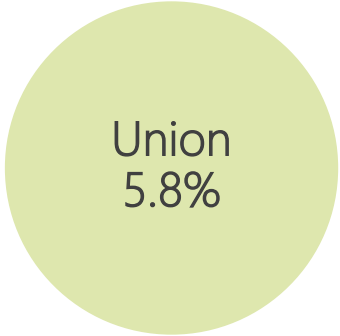
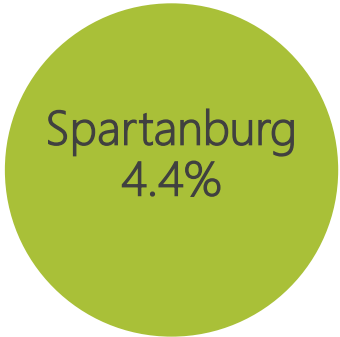


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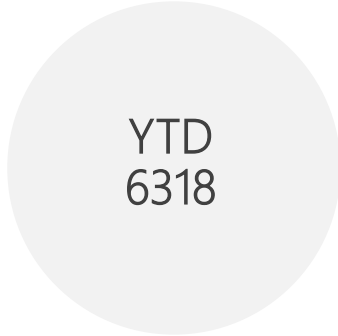
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# Center Data

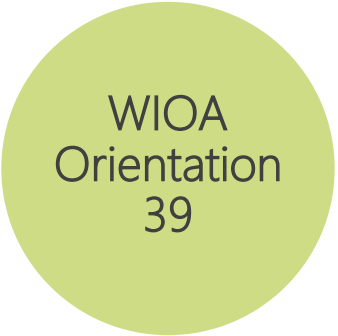
## Unemployment Rates



## Center Traffic



## Workshops



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September numbers released on 10/21/2024

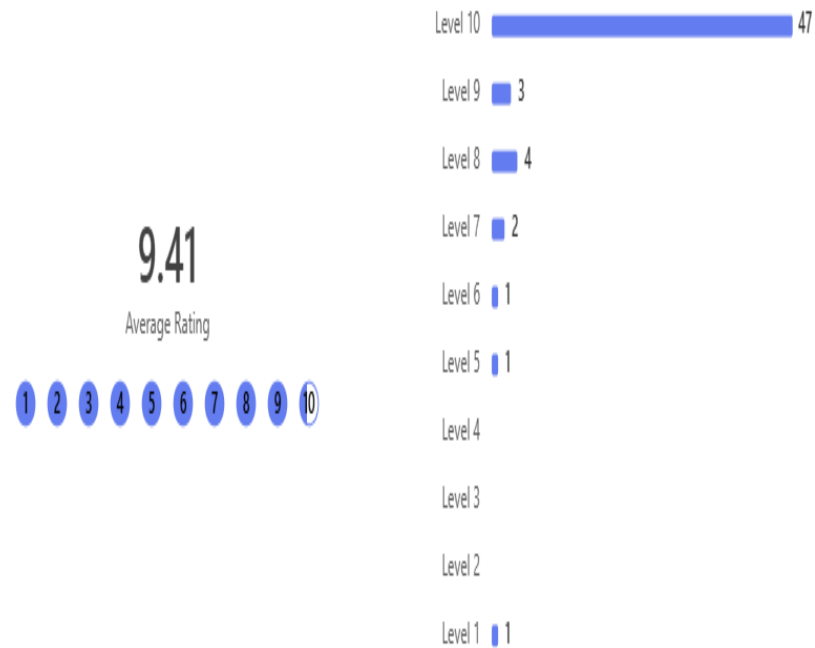
# Customer Satisfaction

## Jobseeker

5. Overall, how would you rate your experience using SC Works services?

1= Poor, 10 = Excellent

[More details](#)



