

# NorthSideWorks!

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## About NorthSideWorks!

[NorthSideWorks!](#) is our new workforce development initiative that we softly launched in July. It's a program funded by the Buhl Foundation, to connect any Northside employers, residents, training providers and service organizations to relevant resources. Phase 1 consists of mapping and distributing information about resources. Phase 2 involves deeper pipeline analysis and facilitation/creation of necessary training programs to meet labor demand.

- If you're an **employer**, we can help you fill open positions, connect you to funds for training current employees, and more.
- If you're a **service organization** working with a particular population, we can help connect you to workforce resources.
- If you're a **training provider**, we can help you attract and place students, shape programming, and more.
- If you're a **resident**, we promote Northside job openings, training opportunities, service organizations, and more.

## Spread the Word and Contribute Information

- The "NorthSideWorks! Resources" [Google sheet](#) is updated regularly with Northside Jobs, Workforce Events and Training Programs.
- The [website](#) has general information about the program and how to get involved.
- The [Facebook page](#) and [Instagram account](#) have posts that are mostly resident-focused, highlighting open jobs and training programs.
- The Northside Chamber's weekly e-newsletter has a workforce section that includes featured jobs and workforce resources. View the archive [here](#).

## Facilitating Connections

We have been meeting with several stakeholders to assess the needs and opportunities for workforce development on the Northside. Recent meetings have included the following:

- Apprenti / Fortyx80
- Auberle Northside Employment Institute
- Carnegie Science Center
- First National Bank
- Huntington Bank
- Junior Achievement
- Kitchen of Grace
- PA CareerLink
- Perry High School / A+ Schools
- Tech Elevator
- Urban Impact

For more information or to be added to this distribution list:

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