



Towards Employment Young Professionals

ABOUT TEYP

TEYP is a diverse group of individuals who come from all professional backgrounds and walks of life with a common goal of raising awareness and understanding of TE's mission in the community and building support for the organization. As a group, we make an impact and support TE through building community, networking, fundraising, hosting events, and volunteering! We host quarterly meetings throughout the year. Applications to join open in fall!

Upcoming events include:

- Quarterly Associate Board Meetings
- Towards Employment's Annual Event
- TEYP Fundraiser Event
- Virtual Volunteer Done in a Day Projects

We can't wait to get back to hosting in-person events, and are we excited to see what creative solutions TEYP will come up with to continue to raise awareness and fundraise! To learn more about joining TEYP visit our website. If you have additional questions, please contact Jenn Angelo at jangelo@towardsemployment.org.



Towards Employment

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PROVEN RESULTS

Towards Employment is a proven leader in workforce development that connects people to careers, which changes people's lives, advances businesses, and strengthens community in Northeast Ohio.



PEOPLE

We have over 40 years of experience successfully helping people gain the tools they need to find a job, navigate life's obstacles, and secure a path toward a long-term career. Just last year, 422 Greater Cleveland residents got a job and took a step along their career pathway.



BUSINESS

We partner with businesses who have confidence in our proven training programs and personal coaching to prepare new and current employees for career success.



COMMUNITY

We are a leading community-based workforce organization in Northeast Ohio, using learnings from rigorously evaluated program operations to influence the wider system and promote greater economic mobility and more equitable access to opportunity for all of NEO residents.

3,000+

SERVED EACH YEAR

With a staff of 55, over 90 volunteers, 22 board members, and a budget of \$6.4 million, Towards Employment serves approximately 3,000 individuals every year through our programs. For a full list of programs, please visit towardsemployment.org.

300+

EMPLOYMENT PARTNERS

We actively address the needs of local business for a qualified, trained, and motivated workforce and we have partnered with hundreds of employers to help secure employees.

TE 2020 IMPACT



300 PEOPLE

Placed into employment (180 with a criminal record)



80% RETENTION

77% average job retention at 90 days

** New employees within their first 90 days on the job are most susceptible to job loss*



182 PEOPLE

Accessed credentialed training or paid on-the-job training.



\$13.36/HR

Average starting wage for TE participants- \$4.81 above OH minimum wage.



85 PEOPLE

Advanced on the job with an average wage increase of over \$2/hour.



230 EMPLOYERS

Hired TE Graduates over the course of the last year.



776 SUPPORTIVE SERVICES

Helped overcome employment barriers like transportation, tools, uniforms, background checks and pre-employment screening.



1,189 LEGAL CASES

Opened for 460 people to remove barriers to employment/job retention: credit/debt issues, bankruptcy, foreclosure, or criminal issues.



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