



Resilient Nevada Fund

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College of Southern Nevada
Supporting Recovery, Workforce
Access & Economic Mobility



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Program Overview

- Supports individuals in opioid recovery who have been directly or indirectly affected and underserved communities
- CSN delivers short training programs, barrier reduction, job assistance, and upskilling
- **Braided-funding model** integrates:
 - Resilient Nevada Fund
 - DHHS Division of Welfare & Supportive Services (DWSS)
 - EmployNV/DETR Workforce Funding
 - City of Las Vegas Workforce Partners

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DHHS Division of Workforce Referral Process

- How Participants Enter the Program -

- All individuals interested in the Resilient for Nevada program are sent a link to apply for the RN program. This short assessment link sends contact information to DSS. DSS then identifies eligible individuals (SNAP E&T, TANF, recovery-focused populations)
- DWSS completes **barrier assessments** and sends referrals to CSN
- Participants receive RN Link, Jobtimize Assessment, and Welcome Email
- CSN verifies eligibility and enrolls participants

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Braided Funding Model

Leveraging Multiple Workforce Streams

FUNDING SOURCE	WHAT IT COVERS	Partner Role
Resilient Nevada Fund	Training, wraparound supports, CANVA classes, gas cards, books	State opioid recovery initiative
EmployNV / DETR	Co-funding for training, supportive services, job placement	Eligibility verification, co-enrollment
DWSS Workforce Programs	Barrier assessments, referrals, supportive services	Primary referral partner
City of Las Vegas Workforce	Employer engagement, hiring events	Local workforce alignment

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Goal 1: Targeted Training & Barrier Reduction



- **Objective:** Deliver training and reduce employment barriers for individuals in recovery and underserved populations.

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Goal 1 Metrics

- 26 new participants enrolled
- 3 training sessions delivered
- 26 DSS barrier assessments completed
- 73 participants currently on the referral list
- Status: On track

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Goal 1 Key Activities

- Emailed 26 students RN Link + Jobtimize assessment
- Delivered first CANVA class (RN-funded) — **19 students enrolled**



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Goal 1 Updates & Challenges

Updates:

- Attended NV Energy Skills Showcase with manufacturing students
- Participated in EmployNV employment event with 2,000+ attendees

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Goal 2: Strategic Partnerships & Job Placement

Objective: Strengthen employer partnerships and improve direct job placement outcomes.



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Goal 2 Metrics (3/2–3/13)

- new employer/partner contacts
- partnership meetings
- employment- 12 total employed students to date

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Goal 2 Key Activities

- ENGAGEMENT WITH DSS TO STREAMLINE REFERRAL COMMUNICATION
- PARTICIPATION IN NV ENERGY SKILLS SHOWCASE & EMPLOYNV HIRING EVENT
- JOB PLACEMENTS: 3 PARTICIPANTS HIRED BY MATRIX BOTTLING GROUP

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Goal 3: Comprehensive Support & Up/Reskilling

- **Objective:** Provide wraparound supports and expand upskilling/reskilling aligned to high-demand industries.



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Goal 3 Metrics & Activities

- **19 upskilling/reskilling placements** (target: 10/month)
- Support services delivered: gas cards, books, resume support
- High-demand industry contacts:
- Enrolled 19 FFR participants into First CANVA classes
- Resumes sent to DETR for employment assistance

TRAINING PROGRESS SNAPSHOT:

- **33 still attending**
- **12 did not complete**
- **28 graduated**
- **12 Employed**

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Communication Metrics & Looking Ahead

Looking Ahead:

- Recruitment for **Manufacturing** and **Trades Technician** cohorts (late April)
- Launch of **Dialysis Patient Care Technician** program (May)
- Strengthening braided-funding coordination and employer engagement
- Continued tracking of student progress: enrollment → attendance → completion → employment