



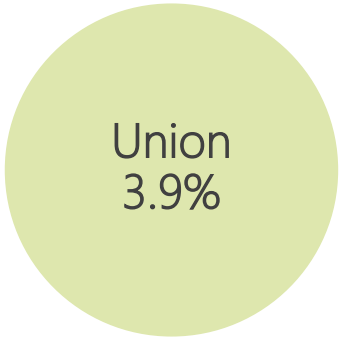
Just in Time

Greater Upstate

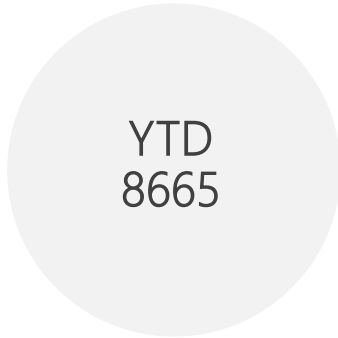
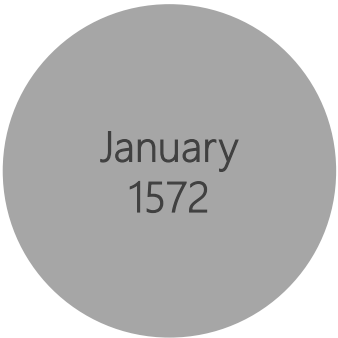
Spartanburg, Cherokee & Union
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Center Data

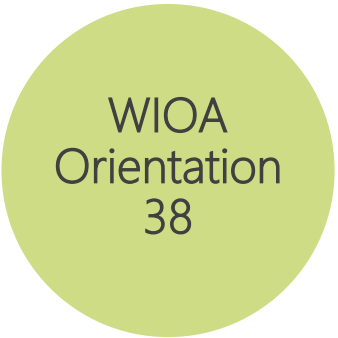
Unemployment Rates



Center Traffic



Workshops



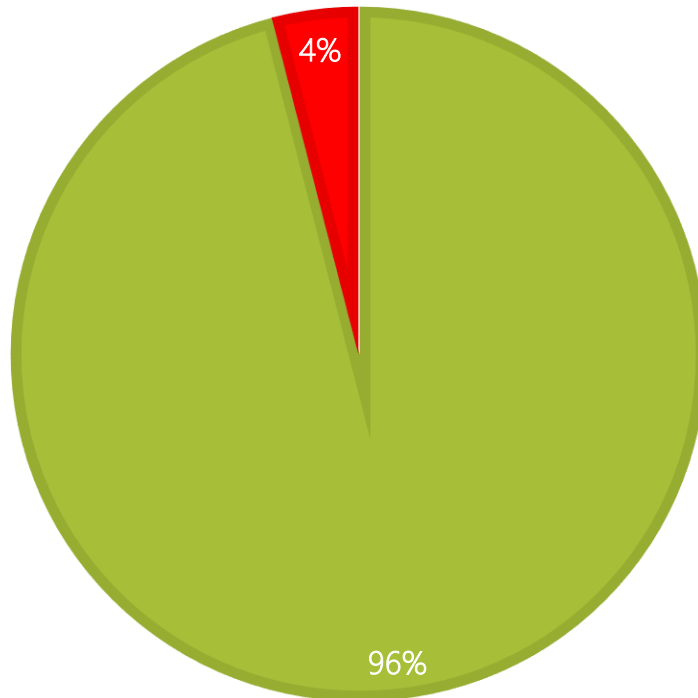
*UI numbers for January have not yet been released.
December numbers released on 1/23/2024

