

**Pasco-Hernando Workforce Board, Inc.****Overview for Pasco and Hernando Counties (August 2023)**

**Our Mission:** Pasco-Hernando Workforce Board enhances economic development efforts of our region by providing a well-trained, high-quality workforce which supports the success of local business and improves the quality of life.

**Employer Services**

- **Pasco Hernando** employers directly listed **630 new jobs**, which is a 13% decrease over last year.
- The **CareerSource Pasco Hernando** One Stops hosted **1** employer recruitments with **9** applicants in attendance.
- A total of **\$20,369.20** was spent with **4** new customers being trained (89% decrease) through the **Customized Training (CT)** and **On the Job Training (OJT)** programs.

**Job Seekers**

- **316 people** (a **31% decrease**) were assisted in finding employment.
- **3,370** people visited a **One-Stop** career center in Pasco and Hernando Counties. This is a **20% increase** from last year.
- **32** Pasco Hernando **Veterans** found **employment**. This is a **23% increase** over last year.
- The Mobile One Stop brought services to **0** job seekers in remote locations throughout **Pasco and Hernando**.
- **157** members attended (227% increase) a monthly **Professional Placement Network (PPN)** meeting in **Pasco and Hernando** counties.

**Workforce Training**

- PHWB provided **Individual Training Accounts** for **31** low-income adults and dislocated workers (**29% increase**) in **Pasco and Hernando** counties.
- Through **August 31, 2023**, PHWB, 34 assisted **customers (55% increase)** referred from Department of Children and Family Services for the **Welfare Transition Program** find employment.

**Youth**

- **14 Youth (33% decrease)** participating in the Youth program in **Pasco and Hernando** counties found employment or enrolled in post-secondary education.
- Since July 1, 2023, **Pasco Hernando** has had **5** youth earn a credential (69% decrease). **7** youth (75% increase) have completed their internship opportunities.

**Sector Strategy**

- Since **July 1, 2023**, PHWB enrolled 30 candidates in one of the seven-sector strategy fields' Healthcare, Manufacturing, Construction, Retail, Transportation/Warehouse, Finance, and Info Technology. A **11% increase** over last year
- Through **August 31, 2023**, a total of **22** (19% decrease) candidates have gained employment in one of the seven sector fields.