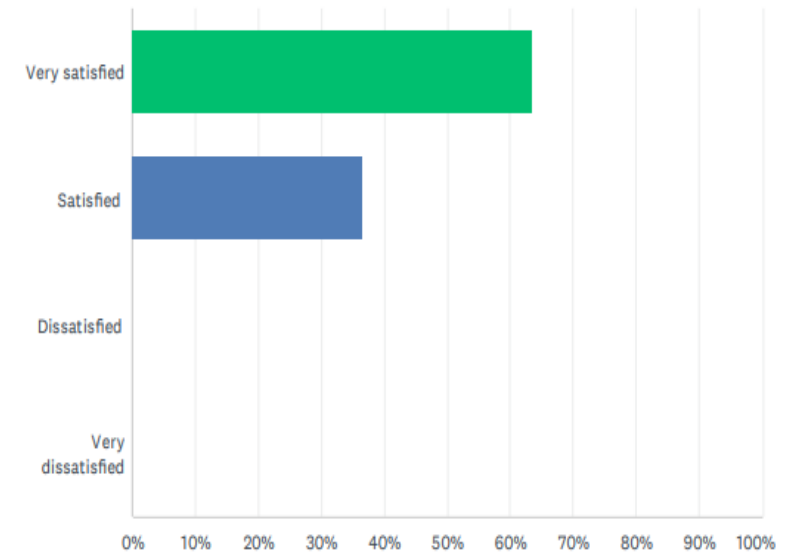
58 Total Surveys

## Business

Upstate SC Works Business Partner Survey (August 2024)

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

Answered: 11 Skipped: 0



# Adults & Dislocated Workers

Enrollments (YTD)

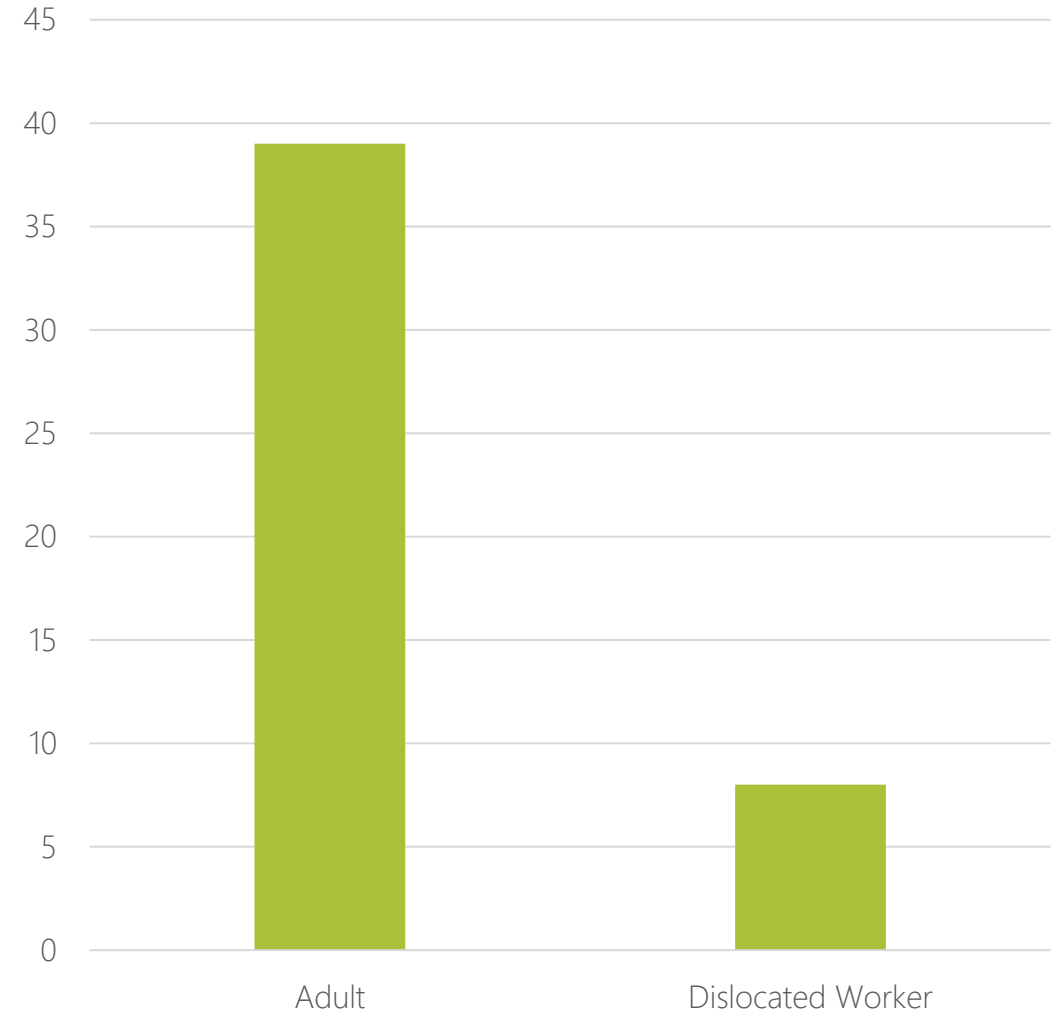
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## Target Populations (YTD)

