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Dear partner,

Welcome to the latest edition of "South Bay Workforce Newsletter," the electronic newsletter of the South Bay Workforce Investment Board (SBWIB).

This information-packed eNewsletter will bring you up to date on happenings within our organization including upcoming events, encouraging stories of success, and achievements throughout the South Bay Area on a monthly basis.

We encourage you to visit any one of our social media outlets or websites (see below) for additional information and resources.

Sincerely,

Jan Vogel

SUCCESS STORIES



Ashley Tellez

TSE Program Employs Ashley as She Finds Permanent Employment

Ashley Tellez, single mother of one child, applied for numerous jobs and wasn't receiving calls for interviews. Although she was grateful for the assistance the county provided her and her son, it was not enough to live comfortably. Ashley wanted to be successful for her and her family so she participated in the Gain Program (Job Club) to receive employment assistance. Later she was enrolled into the Transitional Subsidized Employment (TSE) program and was placed into a position at the Torrance One Stop Business & Career Center as an Administrative Assistant. While she was in the TSE Program, Ashley continued to apply for positions and found permanent full-time employment at Molina Healthcare.

Ashley stated "I am very grateful to have been part of the TSE program at the Torrance One Stop, they trusted me and saw things in me that I hid within myself. They were great people and the support I received from them was very helpful, I don't think I would be where I am today if it weren't for them, it was a bitter sweet feeling leaving the One Stop"

Read more success stories

TSE Program in Torrance Assists Jalishia Find her Future Career

Jalishia Clingmon, single mother of a daughter, attended a Transitional Subsidized Employment (TSE) orientation to expand her connections in search of employment.

Jalishia's personality was noticed immediately by job developers at the TSE orientation. She appeared to be a people person and stood out, which made placing her at the Torrance One Stop the perfect choice. Her case manager noted how great Jalishia was with the public as well as with other TSE participant's that sought resume assistance and access to the computer lab.

Her work at the Torrance One Stop led her to an interview with Autism Spectrum Therapy, where she landed a full time permanent position. Jalishia enjoys her job and thanks everyone at the One Stop who helped



Jalishia Clingmon

motivate her and look at the positives in life. Now she wants to pursue a Master's degree in Education.

Jalishia stated, "Although I miss you guys so much, I am happy I took this position. I am glad that everyone was so positive and nice to me. Now I know I would like to pursue my Masters in Education."

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RWM Hired Clients from Dislocated Worker, Adult, 25%, and Transitional Subsidized Employment Programs

RWM has been a valued I-TRAIN partner since 1994 and has provided numerous training opportunities to adult, dislocated workers, and Veteran clients. A rapidly growing industry coupled with changes within the vocational education sector led to immediate staffing needs in the areas of administrative and admissions personnel, and instructors.

While the SBWIB and the South Bay One-Stop Business and Career Center-Inglewood have had a long standing relationship with RWM as a training provider, the relationship has expanded to include employment opportunities for SBWIB clients. Recently, the RWM has hired a total of 6 job seekers from various programs including dislocated worker, adult, 25%, and the Transitional Subsidized Employment Program.

Read full story here

IN THE NEWS

The SBWIB Receives \$500,000 from the State of California EDD to assist veterans with training and jobs

The SBWIB was awarded \$500,000 to assist unemployed and underemployed veterans with barriers to employment find rewarding civilian jobs. The funding was made available through a Veterans' Employment-Related Assistance Program (VEAP) grant offered by the State of California Employment Development Department (EDD) under the Workforce Innovation Opportunity Act (WIOA).



Download press release here

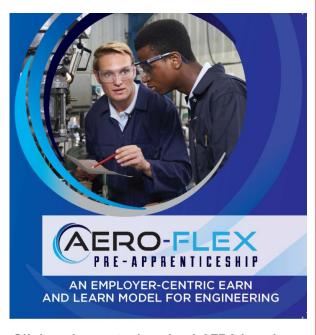


SBWIB Veteran Services - \$500k Veteran Grant Coverage - Torrance CitiCABLE

SBWIB is awarded a \$240,000 Accelerator Grant for Pre-Apprenticeship development in Engineering

The SBWIB was awarded \$240,000 by the California Workforce Development Board to continue developing its new Aero-Flex Pre-Apprenticeship (AFPA), which creates a career pathway for engineering. The funding will be utilized to expand the pilot program; designed as an employer-driven earn and learn model that will build a workforce pipeline to help meet the needs of area aerospace employers.

Download press release here



Click on image to download AFPA brochure



Aero-Flex Pre-Apprenticeship Program Coverage Torrance CitiCABLE

Follow the link below to learn about the Aero-Flex Pre-Apprenticeship training model, how to qualify and more.

Aero-Flex Pre-Apprenticeship

South Bay Cities Fiber-Optic Master Plan

The SBWIB in partnership with the South Bay Cities Council of Governments, have completed a Broadband Fiber-Optic Master Plan for the South Bay region. Fast Broadband provides improved download and upload speeds, as well as a more reliable service, a crucial driver for job creation and economic growth. This assessment was paid for by the SBWIB and prepared by Magellan Advisors, a leading consultant for broadband infrastructure planning.



