

CAREERS UNITED



“The job fair made it possible for Bridging the Gap participants to go through the entire job-seeking and hiring process in one day, under one roof.”

—MADELINE WILLIAMS, DIRECTOR, MILE HIGH UNITED WAY’S BRIDGING THE GAP PROGRAM

Mile High United Way’s newest program, Careers United, increases access to quality employment and job training to promote financial stability.

We know that having quality employment is the foundation for long-term financial stability for members of our community. The Careers United team works closely with staff from other Mile High United Way programs and our 211 Help Center to better understand and eliminate barriers to entry to the job market.

In June, Careers United held its first job and resource fair, connecting 24 employers and workforce development partners to local job seekers. Job seekers met with hiring personnel from various Mile High United Way partners, including Xcel Energy, TIAA, PCL Construction, Southwest Airlines, and Goodwill of Colorado. Twelve received job offers as a result of the fair, including three Bridging the Gap participants. The Careers United team also distributed 16 free laptops, 13 gas cards, and other valuable resources to attendees throughout the day.

IMPACT AT A GLANCE



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Mile High United Way launches Careers United



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