Customer Satisfaction

Jobseeker

LEGACY IN ACTION SURVEYS

■ Satisfied ■ Unsatisfied



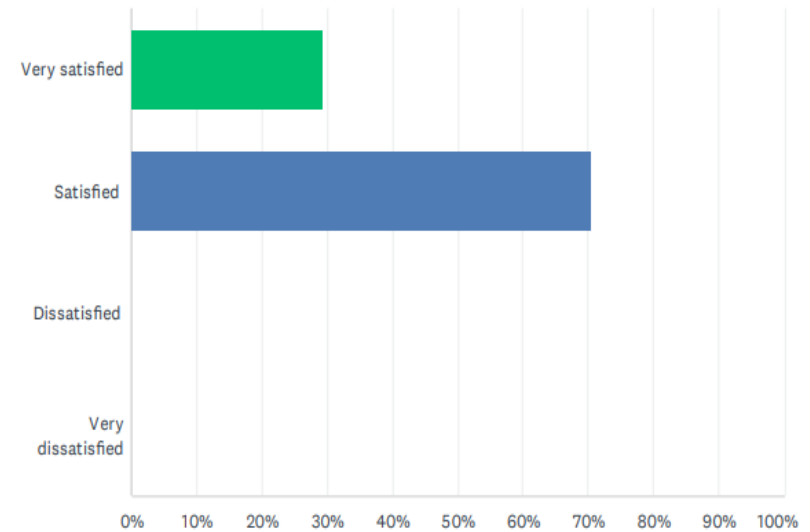
100 Total Surveys

Business

Upstate SC Works Business Partner Survey (December 2023)

Q4 How satisfied are you with the level of professionalism and staff responsiveness provided?