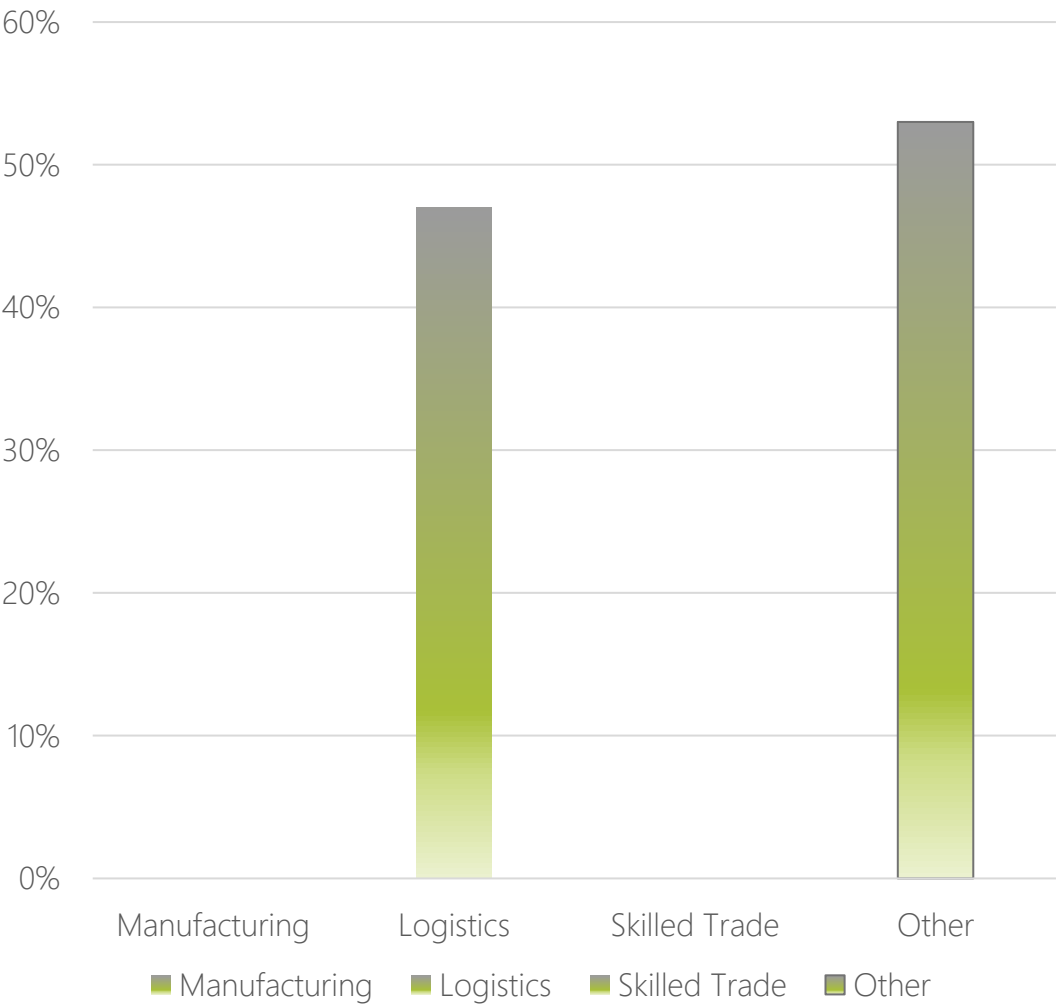
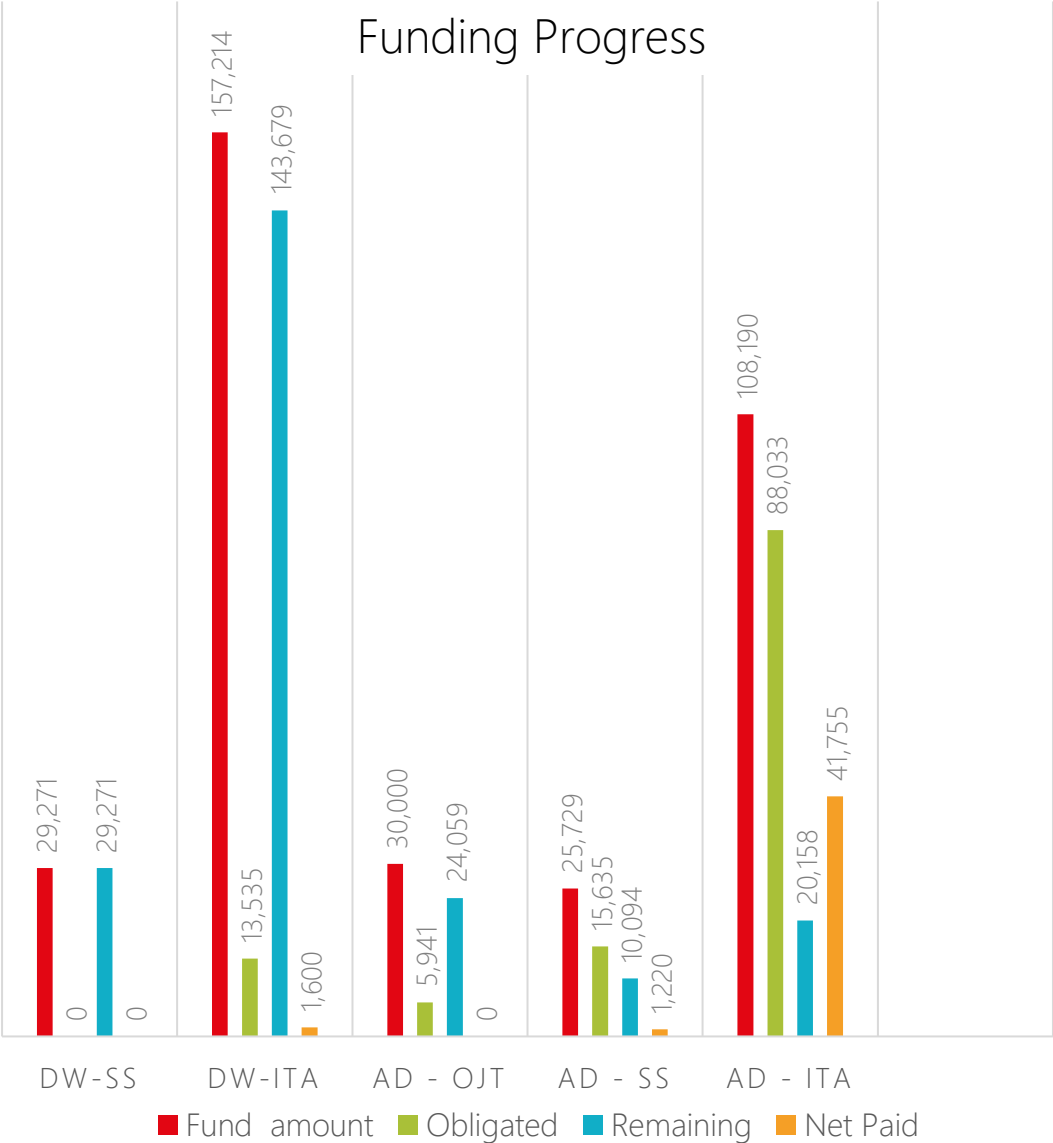
Veterans	1
Disabled	0
Criminal History	0
Low Income	31
Basic Skill Deficient	3