<u>Download press release here</u> Review the Fiber-Optic Master Plan here

ANNOUNCEMENT



Save the Date for SBWIB's 22nd Annual Alumni Awards Ceremony

Every year the SBWIB and community partners in the South Bay come together to congratulate and award participants who have successfully made it through various SBWIB programs, got training and found jobs. This event not only recognizes them but also raises funds to support our youth programs and teen centers.

Date: Thursday, October 12th, 2017

Time: 6 p.m. - 9 p.m.

Location: Torrance Marriott

3635 Fashion Way, Torrance, CA 90503

WHAT'S NEW

Got flyers?

Visit the SBWIB and South Bay One-Stop Business & Career Center's flyer page to locate any flyer of all the programs available. Feel free to download and distribute as needed.

Flyers link



Summer Jobs Program For ages 14-24 years old Siph It's Summer! Are you looking for ways to gain work experience? Let us help! You Can Earn Up to \$1,200! Printity services for: CAWORES (must be receiving CASHAID) Promove information content occurred to content of content occurred to content occu

Summer Jobs Program

An opportunity for youth and young adults ages 14-24 is now available to earn income through paid work experience. Youth can work for a variety of employers throughout Los Angeles County and earn up to \$1,200!

Priority services are available to youth who are homeless, low income, foster or in CalWORKS (must be receiving cash aid). For more information and contact numbers please download the flyer.

Download flyer here

Bride-to-Work Foster Youth Employment Program

The Bridge-to-Work-Foster program works with foster youth in the South Bay that are eligible to enroll in the Independent Living Program (ILP). The program consists of a 30 hour course that will help youth assess basic skills, find career interests and match them with a PAID work assignment.

<u>Download flyer here</u> Visit <u>Southbayyouth.org</u> for more





Blueprint for Workplace Success Job Fair - New Video

17th Annual Blueprint for Workplace Success Job Fair. Over 960 students and young adults, 80 companies, and 59 volunteers attended. 235 were hired onthe-spot and 280 others were invited back for second interviews.

Visit **Southbayyouth.org** for more

Construction Jobs

The SBWIB's Construction and Utilities Pathways Program (CUPP) is providing bi-weekly orientations every other Friday at the Inglewood One-Stop Center for construction job opportunities. Current projects include the Los Angeles Football Stadium and Entertainment District at Hollywood Park.

Contact Rosalin D. Clark to schedule an appointment. Contact information found on flyer.



Download flyer here



South Bay One-Stop Business & Career Centers

One-Stop Centers also offer convenient access to a wide array of business services including: hiring assistance, recruitment. job fairs, screening skills assessments. testing, reference checks, incumbent worker training, layoff aversion services, and much more is available to your business. All of our services are at no cost!

UPCOMING EVENTS

July 18: LAPD Monthly Testing

Would you like to become a police officer? Stop by the Gardena One Stop to take the LAPD Police Officer qualification exam. Held once a month.

Time: 2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. Location: Gardena One Stop

1608 A. Western Ave. Gardena, CA 90247

July 18 & 19: A Day in the Life of a College Student - FREE*

In partnership with California State University Dominguez Hills, the Hawthorne and Inglewood Teen Centers invite 8th grade students to participate in the 4th Annual, "A Day in a Life of a College Student" college experience. Limited space, download flyer for contact information.

Time: 11:00 a.m. July 18th - 1:00 p.m. July 19th

Location: Depart from Hawthorne Teen Center to CSU Dominguez Hills

Download flyer here

July 27: Los Angeles Football Stadium & Entertainment District at Hollywood Park

Attention Veterans: Join a veteran information session from the Veteran Career Pathway Program to receive employment opportunities information.

Time: 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Location: South Bay One Stop Business & Career Centers

110 S. La Brea Ave., Inglewood, CA 90301

Download flyer here

CONNECT WITH US

For the latest information and events taking place in the South Bay Area, be sure to check us out on social media at the following outlets:

LinkedIn - (South Bay 1-Stop) and (South Bay Workforce Investment Board)

Twitter (@SouthBayWIB, @SouthBayJobsCA)

Facebook (South Bay Workforce Investment Board - SBWIB, South Bay

Jobs, Gardena One-Stop), Hawthorne Teen Center, Inglewood Teen Center

Pinterest (SouthBayWIB), Hawthorne Teen Center

Instagram (SouthBayWIB), Inglewood Teen Center, Hawthorne Teen Center

YouTube (South Bay Workforce Investment Board)

For more information and resources, be sure to visit

SBWIB.org

SouthBay1Stop.org

SouthBayBusiness.org

SouthBayTraining.org

SouthBayYouth.org

SouthBayJobs.org

 $\underline{iCareInglewood.com}$

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