# Prince George's County American Job Center Community Network & Employ Prince George's Prince George's County Council Education & Workforce Development Committee





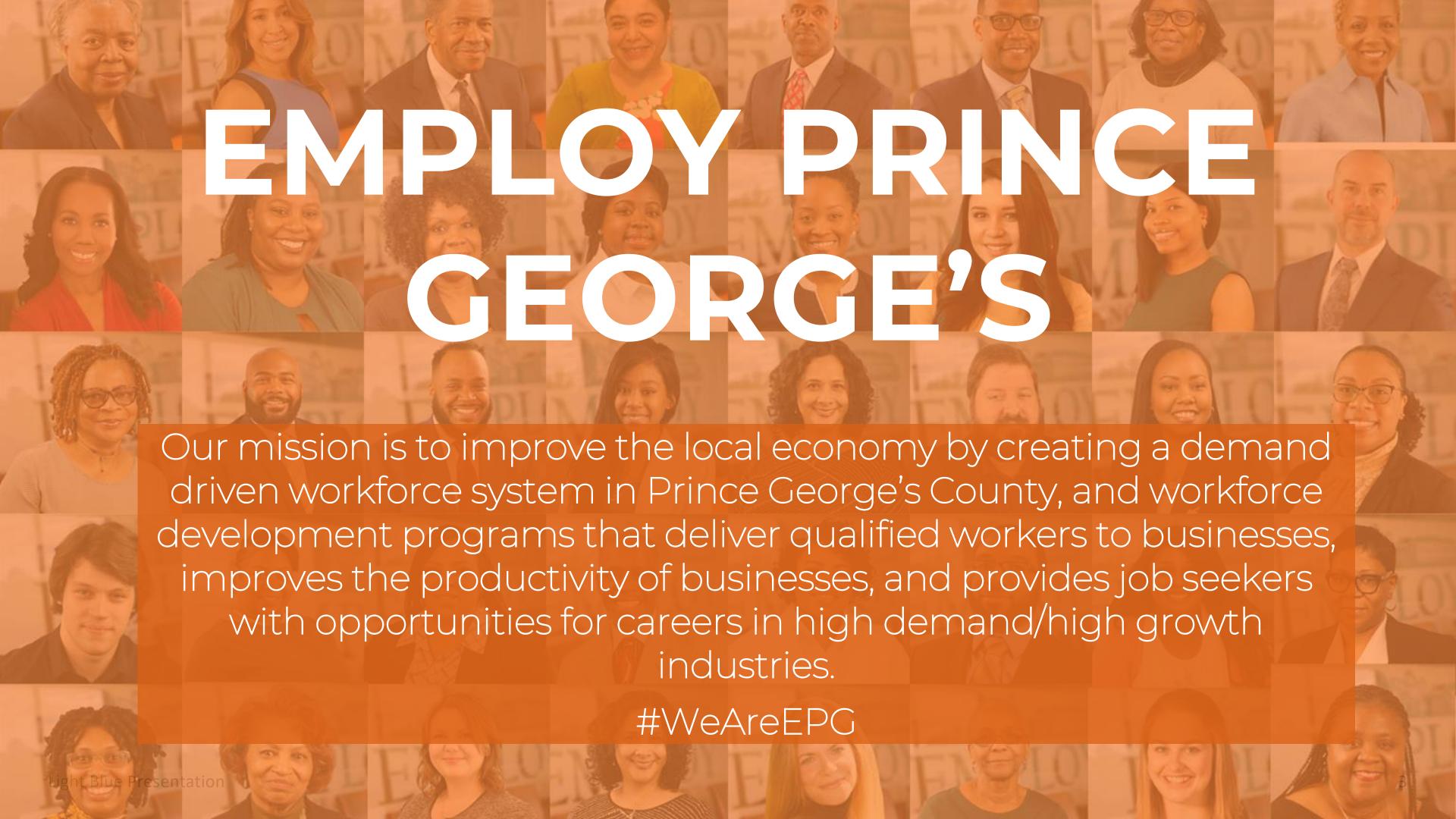


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### WHOWEARE

Employ Prince George's is the quasi-government 501c3 nonprofit serving as the principal workforce development entity for Prince George's County Government. As the principal workforce development entity for Prince George's County Government, Employ Prince George's serves as the staff, fiscal agent and administrative agent of the Prince George's County Workforce Development Board, the entity managing and distributing the County's Workforce Innovation & Opportunity Act (WIOA) Title I funds, and the operator of the Prince George's County Public Workforce System.

Employ Prince George's is an industry leading workforce development service provider, administering over 14 workforce development programs supported by a blended funding model. Employ Prince George's serves as the link between job seekers looking to begin or change careers, and businesses looking for skilled workers to maintain competitiveness in a changing labor market.



