

The Youth Program supports young people ages 14–24 in gaining the education, skills, and experience needed for employment, post-secondary education, and long-term career success, with a focus on those facing barriers

**149**

YOUTH  
RECEIVED  
SERVICES

**58**

EXITS

**48**

SUCCESSFUL  
EXITS

**83%**

% SUCCESS

## KEY SERVICES

- Paid Work Experiences
- Occupational Skills Training
- Job Readiness and Workforce Training
- Career Assessments and Advising
- Leadership Development
- Supportive Services
- Adult Mentoring
- Financial Literacy Education
- Preparing for Postsecondary Education



## EMPLOYMENT TRANSITIONS MODEL (ETM) GRANT

The PIC is partnering with DEED on a new federal Employment Transitions Model (ETM) grant to support low-income youth and young adults with disabilities (ages 16–24). Over five years, this program will provide intensive case management and career pathway services — from career exploration and skills training to work-based learning, paid experiences, and ultimately, successful transition into the workforce.

*"At 19, welding is more than just joining metals; it's a study in strength and precision. As I master this craft, I'm not only building structures but also constructing a resilient future, proving that determination and skill can forge the path to success."*

-- Lizbeth