Answered: 17 Skipped: 2



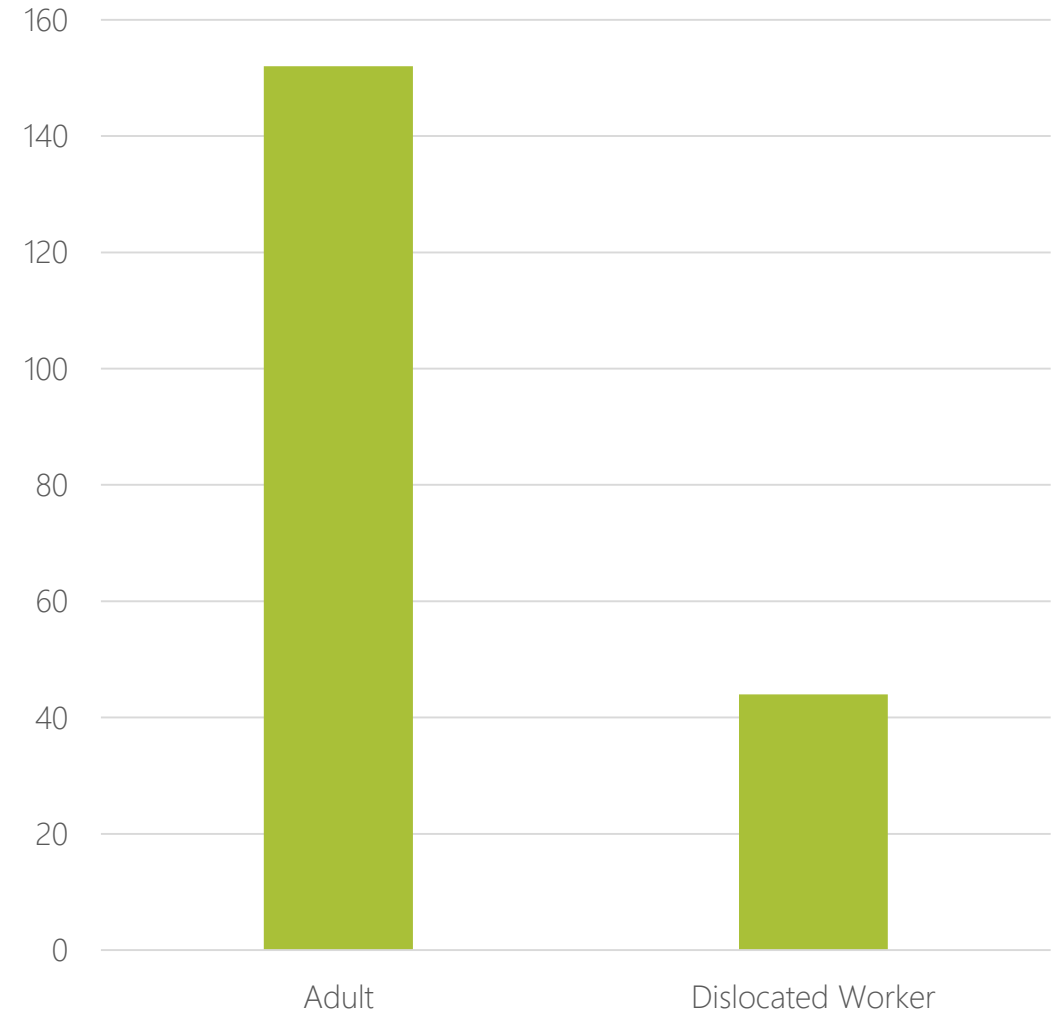
Adults & Dislocated Workers

Enrollments (YTD)