Priority of Service  
(October)= 74.4%

Enrollments Adult/DW



# Funding Stream Progress & Industry Percentages



# Business Solutions

Work Based  
Learning Training

2 (YTD)

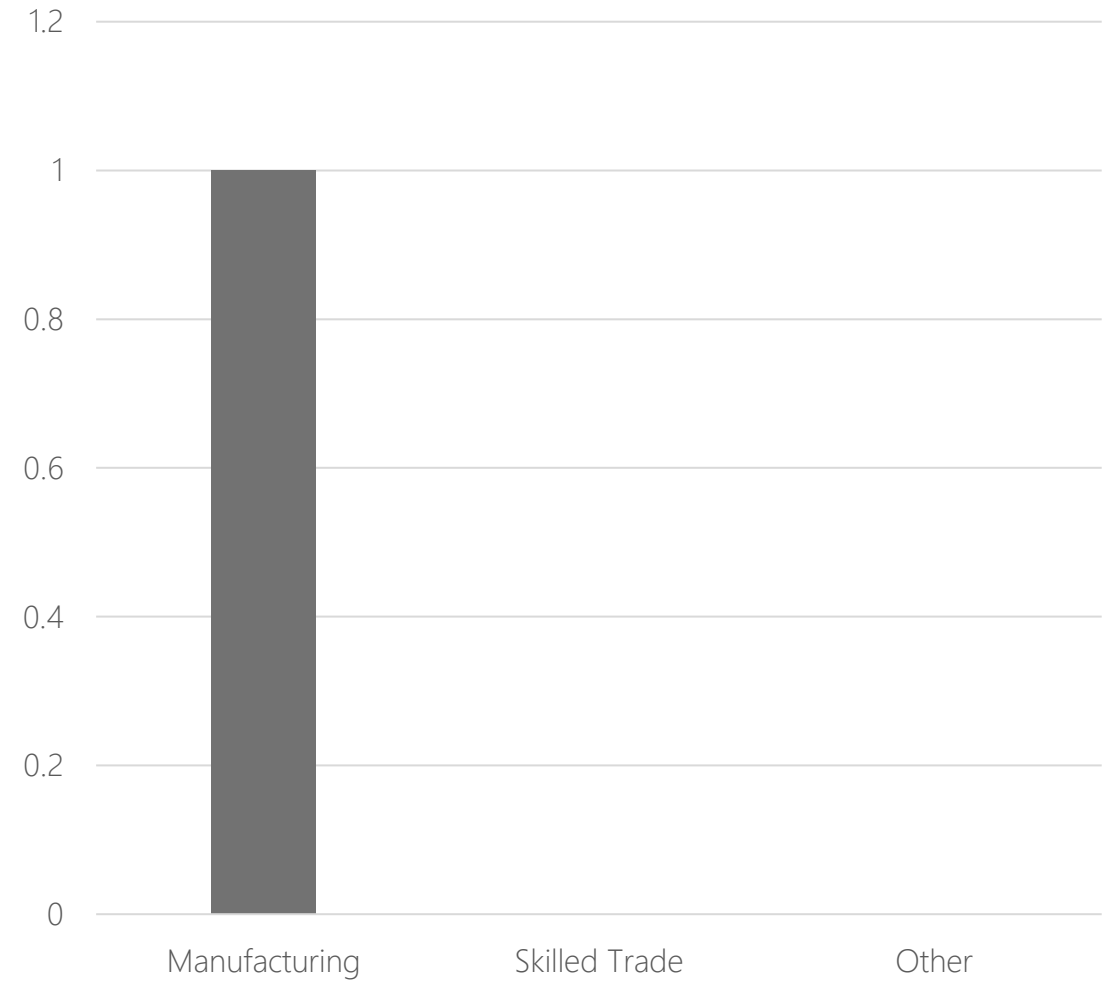
Hiring Events -  
MTD

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Jobseekers

870

Work Based Learning Training by Industry



# Social Media Data & Success Story

## Social Media Spotlight

SC Works had a very successful Manufacturing Job Fair in October with over 600 Job Seekers attending!

**JOB FAIR**

**SC WORKS**  
GREATER UPSTATE  
BRINGING EMPLOYERS  
AND JOB SEEKERS TOGETHER  
americanjobcenter

**Manufacturing Job Fair**

Wednesday, October 23rd  
9am-12pm  
TK Gregg Community Center  
650 Howard St, Spartanburg

**Confirmed Employers:**

- Milo's Tea Company
- OshKosh Defense
- Takeuchi Manufacturing
- Fehrer Automotive
- Walmart Distribution
- Coca-Cola Consolidated
- Smartpress

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Kelly Stamper

57 Posts (October)  
58 Facebook Likes (Oct)

## Success Story

Mr. Stamper was unable to attend school to earn his Commercial Driver's License (CDL) due to financial hardship, but he recognized that this career would suit him well and that it offered a bright future. With a military background and experience as a former business owner, Mr. Stamper faced unfortunate setbacks that brought him back to the metaphorical beginning of his career journey.

Mr. Stamper attended the WIOA information session, where he learned about the program's support for CDL training, which would allow him to obtain his CDL. He met with his assigned Talent Development Specialist, and during the enrollment process, they discussed and outlined his training and employment goals. The WIOA program provided the guidance and financial support that enabled Mr. Stamper to complete his training.

Mr. Stamper began exploring employment opportunities before finishing school to ensure he had options available afterward. Thanks to his proactive approach, he was able to start working immediately after completing his training and passing his CDL exam. Mr. Stamper is still with the same company and is very pleased with how everything has turned out.

