



DENVER
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
& OPPORTUNITY

DENVER ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT & OPPORTUNITY
DENVER WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT



DEDO Mission

Denver Economic Development & Opportunity
is creating an economy that works for everyone.



Denver Workforce Development

- Denver Workforce Services
- Denver Workforce Partnerships
- Colorado Urban Workforce Alliance
- Technology Employment in Colorado Partnership (TECP)
- Denver Construction Careers Program (DCCP)
- Denver Workforce Development Board



Workforce by the Numbers 2024

20,252

jobseekers served

7,557

receiving staff-assisted services

1,040

employers served

162,442

jobs posted

424

recruitment/connection events

\$17M+

in contracts supported (24 unique contract providers)



Agency Partnerships

Climate Action, Sustainability & Resiliency

- Opportunity Now grant
- Shared staff
- Contracts support and awareness

Denver Human Services

- Referral partnership
 - Paving Access to Careers and Employment Initiative
- WorkReady
- Contracts support and awareness

Denver International Airport

- Workforce Center @ DEN
- Gateway Training Program
- Center for Equity and Excellence in Aviation
- Denver Construction Careers Program

Denver Public Library

- Tech Loaner Program
- Digital Navigators



Agency Partnerships

HRCP

- Financial Empowerment
- WorkReady

Office of Human Resources

- Train the trainer
- Sources of candidates for all City positions
 - Indeed: 33,851 (24.1%)
 - City and County of Denver Jobs Page: 33,783 (24.0%)
 - LinkedIn: 14,040 (10.0%)
 - Denver Workforce Development: 9,605 (6.8%)

Office of Children's Affairs

- YouthWorks
- Citywide youth plan
- My Brother's Keeper



Agency Partnerships

Office of Social Equity and Innovation

- National Telecommunications and Information Administration grant application
- Tech Loaner and Tech Starter programs

Office of Transportation and Infrastructure

- Denver Construction Careers Program
- Opportunity Now grant

General Services

- Denver Construction Careers Program

Technology Services

- Technology Employment in Colorado Partnership



Workforce Centers

CALL, CLICK, OR COME IN!

Denver Workforce Development has workforce centers open from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday – Thursday for walk-ins and appointments.

Denver Workforce Center at Webb
201 W Colfax Ave, Denver, CO 80202

Denver Workforce Center at Montbello
4685 Peoria St., Suite 251, 80239

Denver Workforce Center at Denver International Airport
8500 Peña Blvd, Jeppesen Terminal, 80249

Email: Workforce@denvergov.org
Call: 720 - 337 - WORK (9675)



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Youth Workforce



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Equipping people ages 14 to 24 with skills training, workforce development opportunities, and career pathways

Virtual Services Available to All Youth

- Access to job openings
- Job shadowing/career exploration
- Labor market information
- Job readiness webinars
- Youth Connects newsletter

In-person Services Available to All Youth

- Access to three Denver Workforce Centers
- Job fairs
- Job readiness workshops
- One-on-one job search assistance
- Connections to Youth Workforce Services
- Next Generation Careers Newsletter
- Denver Youth Employment interest form

Denver Workforce Development-Funded Programs

- Workshops throughout Denver at youth serving organizations
- Attendance at a variety of community events serving youth and families
- Youth-focused events at high schools in the Denver Public School district
- The Mayor's Youth Works Initiative





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THANK YOU

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