# Labor Market Information & Analysis

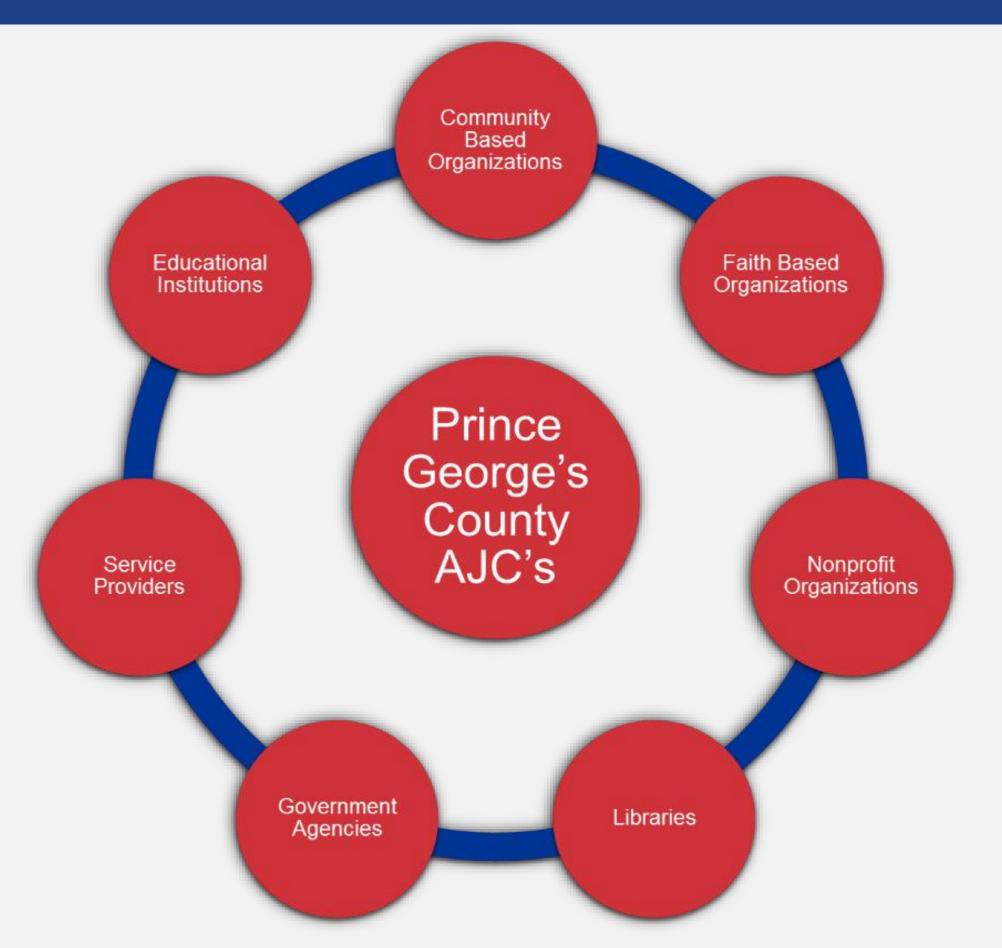
Economic Indicators	Definitions	January 2019	January 2024	Year to Year Change
Unemployment Rate	Number unemployed as a percentage of the labor force.	4.4%	2.9%	-1.5%
Unemployment	People who had no employment during the reference week, were available for work at that time, and had made specific efforts to find employment sometime during the 4-week period ending with the reference week.	22,588	14,479	-8,109
Employment (Jobs)	People who, during the reference week, did any work for pay or profit; did at least 15 hours of unpaid work in a family-operated enterprise; or were temporarily absent from their regular job(s) because of illness, vacation, bad weather, an industrial dispute, or various personal reasons. Each employed person is counted only once, even if he or she holds more than one job.	492,201	481,696	-10,505
Labor Force	People ages 16 years and older and classified as employed or unemployed.	514,789	496,175	-18,614

## Prince George's County Public Workforce System Prince George's County American Job Center Community Network



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# AJCCN Membership Overview



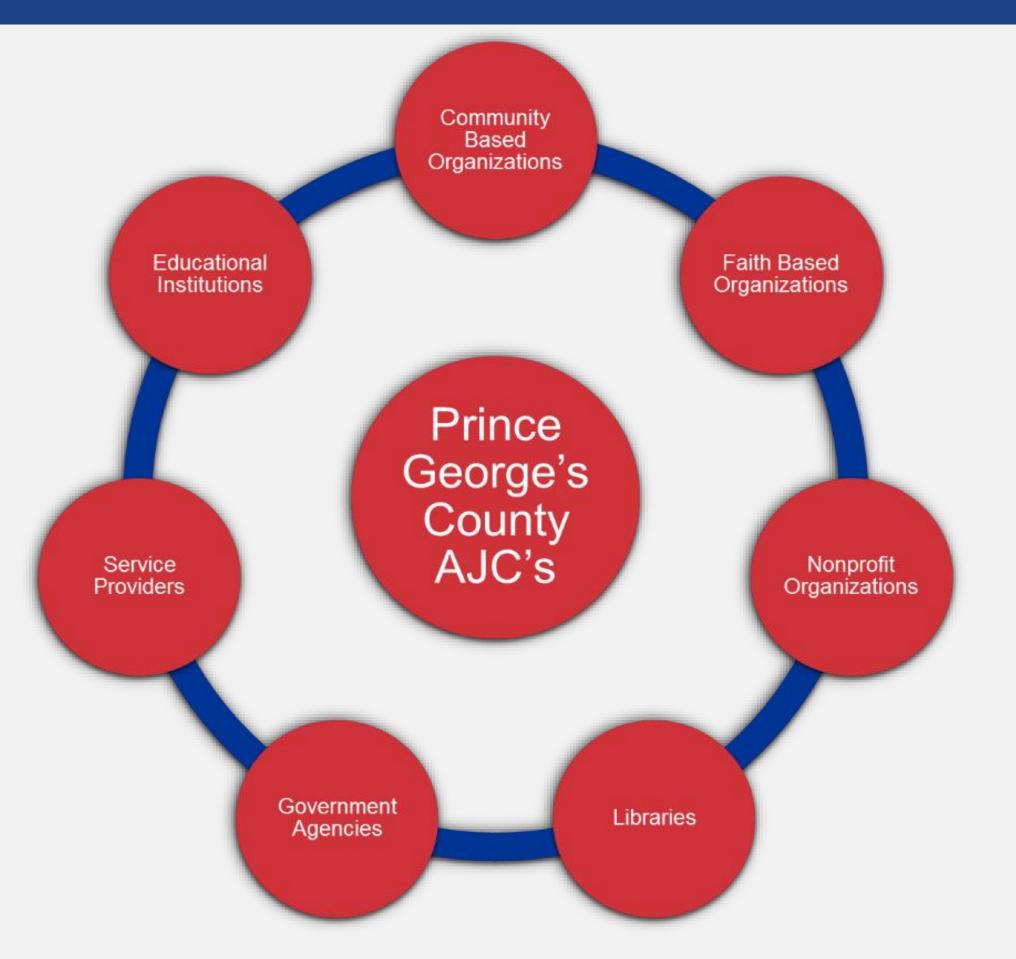
The Prince George's County American Job Center Community Network is a collective of community-based organizations, faith based organizations, nonprofit organizations, libraries, government agencies, service providers, educational entities, and concerned citizens providing a full range of services that connect job seekers and businesses in Prince George's County and the DC Metropolitan Region.

Built on a core Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act principle, PARTNERSHIP, the American Job Center Community Network leverages government funding with community resources and community connections to provide high-quality career services, education and training, and supportive services to the doorstep of job seekers throughout Prince George's County.

