MISSOURI WORKS TRAINING PROGRAM

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Missouri Works Training Program

What it is...

Governor Jay Nixon established MWT in 2013, consolidating Missouri’s workforce programs into a single streamlined program.

Training & assistance resulting from:

- New products/processes/technology
- Relocation, expansion and retention
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- A variety of businesses - new, expanding, retraining, small & large employers.
- A variety of trainees - new jobs, existing workforce, technical, supervisory, management.
- A variety of training - recruitment, pre & post employment, technical, soft, quality, OJT, training equipment.
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Extensive research and analysis-
- MEDC and MoPar feedback
- Phone interviews & surveys
- NAISTD data
- Website reviews
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Areas of Focus –

- Improve marketing and messaging
- Simplify application, streamline paperwork
- Address capacity
- Promote more value-added services
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- Website, flyer
- State and local training
- Combined application, paperwork changes
- Recruitment, pre-employment training, other services
- Work group through MCCA-
  - Inventory
  - Certification
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The Missouri Advantage –

- Customer choice & flexibility
- Retraining

*Different degrees of assistance depending on project*
Automotive and Automotive Suppliers
Missouri’s established automotive industry, favorable business climate, central location, excellent infrastructure and skilled workforce can help your automotive supply business grow and prosper.

Advanced Manufacturing, including Aerospace
Missouri has a robust advanced manufacturing sector, including the aerospace industry, with the resources and supply chain that make Missouri the perfect location for growth.

Information Technology
IT jobs are some of the most rapidly growing occupations in the state and, Missouri Works Training is well positioned to meet the demand.

Energy Solutions
Missouri’s extensive experience enhancing workforce needs for the Energy Solutions industry includes traditional and alternative fuel systems as well as energy conservation methods.
Financial & Professional Services
Including National & International Headquarters

Missouri is home to numerous corporate headquarter and financial operations. We receive top marks in corporate climate and are the only state with two Federal Reserve Banks.

Missouri Works Training has helped enhance the competitiveness of our workforce for customers that include Lockton Companies, Rawlings Sporting Goods Company, Hallmark Cards, Inc., and Centene Management.
Training Team

To access MWT-
- Community colleges with support from other local educational agencies

Key team members-
- DWD Workforce Coordinators
- WIBS and Career Centers provide value-added recruitment assistance
Questions?

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