196

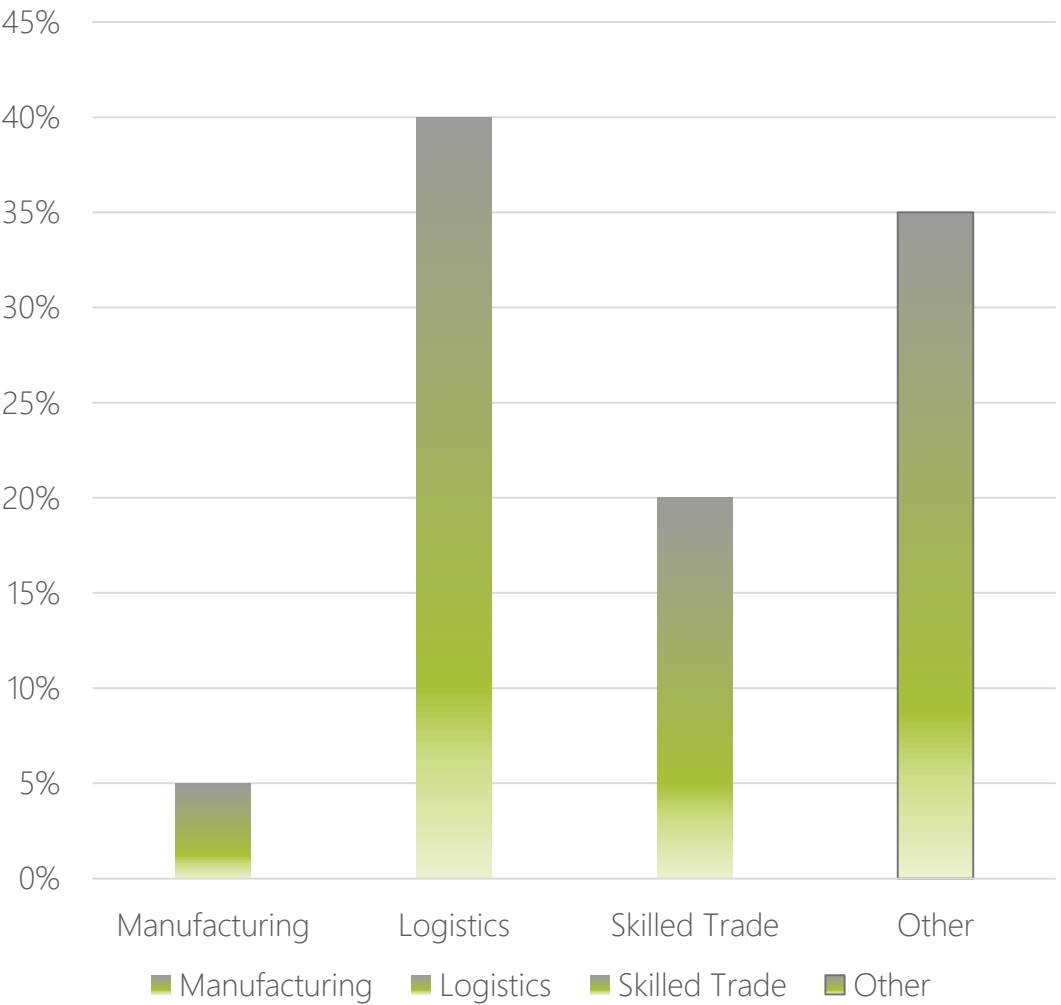
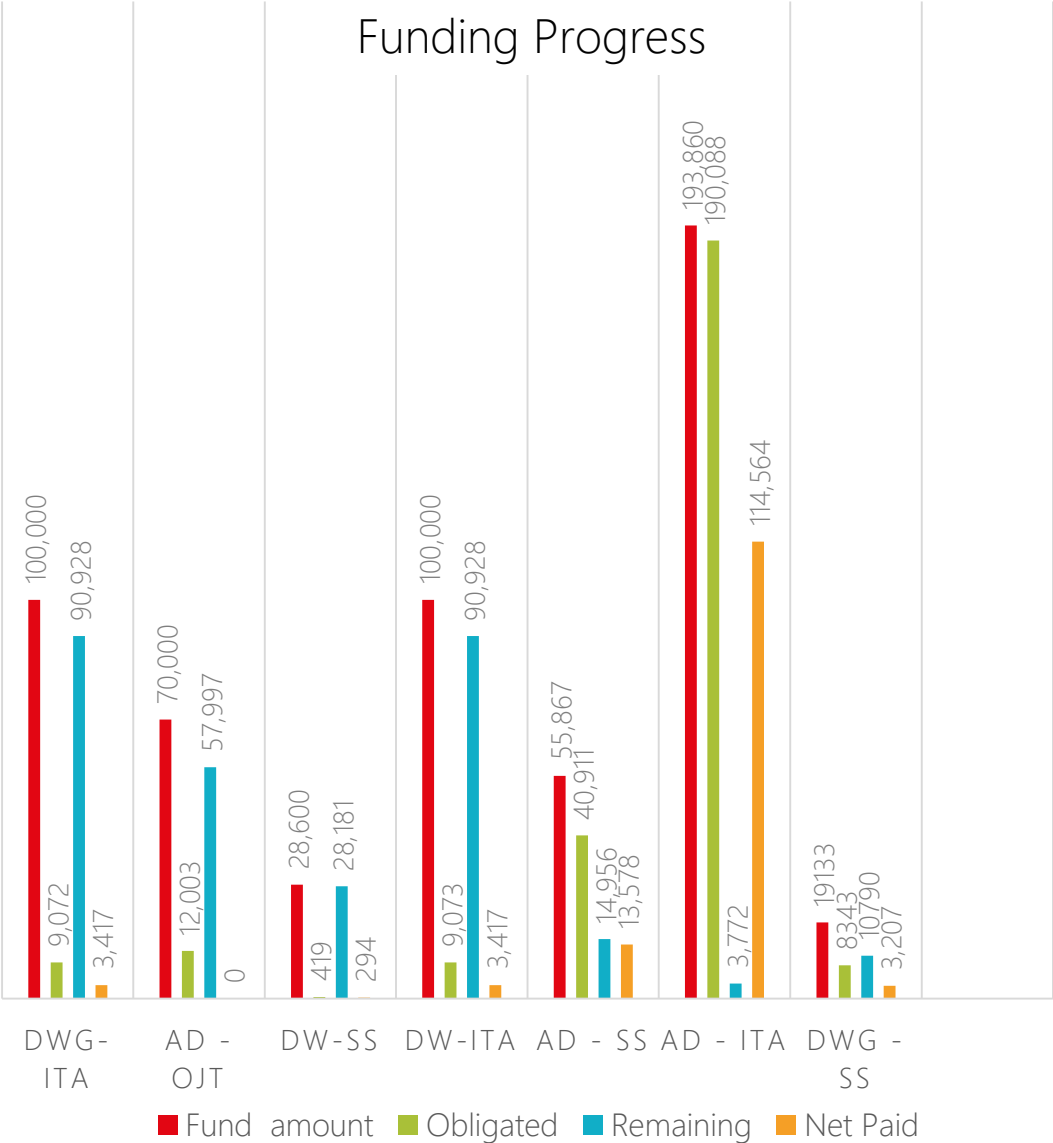
Target Populations (YTD)