# Business Solutions



- Mary Beth scheduled workshops with employers in Cherokee and Union to focus on the OJT/IWT programs to assist with hiring, training, and retention of quality employees
- Mary Beth, Kayla, and Ben attended Job Fairs held at SCC in Cherokee and Union Counties
- Ernest Meyers, Mary Beth, Kayla, and Ann A. attended the tour of Polydeck and we learned what the company does and how their products are produced.
- Kayla facilitated and took part in a tour of Cooper Standard for the students with Achieve
- Mary Beth met with Stephanie Sherman at Apprenticeship Carolina to learn more about companies engaging in apprenticeships in our market



# Community Outreach

Cherokee

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## Event Highlights

- Latoya presented a workshop at Cherokee County Adult Education as part of their Job Readiness Curriculum
- Latoya represented SC Works at the Manufacturing Job Fair on October 23<sup>rd</sup> as a vendor
- Latoya represented SC Works at the Upstate Community Resource Fair sponsored by DSS as a vendor

Spartanburg

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## Event Highlights

- Kenneth and Sydetra met with Erin Black to discuss how Adult Education proctors the WIN test. This was due to the need of enhanced partnerships so that non-WIOA clients would have a place to take the assessment.
- SC Works Staff took part in an event focused on GCDF staff working in the school systems. Attendees learned about WIOA, Business Solutions, and the Transfr VR Systems.

Union

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## Event Highlights

- Kenneth and Rose went to the Union County Detention Center to conduct a Career Readiness class with the trustees that are enrolled in WIOA.
- Latoya facilitated the EmpowerU Graduation Ceremony for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Cohort at the Upstate Evaluation Center. The event was well attended and very well received by all.



**Thank You**