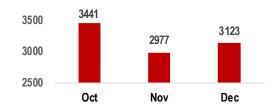


### NORTHWEST TN

Serving the counties of Benton, Carroll, Crockett, Dyer, Gibson, Henry, Lake, Obion, & Weakley

#### NW TN American Job Center (AJC) Visits



20,525 Number of visits PY19 to date

#### AJC Surveys Results

If you owned a business, would you hire the person who assisted you today?

93% 110 out of 118 answered "Absolutely yes!" Please rank the quality of your visit today.

95% 116 out of 122 answered "Outstanding!"

# Top 10

## Top 10 Reasons for Visits

- 1. Job Search\Resource Room
- Unemployment Insurance
- Job Search Assistance
- Career Coach WF Essentials
- Career Coach/ Title I/ CRC
- Adult Education
- 7. RESEA
- 8. Job Fair
- Resume Assistance
- 10. Workshops

#### Business Services

22

Total On-the-Job Training Contracts as of 12/31/19

168
Enrolled in Training

106 (79%)
Completed

29 (21%)

Did not complete

33 Still in Training 8

Employers hosted Job Fairs Oct-Dec 2019

30

Number of Job Fairs Oct-Dec 2019

#### **Employer Survey**

Rate your satisfaction of Customer Service

100% 2 out of 2 answered "Excellent!

Rate your quality of service you received.

100% 2 out of 2 answered "Excellent!

#### Things to Note



- Quarterly Board Meeting Feb 25 at Discovery Park, Union City
- New Henry & Weakley County AJC Hours as of Feb 24: Mon –Thurs, 8 am – 4:30 pm
- Excel Boats Job Fairs: Feb 11, 1-5 pm (Dyersburg AJC) & Feb 12, 1-5 pm (Union City AJC)
- Visit us online to view upcoming job fairs, workshops, and other events:



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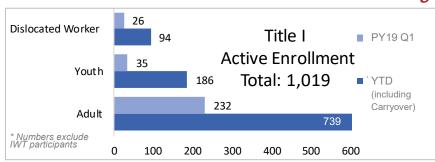


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Current Unemployment Rate by County (December 2019)



#### Title I Career & Training Services



The Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) consists of five core partner programs: Titles I—IV, and Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF). These partners provide services through the American Job Center network in order to develop a quality workforce system to meet the needs of area employers and job seekers.

### Title II Adult Education

County	Students	Graduates
Benton	13	8
Carroll	19	4
Crockett	3	0
Dyer	16	3
Gibson	22	5
Henry	21	4
Lake	11	1
Obion	10	3
Weakley	11	7
Totals	126	34

### Temporary Assistance for Needy Families

In TANF District 7, the average wage for closed cases is \$9.54. Average Caseload per county:

Benton (4) Carroll (20) Crockett (8) Dyer (43) Gibson (27) Henry (20) Lake (3) Obion (16) Weakley (20)

#### Title IV Vocational Rehabilitation

Vocational Rehabilitation served 639 customers in Northwest Tennessee, including 80 new enrollments during the last quarter. 26 were closed in successful employment.

#### Special Projects

The Northwest Tennessee Workforce Board was awarded over \$335,000 in Rural Initiative Funding to expand services in the area's at-risk and distressed Utilizing the funding, the Re-Entry Advanced Manufacturing Program (RAMP) expanding into Carroll, Lake, Obion, and Weakley A new Certified Production Technician (CPT) class started in Lake County in January and Carroll County started a female class on February 3rd. Obion County's new class will start after the Lake County class completes, and Weakley County will be focusing on placing inmates in On-the-Job Training (OJT) positions. In Benton County, the Rural Initiative funds will be used to offer a work experience program in partnership with the technical high school. An event will be held at the high school on March 24th to connect students interested in the program with potential worksite employers through quick interviews. Employers interested in participating in either program may contact Ginger Powell, Deputy Director, at 731-286-3585 or powell@nwtnworks.org.

#### Title III Employment Services

Individuals that Registered	235
Individuals that Logged In	1,799
Distinct Individuals Receiving Services	2,249
Services Provided to Individuals	13,953
Individual Virtual Recruiters Created	94
Resumes Added	225
Internal Job Orders Created	317
Internal Job Referrals	1,435
External Job Referrals Created	3,226
Services Provided Employers	1,005
Completed Wagner Peyser (WP) Applications	1,111
Partial WP Applications	0
WP Participants	146
WP Evite	145
WP Exits	145