- Veterans 9
- Disabled 1
- Criminal History 15
- Low Income 78
- Basic Skill Deficient 5
- Priority of Service
(January)= 77.5%

Enrollments Adult/DW



Funding Stream Progress & Industry Percentages



Business Solutions

Work Based
Learning Training

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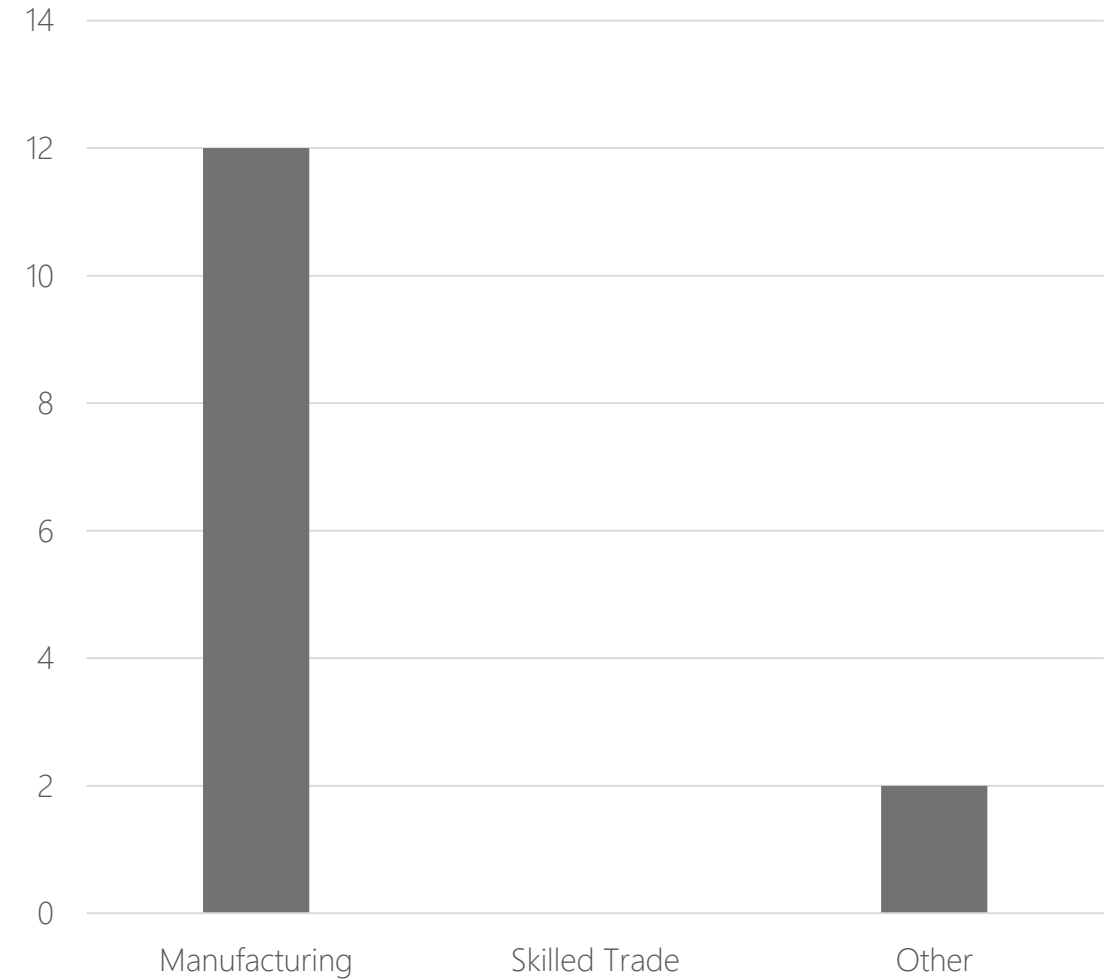
Hiring Events