Partners can join the network by emailing:

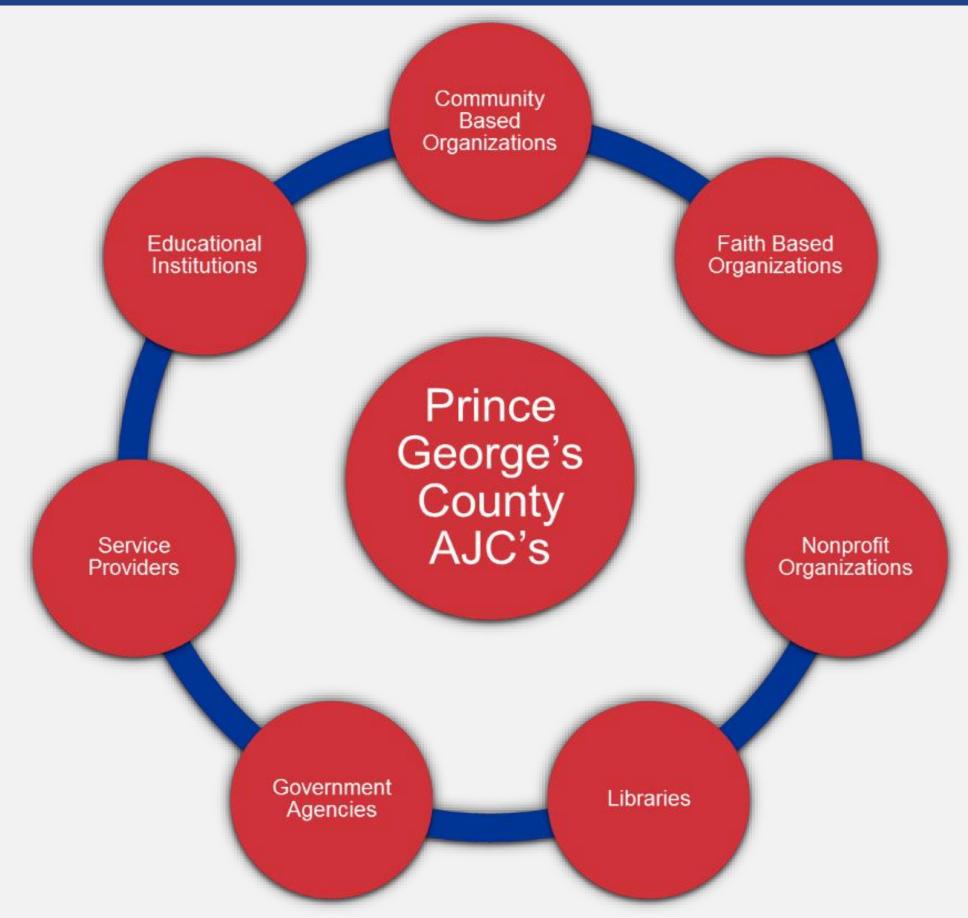
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# AJCCN Membership Tiers



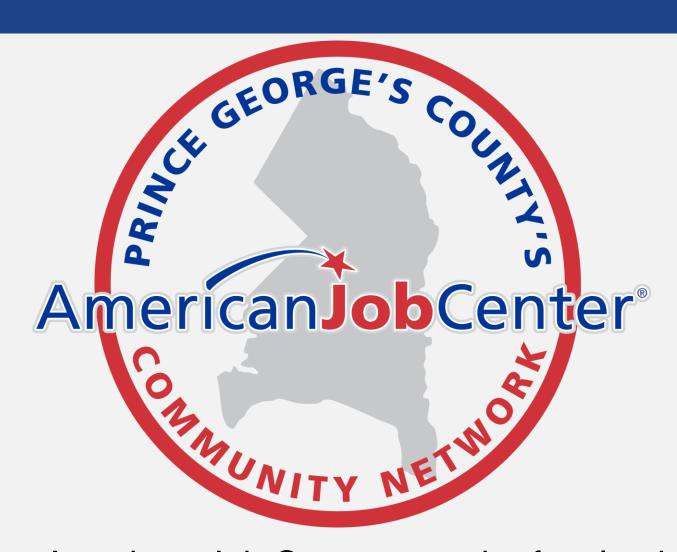
- Tier I Service Provider/Affiliated
   Site: Mandatory WIOA Partners, WDB
   Subcontractors/Service Providers, &
   EPG Subcontractors
- Tier II Access Point: Services providers offering free workforce development, or workforce related, services to Prince George's County residents
- Tier III General Member: Member of the community who does not have a fiscal relationship with the workforce system and does not provide services but wants to receive information and updates

# AJCCN Membership Goals



- Increase the capacity of the AJCCN and it's members
- Increase the accessibility of the AJCCN to maximize services, training outcomes and placements into employment of Prince George's County residents
- Increase AJCCN memberships to 250
   Tier I, Tier II, & Tier III members
- Develop 75 access points for workforce development services in Prince George's County
- Increase connectivity and service coordination of workforce development service providers
- Create a system wide CRM for members

## AJCCN American Job Centers







#### American Job Center Largo

1801 McCormick Drive, Suite 120 Largo, MD 20774 (301) 618-8425

#### **Youth Career Center**

5001 Silver Hill Road, Suite 310 Suitland, MD 20746 (301) 316-9892



#### American Job Center National Harbor

6800 Oxon Hill Rd, Suite 298, National Harbor, MD 20745
(301) 968-1658



#### **Building Trades Career Center**

4700 Boston Way Lanham, MD 20706 (301) 273-3458

- American Job Centers are the focal point of service delivery for the American Job Center Community Network
- American Job Center Largo is Prince George's County's Comprehensive American Job Center
- Bridge Center at Adams House 2024 transition
- Greenbelt Healthcare Career Center -

# American Job Center Operators





Competitively procured contractor of the WDB that serves as a mall manager for both American Job Centers. Is not a WIOA Title I Career Service Provider.



Competitively procured contractor of the WDB that manages the Youth Career Center's operations and serves as a WIOA Title I Out of School Youth Career Service Provider.







