

## TRENDS

### Help is Here Update

*Board Priority: Talent Solution Consultants to Ignite Potential*



Recently, Orange County Government published a video highlighting Help is Here and CareerSource Central Florida's efforts.

We are also pleased to share the latest Help is Here update (as of Oct. 29):

- More than **4,000** individuals applied
- More than **1,400** individuals qualified
- More than **800** individuals in training

### Media Coverage: CSCF to Assist with \$5M Career Program for Recovering Addicts

CareerSource Central Florida was front and center in the news again this week when Governor Ron DeSantis visited Seminole State College. The press conference announced a \$5M pilot program to help people recovering from opioid addiction re-enter the workforce through training while receiving wrap-around support services. CSCF will provide some of that career-training for those recovering individuals. Chief Operating Officer Mimi Coenen participated in the press conference which was featured on WKMG and Pam Nabors was quoted in the Department of Economic Opportunity's press release too.



## Board of Directors Engagement Survey

*North Star Strategy: High Customer Satisfaction and Loyalty*



As a reminder, please complete this brief, three-question quarterly survey on your board engagement activities.

Thank you to those who have already taken this survey.

[Complete the Survey Here](#)

## INSIGHTS

### October is National Disability Employment Awareness Month (NDEAM)

This month marks the 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), and Pam Nabors recently published two articles on CSCF's efforts to help those with unique abilities find meaningful employment. You can read Pam's articles [here](#).



[NDEAM Blog Post](#)

[OBJ's ADA Article](#)

## Spotlights

### Media Coverage: WFTV-TV Shares Help is Here Customer Success Story

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Help is Here customer Walter Tyler worked at KFC for more than a year. Without any warning, after returning from vacation, he discovered that he had been laid off due to the impacts of COVID-19 on the Central Florida economy. Immediately, he began searching for another job but wasn't having any luck. Looking for resources and support, Walter attended an event with

Dream City, a community organization, where he learned about CareerSource Central Florida (CSCF) and the [Help is Here program](#) (HIH). WFTV Channel 9 featured Walter in one of their news stories.



## Congratulations!



Maybe we're a *bit* impartial because he's already an outstanding CSCF fellow Board member, but we're thrilled that Jeff Hayward, President and CEO of Heart of Florida United Way, was recently named one of Orlando Business Journal's 2020 CEOs of the Year! Read the full story on Jeff in OBJ.

[Read the Full Story in OBJ](#)

## Upcoming Board and Committee Meetings

All Committee and Consortium Meetings will be held virtually.

- Revenue Diversity Ad Hoc - Thursday, November 12th | 1:30 - 3:00 p.m.
- Career Services Committee - Thursday, November 19th | 3:00 – 4:30 pm
- Executive Committee - Thursday, December 10th | 9:00 – 10:30 am
- Board & Consortium Meeting -Thursday, December 17th | 9:00 – 11:00 am

[2020-2021 PY Board& Committee Meeting Schedule](#)

## CONNECT WITH US!



CareerSource Central Florida is an equal opportunity employer program. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities. All voice telephone numbers on this document may be reached by persons using TTY/TDD equipment via 1-800-955-8771 - Voice: 1-800-955-8770.



Employ Florida links all of Florida's state and local workforce services and resources through the partnership of the [Department of Economic Opportunity and CareerSource Florida, Inc.](#) There are [24 Local Workforce Development Areas](#) and nearly 100 CareerSource Centers located statewide offering in-person, one-on-one personalized assistance to job seekers. The Employ Florida toll free number is **1-800-438-4128**.

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