

# SETTING PUBLIC POLICY

in Massachusetts' Workforce Development System

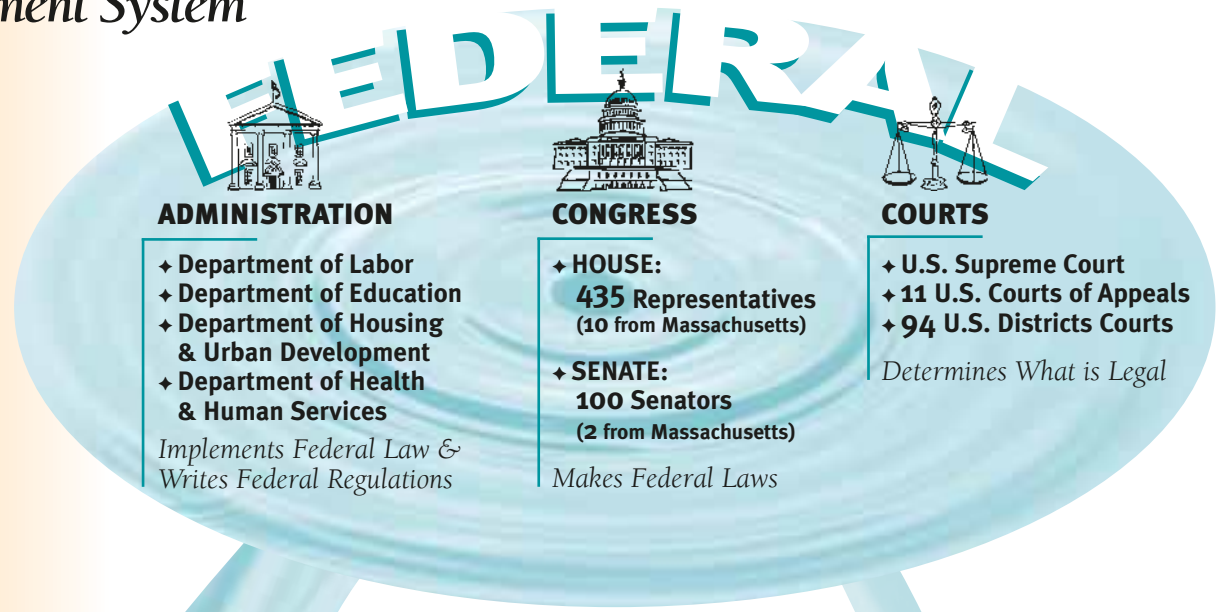
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Public policy defines which workforce development services may be provided, who may receive them, how much funding is available, and who oversees services.

This chart depicts key actors and roles in setting public policies. Please note:

a) not all funding streams and programs are listed. For a fuller listing of funding streams and state agencies, see "Workforce Development: An Agenda for Massachusetts' Next Governor," a report issued by the Massachusetts Workforce Alliance in September, 2002;

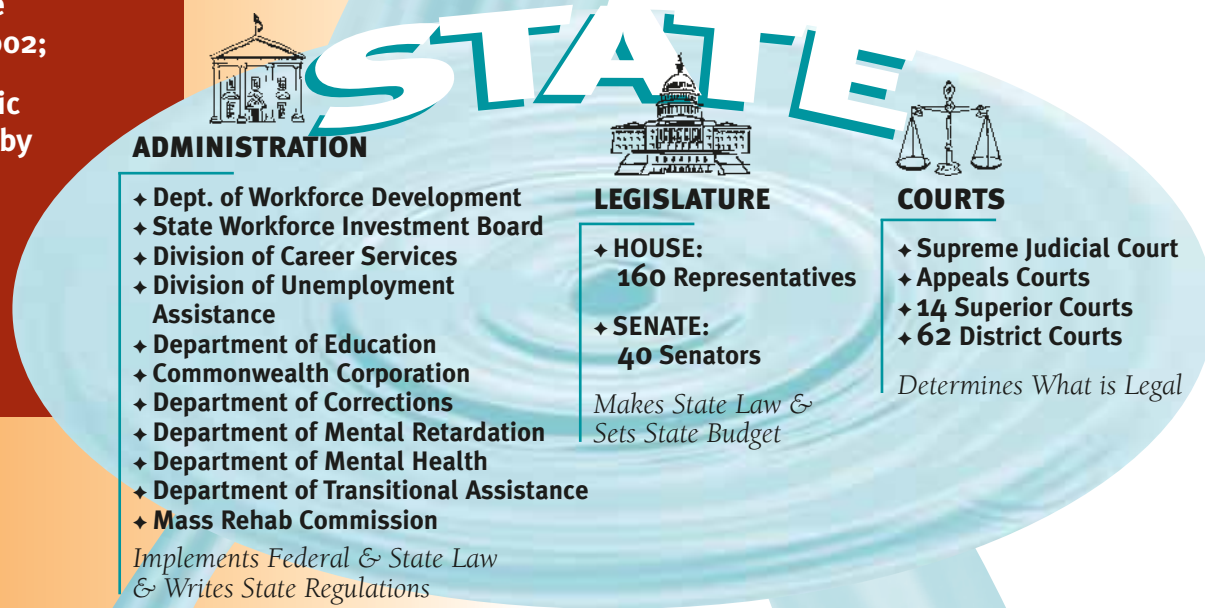
b) this chart depicts public funding. Funds provided by employers, unions, and foundations — which most often flow directly to providers — are not represented here.



WORKFORCE INVESTMENT ACT

WAGNER PEYSER

YOUTH OPPORTUNITIES AREAS



EMPOWERMENT ZONES

WAGNER PEYSER

WIA YOUTH, ADULT & DISLOCATED WORKERS

BEST INITIATIVES

EOHHS EMPLOYMENT SERVICES

ADULT BASIC EDUCATION

WORKFORCE TRAINING FUND

WELFARE TO WORK

EXTENDED CARE CAREER LADDER INITIATIVE

DOL, HUD, DHHS RESEARCH & DEMONSTRATION GRANTS



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**LOCAL PROVIDERS**

**Our public workforce development system serves only about 5% of those in need.**