



WORKFORCE SOLUTIONS

of the Coastal Bend

EMPLOYMENT • TRAINING • CHILD CARE • YOUTH • BUSINESS SERVICES • VETERANS

QUARTERLY REPORT



OCT - DEC 2018



WORKFORCE IMPACT

DECEMBER 2018

COASTAL BEND REGIONAL
UNEMPLOYMENT RATE

4.6%

**DECREASE FROM
DECEMBER 2017**

-0.7%

COASTAL BEND WORKFORCE BY THE NUMBERS

Employer Services

Employers Served **1,502**

Services Provided to Employers **2,218**

Quarterly Regional Job Openings **7,996**

New Employer Accounts **190**
WorkinTexas.com

Job Seekers

Job Seekers Served **9,178**

Unemployment Insurance Claimants Served **3,733**

Financial Assistance for Training **\$199,650.73**

Veteran Priority Services **911**

Persons with Disabilities Served **643**

Hired through WorkinTexas.com **387**

YOU Youth Opportunities Unlimited

Number of Youth Served Through Workforce Innovation & Opportunity Act (WIOA) Services **171**

New YOU! Enrollments **62**

HIRING EVENTS



- ALICE - 5
- BEEVILLE - 11
- KINGSVILLE - 5
- SINTON - 7
- CORPUS CHRISTI - 30

FAMILIES SERVED
5,864

CHILDREN THAT ATTENDED A STATE LICENSED CHILD CARE CENTER **9,448**

EVENT HIGHLIGHTS

150th Essential Skills Graduation Ceremony!



October 5, 2018

Career Ready Workforce Certification (CRWC) Graduates showed their enthusiasm and gratitude when Ruth R. Hughes, Chair and Commissioner Representing Employers of the Texas Workforce Commission made a special appearance at a graduation ceremony where she heard life-changing testimonials from participants.

CRWC continues to impact the overall success of the Coastal Bend's regional economy since its inception in 2011. Employers, job seekers, school districts and workforce partners benefit by the four-day dynamic training of 14 "Essential Skills" employers so desire accredited by Del Mar College and Coastal Bend College.

10 Hard-Working Child Care Provider Graduates Awarded Certifications

Workforce Solutions of the Coastal Bend (WFSCB) held a reception on December 18, 2018 in honor of 10 recipients who graduated from its *6th Annual Child Development Associate (CDA) Credential Training Program*.

The 10 week-long professional development training program awarded these hard working Child Care Providers with Certificates of Completion from WFSCB and Coastal Bend College. Congratulates to the Child Care Providers who completed the training to better educate our future workforce by providing them with the skills to be "school and life ready".



December 18, 2018

Veterans Are TOP PRIORITY!



November 8, 2018

Workforce Solutions of the Coastal Bend (WFSCB) understands the sacrifice our veterans have made to this great nation of ours, and it is our highest priority to find them sustainable, good paying jobs in the Coastal Bend.

WFSCB partners with the Texas Veterans Leadership Program and the Texas Veterans Commission (TVC) to provide valuable resources for all veterans, transitioning service members, and active/veteran spouses. Services include hiring events, employment workshops, informational meetings and case management.

If you are a veteran seeking work and would like information, please call (361) 882-7491 or email info@workforcesolutionscb.org





2019 UPCOMING EVENTS



Hydro Ex LLC Hiring Event	February 15th 9:00 am - 1:00 pm	Sunrise Career Center
Staples Career Center Job Fair	February 19th 9:00 am - 1:00 pm	Staples Career Center
JL Specialty Welders Hiring Event	February 20th 10:00 am - 11:00 pm	Sinton Career Center
Magnum Staffing Hiring Event	February 20th 8:00 am - 11:00 pm	Sunrise Career Center
U.S. Census Recruiting Event	February 21st 7:45 am	Sunrise Career Center
TDCJ Testing & Screening	February 21st 7:45 am	Alice Career Center
U.S. Census Recruiting Event	February 27th 10:00 am - 2:00 pm	Sinton Career Center
Magnum Staffing Hiring Event	February 27th 8:00 am - 11:00 pm	Sunrise Career Center
U.S. Census Recruiting Event	February 28th 9:00 am - 2:00 pm	Sunrise Career Center
Women Empowered (WE) Summit	March 23rd 8:00 am - 3:30 pm	Texas A&M University Corpus Christi University Center

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WE SUMMIT
WOMEN EMPOWERED SUMMIT

MARCH 23, 2019
8:00 AM - 3:30 PM

UNIVERSITY CENTER
Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi
6300 Ocean Dr. Corpus Christi, TX 78412

To Register Go To: https://form.jotform.com/WorkforceCB/WE_Summit_2019

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