.gov

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00:25:37,919 --> 00:25:43,279 now if your employees right have

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questions about the program you can also

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00:25:43,279 --> 00:25:47,760 refer them to our office the office of

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00:25:45,679 --> 00:25:50,000 the student loan advocate so borrowers

630 00:25:47,760 --> 00:25:52,240 can submit a student loan question or

631 00:25:50,000 --> 00:25:54,559 complaint about pslf or any of the other

00:25:52,240 --> 00:25:56,080 topics that we have listed here to

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00:25:54,559 --> 00:25:58,159 through the washington student complaint

634 00:25:56,080 --> 00:26:00,080 portal which is available at student

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complaints.wa.gov

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and they can have they can receive

637 00:26:02,080 --> 00:26:07,520 individual um help and assistance with

638 00:26:04,559 --> 00:26:09,279 their case

00:26:07,520 --> 00:26:12,159 thank you for the opportunity to present

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00:26:09,279 --> 00:26:14,480 to you all today um this is the second

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00:26:12,159 --> 00:26:16,320 time that we get to do um an employer

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00:26:14,480 --> 00:26:18,640 facing presentation the first time that

643 00:26:16,320 --> 00:26:21,039 we get to present um to a nonprofit

644 00:26:18,640 --> 00:26:23,120 audience about this topic so we really

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00:26:21,039 --> 00:26:24,559 appreciate any feedback that you may

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have about the content that we shared

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today and how we can do better um so i'm

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00:26:27,200 --> 00:26:32,320 i'm asking you if you have a chance if

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00:26:30,000 --> 00:26:34,080 you could fill out a small survey to let

650 00:26:32,320 --> 00:26:35,760 us know how we're doing so we can

651 00:26:34,080 --> 00:26:38,720 continue providing resources like this

652 00:26:35,760 --> 00:26:40,640 for washington student loan uh borrowers

653 00:26:38,720 --> 00:26:42,880 and employees we would really appreciate

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00:26:40,640 --> 00:26:46,960 it there's a qr code on the screen um

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00:26:42,880 --> 00:26:48,320 and or amber's also gonna if you are not

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00:26:46,960 --> 00:26:50,960 sure how to use the qr code not

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00:26:48,320 --> 00:26:53,600 techsavvy like me um you can just click

658 00:26:50,960 --> 00:26:55,679 on the link that amber is sharing in the

659 00:26:53,600 --> 00:26:58,000 chat right now so thank you once again

660 00:26:55,679 --> 00:27:01,480 and if we have time we would be happy to

00:26:58,000 --> 00:27:01,480

take some questions

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00:27:04,480 --> 00:27:11,159 thank you so much yes we have time for

663 00:27:06,640 --> 00:27:11,159 any questions that might come up

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00:27:12,080 --> 00:27:15,520 oh jessica you're muted are you trying

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to say something yeah i was going to say

666 00:27:15,520 --> 00:27:21,240 that maybe we should stop the recording

667 00:27:16,960 --> 00:27:21,240 now thank you