



RISE

Readiness for Individual Success in Employment



RISE- Readiness for Individual Success in Employment- is designed to assist young adults in transitioning from high school to adult life. Developed in partnership between Employment Horizons, Inc. and Abilities of Northwest Jersey Inc., agencies with a combined 100+ years of providing employment services, this new program is geared towards students who are no longer in high school and are figuring out their next steps.

SERVICES PROVIDED:

- Evaluation of skills, interests, and abilities
- Referral for basic skills instruction, if needed
- Employment Readiness Bootcamp, including:
 - Job seeking skills instruction
 - Soft skills training
 - Self-advocacy training
 - Workplace financial literacy
 - Traveling to work
 - And more!
- Paid job sampling in a community-based setting (Morris, Sussex, or Warren counties)
- Job coaching
- Job placement services
- Assistance in obtaining a GED, if interested
- Guidance in obtaining an apprenticeship or attending a trade school, if interested

This is a free program to eligible individuals, thanks to a grant from the New Jersey Department of Labor!

Who is eligible?

- Age 16-24
- Resident of Morris, Sussex, or Warren counties
- Have a documented disability or are willing to self-certify limitations
- May or may not have a high school diploma
- Interested in exploring employment
- Interested in full-time employment
- Require support to prepare for, obtain, and maintain employment

When does the program start?

Admissions are accepted on a rolling basis, with different small cohorts starting throughout the year.

Where is the program held?

Employment Readiness Bootcamps will be held at:

- Abilities' STAR Program (located at Warren Community College)
- Employment Horizons (Cedar Knolls, Morris County)

Job sampling and placement will be in Morris, Sussex, and Warren counties.

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