2014 Youth Jobs Program
Fact Sheet

What will I gain from participating in the Program?
- Average of 100 hours of paid work experience earning $9.00/hour (Maximum of 25 hours per week)
- Up to 20 hours of paid Personal Enrichment Training
- Meaningful work experience to build upon your resume and serve as a career pathway
- Placement in various industries, with non-profit, for-profit and public sector employers
- Job coaching and mentoring

When and where will the training and work experience be held?
- Work readiness training will be held at various locations. Participating youth will be required to complete prior to beginning paid work experience
- Work experience will begin as early as May 1, 2014. Work schedules will be coordinated between the youth participant and their Worksite Supervisor
- Worksite placements will occur in Long Beach, Signal Hill, Lomita and Torrance

What are the program eligibility requirements?
Applicants must:
- Be a youth age 14-21 and reside in LA County
- Be able to work an average of 100 hours from May 1, 2014-June 30, 2014 and/or July 1, 2014 (Maximum of 25 hours per week)
- Have the legal right to work in the U.S.
- Outreach will focus on youth who are CalWORKs recipients, foster youth, homeless youth, and youth on probation

How do I apply?
Complete and submit a 2014 Youth Jobs Program Interest Form by Friday, May 23, 2014. Space is limited!
- Applications may be submitted to any one of the following Centers:
  - Youth Opportunity Center, 3447 Atlantic Avenue, Long Beach, CA 90807
  - Torrance Career Center, 1220 Engracia Avenue, Torrance, CA 90501
- Youth will be contacted to attend a Program Orientation/Eligibility Session. A parent or guardian must attend if the applicant is under 18 years old.
- Documentation supporting the applicant’s eligibility must be provided at the session along with Right-to-Work documentation (e.g., CA ID/School ID, Social Security Card, and Birth Certificate)
  *Be sure to have all documentation ready by the Program Orientation/Eligibility Session and ensure that applicant name matches the documents submitted.*
- Once eligibility is confirmed, applicant will be scheduled to attend a Program Placement Session where program guidelines and worksite placements will be addressed. The youth’s skills and academic/career interests will be taken into consideration when assigned to a worksite.

Who do I contact if I have any questions?
Please visit the Youth Opportunity Center at 3447 Atlantic Avenue, Long Beach, CA 90807

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Due to the limited number of slots, only youth that demonstrate readiness to begin paid work experience will be selected.