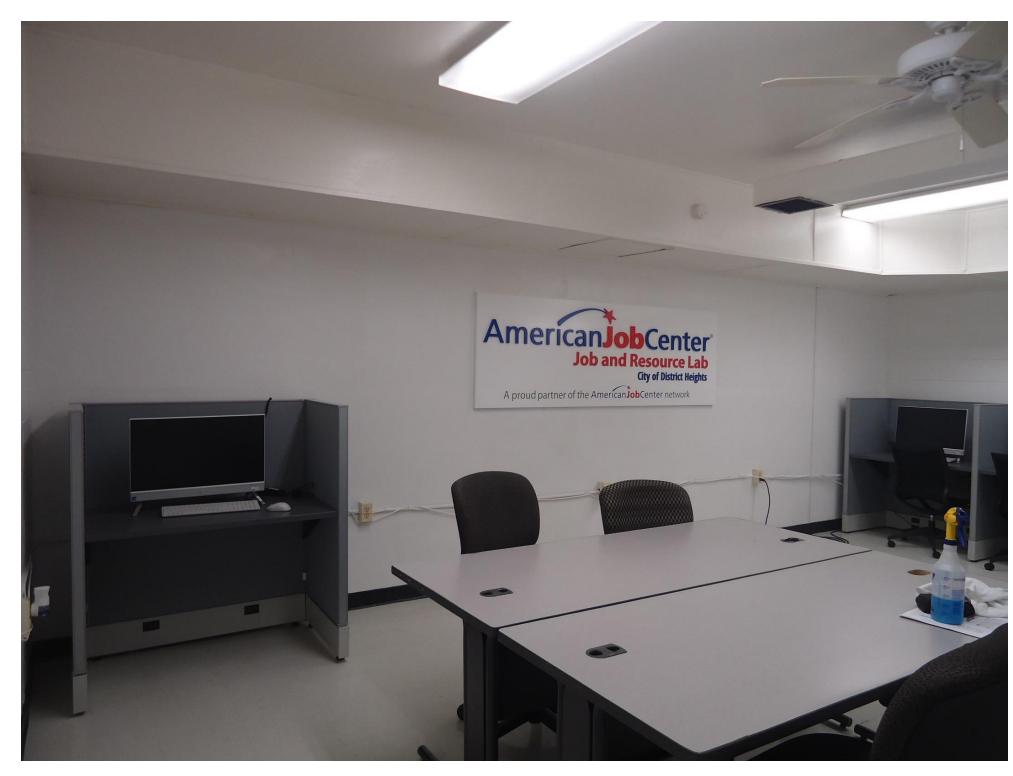




# American Job Center Community Network Job & Resource Labs



- 27 Incorporated Municipalities
- 5-15 Computers
- 1 High-Capacity Printer
- IT & Internet provided by Municipality



# AJCCN Membership Portal



- Accessible via AJCCN Website www.PGCAJC.com
- Must be a member of the AJCCN
- Asset Mapping
- Staff Professional Development
- Resident Referrals
- System Messaging
- Events Managing
- Track Flow Reporting
- Facility Safety

## AJCCN Member Portal Launch











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Settings

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Staff Menu



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Staff Staff

25 Customers

**Events** 

E-Courses

My E-Courses

My Forms

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Total Number of Partner Registrations

Tier 1 Registrations

Tier 2 Registrations

Tier 3 Registrations

Total Number of Agreements

Total Job Fairs

Total number of Job Fair **Attendees** 

Total Number of Referrals

**Total Active Customers** 

5,285

My Caseload

**Action Items** 

**Upcoming Events** 

New Customer Registrations Past 30 Days

686

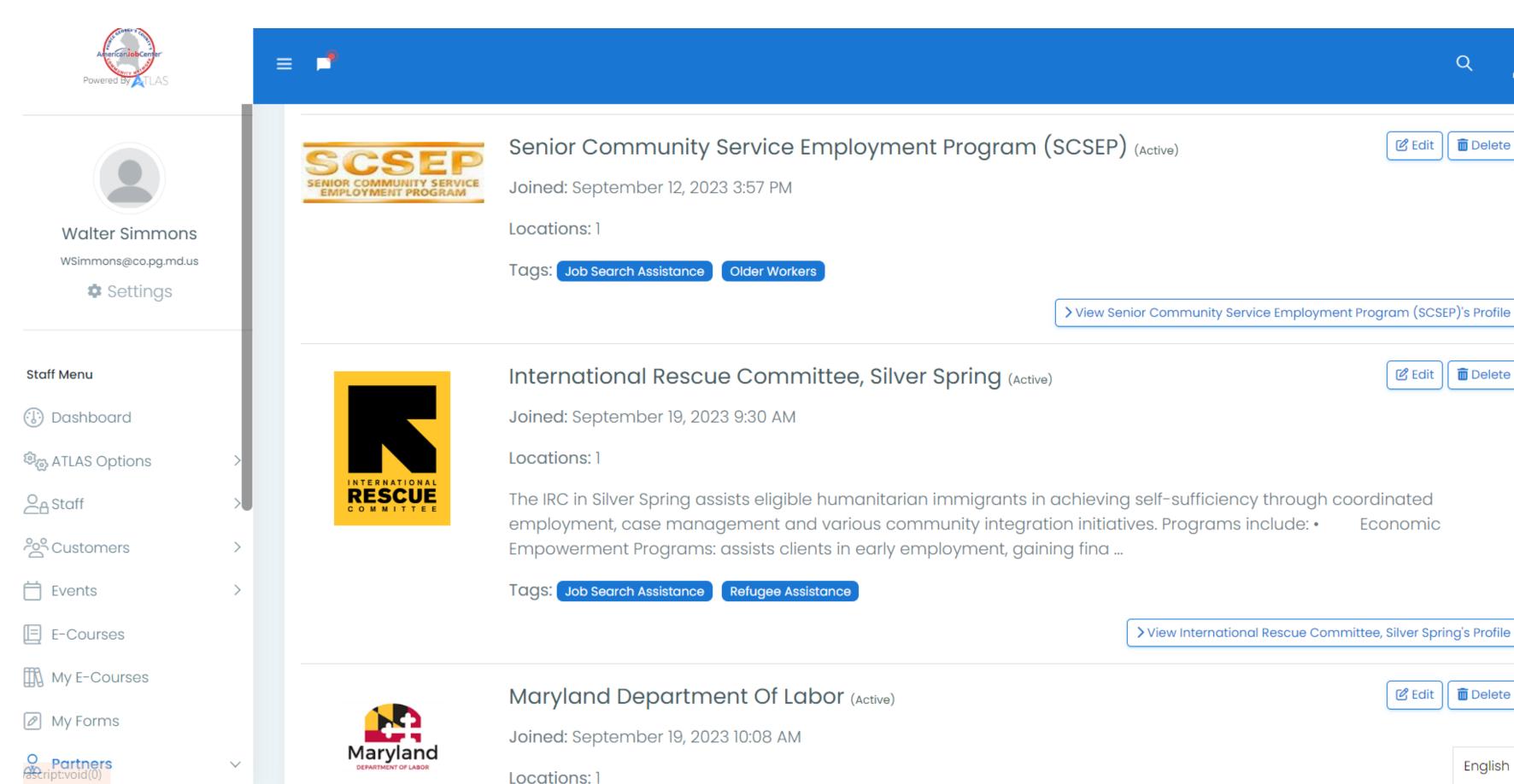
Kiosk Interactions Past 30 Days

1,376

New Documents Past 30 Days

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## AJCCN Member Portal Member Asset



