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Just In Time Report

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August 1, 2018—August 31, 2018

PARTICIPANT LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

- Participants have been busy developing résumés and practicing workplace skills. They are preparing for Job Internships and learning soft skills.
- The counselor, Brad Peterson, continued group and individual counseling throughout the month. Counseling sessions are supported through community grants.

STAFF DEVELOPMENT

- Aug 7—Helen Merriweather attended the Mary Black Foundation Connect website referral training.
- Aug 14—Helen Merriweather participated in a discussion hosted by SC Works concerning Non-Destructive Testing through the NDE Institute. Literature was distributed with follow-up planned.
- Aug 22—Helen Merriweather attended the USC Upstate new year breakfast and heard Chancellor Kelly give an overview of growth and statistics.
- Aug 24—Helen Merriweather attended the Spartanburg Youth Council meeting held at the main Spartanburg library and learned of the Homeless Period project from presenter Sharon Phillips.
- Aug 24—Susan Griffith attended the SC Works Spartanburg partner meeting and heard a presentation from the Spartanburg Housing Authority GROW initiative.
- Aug 28—Helen Merriweather attended the UWB Youth Committee meeting and gave updates with committee discussion.

New Staff For ACHIEVE

With the departure of Ranee Standberry who moved back to Florida to be with her family, ACHIEVE now employees Lynn Nodine, Business Manager and Eligibility Specialist. Lynn brings experience and personality to ACHIEVE and is excited to work with the youth/young adults.



For entrepreneurial training, ACHIEVE students and staff will take a visit the BGEN Gaffney Business Incubator. A CERT training is tentatively scheduled for the end of September.

PY17 Yearly Performance
July 1, 2017—June 30, 2018

Served---95*

Credentials

Goal-----68.1%

Actual-----80.0%

2nd Quarter Placement After Exit

Goal-----76.6%

Actual-----76.7%

4th Quarter Placement After Exit

Goal-----69.1%

Actual-----73.9%

**includes active and follow-up numbers*

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