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Jobseekers

659

Work Based Learning Training by Industry



Social Media Data & Success Story

Social Media Spotlight

A Spartanburg County Job Fair was held on January 31st, 2024 at the Dr. TK Gregg Center. Several employers attended to meet with over 600 job seekers at the event

JOB FAIR

SC WORKS
GREATER UPSTATE
BRINGING EMPLOYERS
AND JOB SEEKERS TOGETHER
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Spartanburg County Career Fair

Wednesday, January 31st 2024
10am-1pm
TK Gregg Community Center
650 Howard St, Spartanburg

Confirmed Employers:

A. Berger	OshKosh
BMW	Palmetto Patriots Veterans Home
Charles Lea Center	Personnel Solutions, Inc.
City of Spartanburg	Piedmont Community Action
Coca-Cola Consolidated	PL Developments
Condustral	RL Enterprise Staffing and Assoc.
Contec Inc.	SC DHEC
County of Spartanburg	SC Department of Corrections
Dollar Tree Distribution	SC Dept. of Probation, Parole and Pardon Services
Duke Energy	SC Highway Patrol
FedEx Ground	Spartanburg County Communications/911
Goodwill	Spartanburg County Roads and Bridges
Greer Police Department	Spartanburg Regional Healthcare System
Ingram Micro	USC Upstate
Milliken	Vocational Rehab
Morgan Corp	
Omron	

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Joshua Bishop

27 Posts
31 Facebook Likes

Success Story

Mr. Bishop had been unemployed since February 2023 and unable to find a job in his preferred market because he was lacking the proper licensing. After months of trying to find assistance for the cost for tuition, Joshua turned to the WIOA program for financial assistance and was enrolled as an Adult on 09/19/2023.

Mr. Bishop quickly completed all program requirements and was approved to attend Commercial Driving Academy for Class A CDL training. Joshua completed the training program in twenty days; the program paid tuition and provided supportive services to include transportation and DMV fee reimbursement, and a voucher for the required medical screening.

Before completing his program Joshua had already networked with potential employers and had multiple job offers; he chose to take an offer from Western Express. The company has arranged for transportation to Richmond, VA for the initial onboarding for 1/8/2024. He was co-enrolled with SC Vocational Rehabilitation and that organization provided him with other items needed for employment.

Community Outreach

Cherokee

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Event Highlights

- Latoya went to the Adult Education Center in Cherokee County to do a monthly workshop. This month it was on Time management and self-care.
- Kenneth represented WIOA at the final Rapid Response session for the Timken plant in Gaffney.

Spartanburg

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Event Highlights

- SC Works Upstate partnered with the Benjamin E. Mayes Community Center and hosted a job fair for the community.
- Latoya did a career day at the Woodruff Library with students age 13-17. They were able to identify some career goals and try out some new ones on the VR Headsets.
- Latoya facilitated the monthly SC Works Community Partner Meeting using Microsoft Teams
- Latoya worked with students attending the Upstate Achieve Program on creating professional resumes

Union

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Event Highlights

- Nikki attended the joint meeting with between the Union County School District and Union County Council. A Committee was formed back in April 2023 to focus on workforce development in the county. The Committee presented their outcomes to the UC School District.
- Latoya went to Adult Education in Union County to do a monthly workshop. This month it was on Time management and self-care.
- Nikki met with Dolton Williams about partnering to serve both jobseekers and employers in Union County.

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Thank You