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employment, case management and various community integration initiatives. Programs include: • Economic

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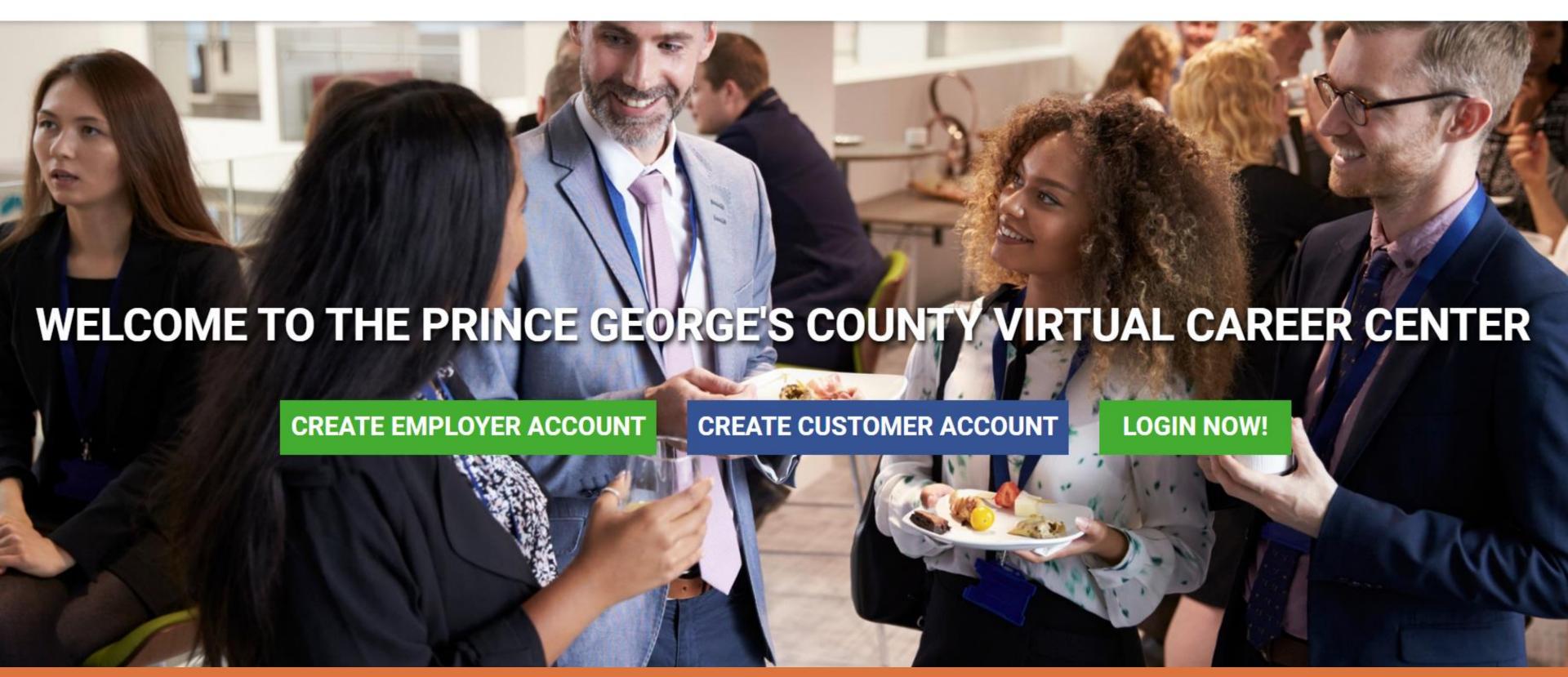












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### TIERS OF SERVICE

(1) Community Engagement Services (Outreach & Recruitment)

Data System of Record:
Virtual Career Center & Atlas

- Attendance at:
  - Community Events
  - Resource Fairs
- American Job Center Visits
- Mobile American Job Center Visits
- Registrations in:
  - Atlas
  - Virtual Career Center

Minimum Participant Data

Collected: Name, DOB & Contact

Information



(2) Basic & Groups Services

Data System of Record:
Virtual Career Center & Atlas

- Program Orientations & Information Sessions
- Career ReadinessWorkshops
- Skills Assessments
- Hiring Events & Job Fairs
- Job Clubs
- Foundational Occupational Skills Trainings

