



Community Work Experience

What is Community Work Experience?

New Perceptions has an on-site Work Center, where participants with intellectual/developmental disabilities gain skills by completing work for contracted companies. Some



of those participants also have a goal to work in the community. Community Work Experiences are scheduled opportunities with local companies to allow our participants to

experience a community job. Without training sites and staff support this would not be possible.

Who Do We Serve?

Adult participants in our Work Center program who are also interested in working in the community.



What Does the Program Offer?

- Scheduled work shifts (typically 1-2 hours weekly) with local companies
- Experience for our participants in a community setting with non-disabled peers
- Supervision from New Perceptions staff at the work site to guide, supervise, and assist

Benefits to Work Experience Companies

- Serving the community at no cost to you; New Perceptions pays a minimum wage to Community Work Experience participants
- Willing participants to help with cleaning, collating, separating, or other simple tasks
- A more diverse workforce



Learning in a natural environment is important in the development of daily living skills. Thank you for considering participation in the program!

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