**Minimum Participant Data** 

**Collected:** Additional Contact &

**Demographic Information** 

(3) Intensive & Training Services

Data System of Record: Virtual

Career Center & MWE

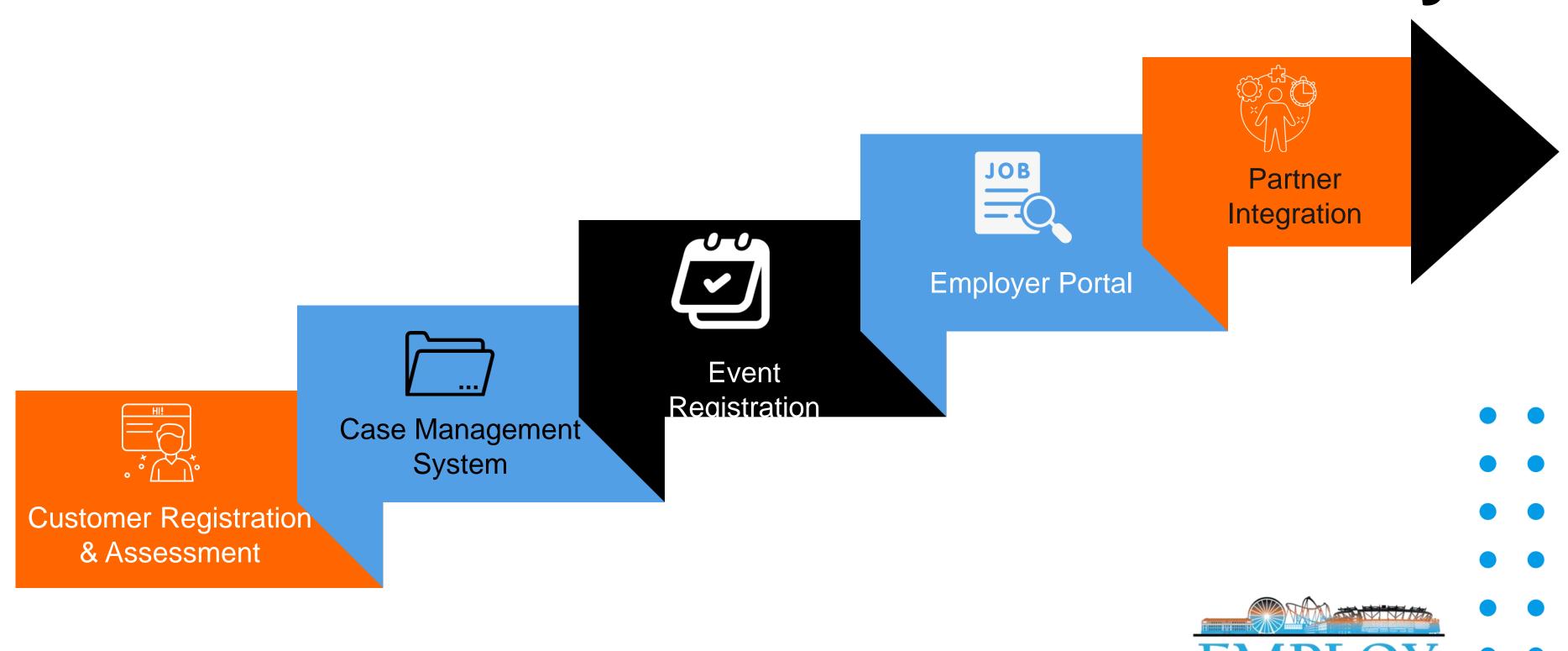
- Career Coaching
- Occupational Skills Training
- Work Based Learning
- Supportive Services
- Apprenticeships
- Follow Up Services
- Customized Job Placement

**Minimum Participant Data** 

Collected: Personal Identifiable

Information

# Prince George's County Virtual Career Center Functionality



# Employ Prince George's Workforce Development Programming

Employ Prince George's is an industry-leading workforce development service provider, administering over 14 workforce development programs supported by a combination of public and private sources, serving job seekers and businesses across DC, Maryland, and Northern Virginia.









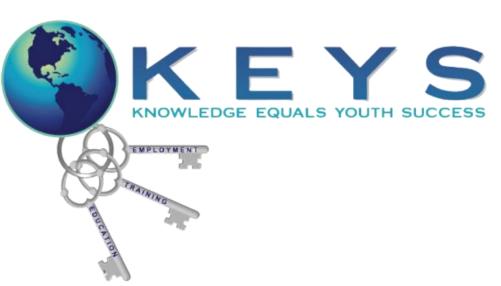


**Employ Prince George's** 

Workforce Development

**Recovery Program** 







# Demographic Programs





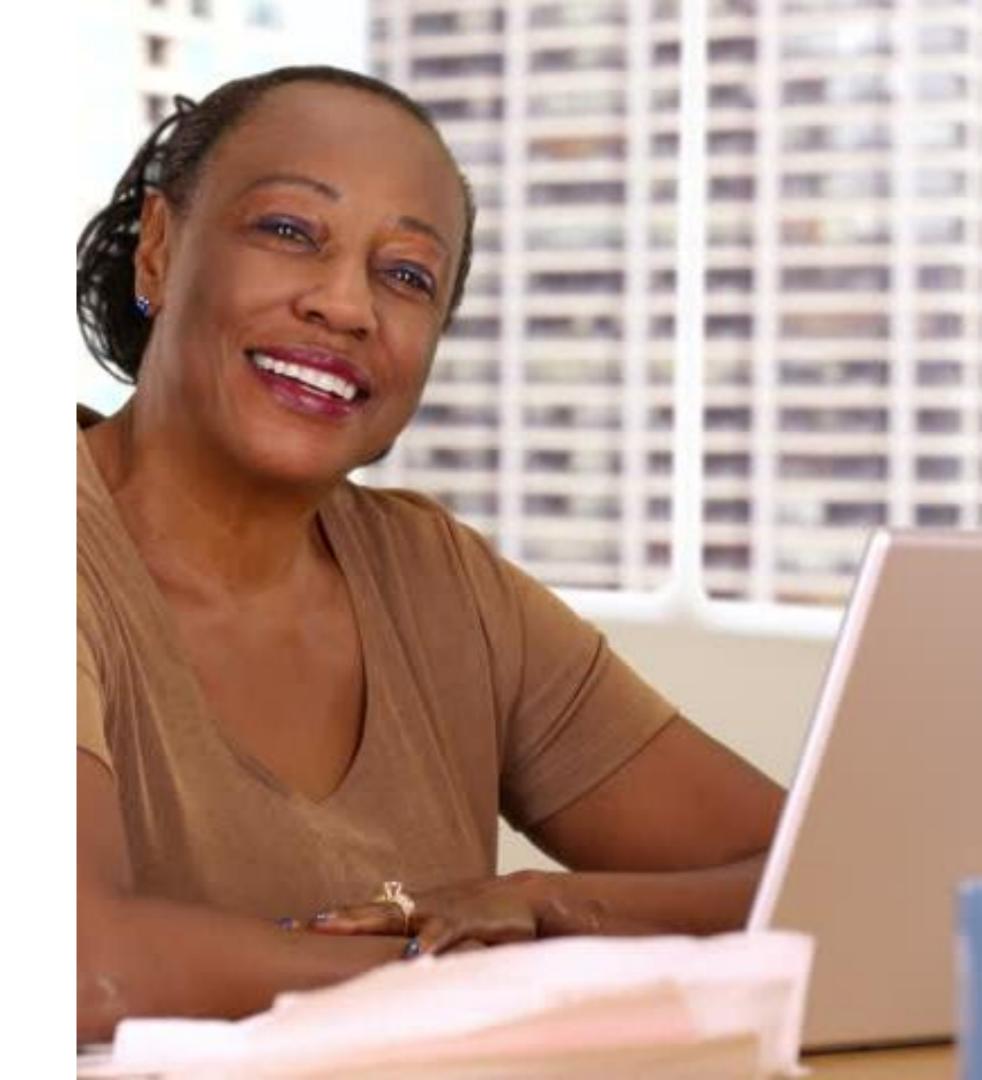
#### A Workforce Development Resource for Experienced Workers

If you or someone you know (50 years of age or older) is interested in learning more about the numerous services, resources and programs offered by the local workforce development system, please register for the Encore Experienced Worker Program.

Our Encore Program Coordinator is here to support you! The AJC is launching direct services to support the unique needs and interests of 50+ job seekers.

Register for an Encore workshop by visiting <a href="https://www.EmployPG.org/events">www.EmployPG.org/events</a> today!

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# Career Pathways For ALL

Creating Pathways That Break Language and Cultural Barriers

The Career Pathways For All Program (CPFA) aims to break language and cultural barriers, developed to bridge the gap between Prince George's County's immigrant and English language learner populations with workforce development programing and employment opportunities.

- One-on-One counseling
- Customized professional development assistance
- Career Readiness Training
- Tuition assistance for occupational skills training
- Career planning and consultation
- Customized training
- Paid work-based training opportunities





# VETERANS CAREER CONNECTION

The Veterans Career Connection Program provides services to veterans, spouses of veterans, and transitioning service members that assist with the transition to civilian employment.

- One-on-One counseling
- Customized professional development assistance
- Tuition assistance for occupational skills training
- Career planning and consultation
- Customized training
- Paid work-based training opportunities
- Military to Civilian transition Assistance





Pathways to Success is a workforce development program customized for returning citizens and job seekers with multiple barriers to employment. Pathways to Success provides customized training and connections to employment opportunities that provide a foundation for life-long improvement.

- Job Club
- U.S. Probation & Pretrial Services
- Federal Bonding
- Legal Aid & Expungement Assistance
- Occupational Skills Training
- Career Assessment & Planning
- Supportive Services
- Basic Skills Training
- Mentoring
- Career Exploration





#### **Employ Prince George's**

## COVID-19

Workforce Development

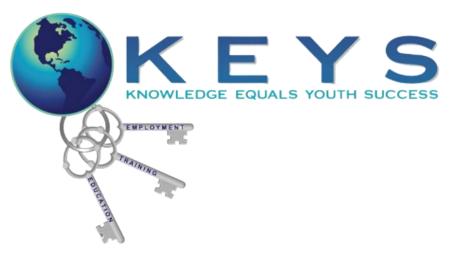
**Recovery Program** 

Thousands of businesses have closed due to the pandemic, leading to over 100,000 residents being laid off and out of work. Employ Prince George's COVID-19 Workforce Development Recovery Program is here to help restart careers. The COVID-19 Workforce Development Recovery Program assist unemployed Prince George's County residents reenter their previous career or occupation, develop the skills to secure higher wage employment, or transition careers. The COVID-19 Workforce Development Recovery Program utilizes various traditional and nontraditional services to achieve its goal.

- Occupational Skills Training
- Online Skills Upgrading
- Rapid Re-Employment Grants
- Needs Based Payments\*



Identified as a national best practice, highlighted by NPR and featured by the National Association of Workforce Development





The Youth Services Department operates multiple programs that are committed to assisting today's youth in becoming tomorrow's productive and skilled workforce. Youth Services programs provide In-School Youth and Out-of-School Youth, ages 14-24, with the necessary tools to become competitive in the workforce through Career Pathways service models. Youth Services provides an array of workforce development services and activities to youth who are at-risk of dropping out of high school or may face barriers to employment.

- Supportive Services
- Work Experience
- Leadership and Soft Skill Training
- Job Readiness Training
- Internships
- Apprenticeships



















Transportation and Logistics Consortium



Led by business leaders in the DC Metropolitan Area, CWP is a comprehensive workforce program that aligns Career Services, Adult Education, and Occupational Skills Training to meet the workforce needs of Construction businesses in the DC Metropolitan Area.

Employ Prince George's CWP programming is customized to meet the

Employ Prince George's CWP programming is customized to meet the immediate needs of local businesses!

#### Training programs available for the following:

- Carpentry
- Commercial Painting
- Electrician
- Heavy Equipment Operator
- Highway Maintenance/Repair
   Worker
- Welder
- Commercial & Residential Truck
   Driver
- General Construction Laborer



#### EDUCATION PARTNERSHIP FOR IT CAREERS

The Educational Partnership for IT Careers (EPIC) is a workforce development program designed to bride the skills gap and connectivity between Prince George's County residents and careers in the Information Technology and Cyber Security Industries. EPIC has a focus on skills development through occupational skills training, apprenticeships, and work-based learning.

#### EPIC prepares job seekers for the following careers:

- Desktop Support Specialist
- Information Security
- VPC and Hardware Repair Specialist
- Cyber Security Analyst
- Network Engineer
- Network Administration
- Coder & Graphic Designer





#### **HEALTHCARE ALLIANCE**

Healthcare is one of the highest paying, fastest growing and most in-demand industries in the United States. The Capital Area Healthcare Alliance (CAHA) prepares Prince George's County residents for numerous healthcare careers through a combination of work based learning and occupational skills training.

#### Services Provided:

- Industry Certified Training
- Job Placement Assistance
- Supportive Services
- One-on-One Career Counseling
- Basic Skills Training
- Apprenticeships

- Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA)
- Geriatric Nursing Assistant (GNA)
- Medical Administrative Assistant
- Medical Billing & Coding
- Registered Medical Assistant
- Pharmacy Technician





The Hospitality and Accommodation Institute (HAI) trains Prince George's County residents for careers in Hospitality and Accommodation Industries (Retail, Customer Service, Food & Beverage). The Hospitality and Accommodation Institute provides the following services and training:

- Free Industry Certified Training One-on-One Career Counselin
- Job Placement Assistance
- Supportive Services

- Hotel Administrator
- Guest Services Professional
- Hotel & Lodging Security
- Restaurant Supervisor

- Basic Skills Training
- Cook & Sous Chef
- Retail Supervisor
- Customer Service Representative





There is a high demand from employers in the region to fill positions within the Professional Services industry. The PSI provides job seekers with industry certified training, one-on-one career counseling, job placement assistance, basic skills training, and supportive services that place job seekers along a career pathway beginning with employment in middle skills occupations. The PSI includes an array of specialized occupations that provide support to a wide range of industries.

- Administration/Management
- Project Management
- Clerical/Administrative
   Support
- Human Resources

- Finance/Accounting
- Legal Services
- Education





# Transportation and Logistics Consortium

The United States transports over \$20 trillion in goods, leading to thousands of transportation, warehousing, and logistics jobs. The Transportation and Logistics Consortium (TALC) provides a vast menu of services to DC, Maryland and Northern Virginia residents, including the following:

- FREE Industry Certified
   Training
- Paid Work Experience
- Job Placement Assistance
- One-on-One Career
   Counseling

- Supportive Services
- Driver License Assistance
- Basic Skills Training
- Subsidized Employment (up to \$20 per hour)

- Drive Commercial & Delivery
- Heavy Equipment Operator
- Warehouse Worker/Associate
- Forklift & Small EquipmentOperator
- Mover & Material Handler
- Picker, Packers, & Assemblers







Apprenticeship Funder

Apprenticeship Sponsor

Employer of Record

Related Training Instruction Provider



**Apprenticeship Intermediary** 

**Apprentice** 



# Business Services

Employ Prince George's utilizes a consultative approach to business services, designed to identify the full scope of a businesses needs. The consultative approach allows Employ Prince George's the opportunity to implement a comprehensive and holistic strategy to ensure a business achieves employee recruitment and retention goals

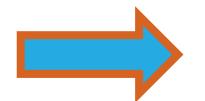
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## Business Engagement Markets: Employers Operating in Prince George's County

Data sourced from MWE, Dun & Bradstreet, Lightcast & Econovue

#### Market

63,971

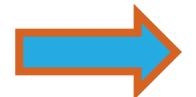


Total number of businesses operating in Prince George's County

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#### **Industry Market**

46,664



Total number of businesses operating in Prince George's County, in 1 of the 13 in-demand industries identified by the Prince George's County Workforce Development Board

#### **Target Market**

45,201



Total number of businesses operating in Prince George's County, in an in-demand industry, within the 6 in-demand industry clusters

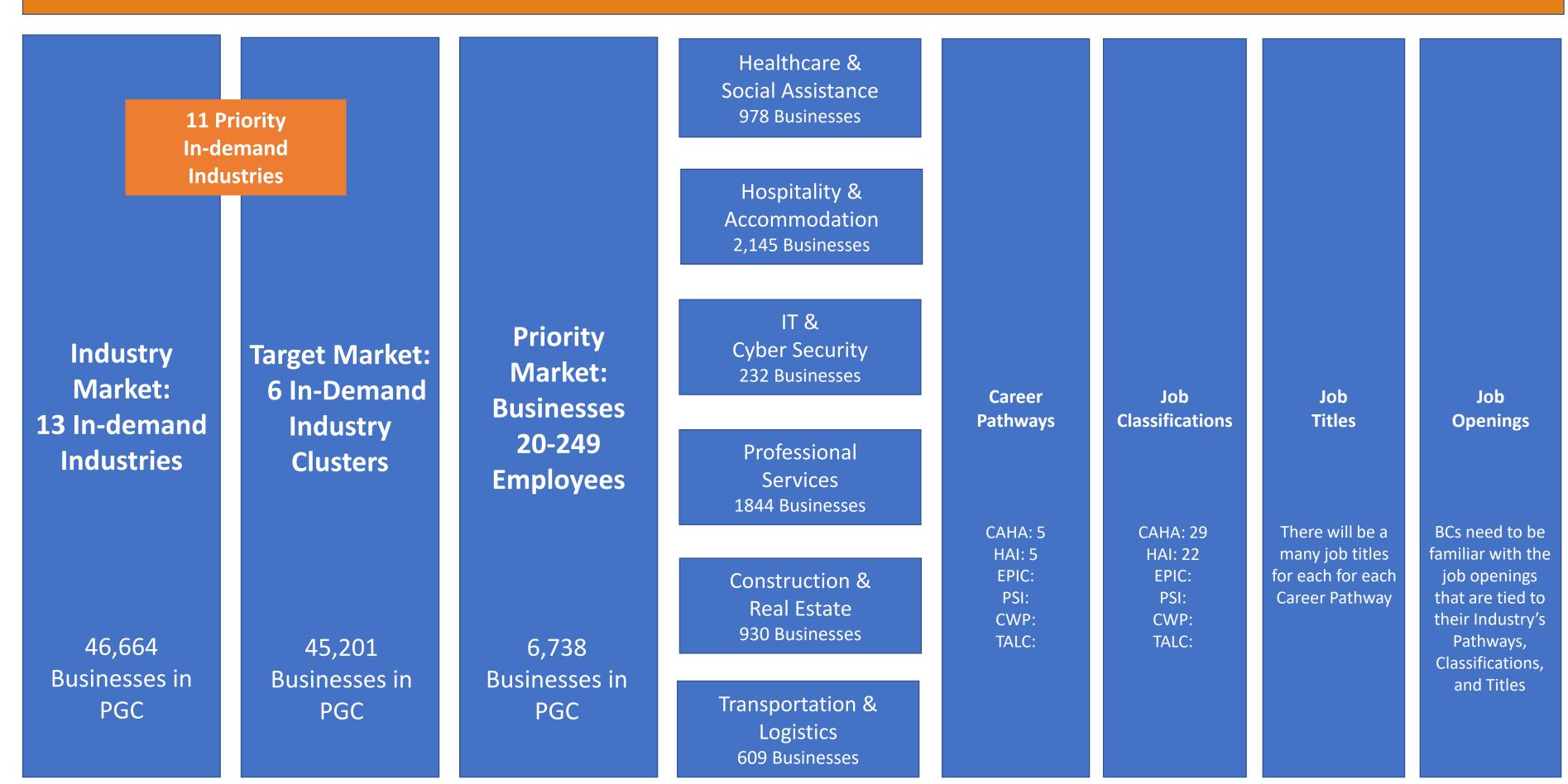
#### **Priority Market**

6,738



Total number of businesses operating in Prince George's County, in the 6 in-demand industry clusters, with 20 – 249 employees

#### Business Engagement Market Strategy - Operationalized



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