

Connect with a Variety of Talent Maricopa Workforce Connections is the link!

Maricopa Workforce Connections works with local businesses, faith and community-based organizations to provide industries with pools of talent to fill open positions.

Are you interested in hiring a military veteran? The Elijah Wong Veterans Services Center, located within MWC's west valley location, has access to work-ready veterans seeking civilian employment. Our country's veterans boast qualities desired by most employers as well as highly-specialized skill sets. Please specify if you are acutely interested in hiring a military veteran — MWC will get you connected.

Barriers to employment may be overcome with the use of technology. MWC provides job seekers with the technology needed to prepare for and launch successful job searches. Put technology to use for your business, find a qualified employee eager to aid in your success.

Mature workers bring a wealth of knowledge, expertise and professionalism to the workplace. As a participant on Governor Napolitano's Advisory Council on Aging, MWC supports The Arizona Mature Workforce Initiative, and strives to connect mature workers with rewarding opportunities.

There are many opportunities to strengthen the valley's workforce of the future. Through MWC you have a direct link to skills and talents of ready-to-work youth between the ages of 16 and 21 years. Hire a youth or offer work-experience through your business — either way you're contributing to the strengthening the valley's future workforce.



West Valley Career Center
(Crossroads of 101 & I 10)
1840 N. 95th Ave., Ste. 160
Phoenix, AZ 85037
Tel: 602/372-4200

Gilbert Career Center
(Gilbert and Guadalupe Rds)
735 N. Gilbert Road, Ste. 134
Gilbert, AZ 85234
Tel: 480/497-0350

MWC is the home of the Elijah Wong Veterans Services Center.



Maricopa Workforce Connections...
Keeping businesses happy, healthy, and here!

A Place to Make

Connections

Whether your business is changing in size or structure, Maricopa Workforce Connections' no-charge strategic assistance and support may be just what is needed.

For more than 20 years MWC has been helping area businesses succeed in securing qualified talent, training current employees to use new industry technology, and providing lay-off aversion resources and transition strategies.

The experienced MWC Business Services team develops and executes specialized training plans, locates skilled workers in high-

demand industries and provides county businesses with a wide variety of workforce development assistance.

By using MWC's high value no-charge resources businesses save valuable recruiting dollars while gaining exposure to job-seekers with the diverse backgrounds, skills, education and experience most desired.

In addition to finding the right new employees. Help is available to keep the loyal ones you have. High-demand industries may qualify for subsidized training to develop the technical skill aptitudes of current employees.

Connect with:

- A diverse talent pool
- Career driven potential employees
- Assistance screening prospects
- Employee continuing education

Equal opportunity employer/program.

Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities

Simply call: 602/506-WORK



Find the Right Person for the Job Recruitment and Candidate Screening Services

MWC will host a recruiting event in your honor; meet potential employees face-to-face at one of our facilities. Career center staff will conduct e-searches for candidates using outlined criteria and conduct an initial assessment of the applicant. Assessments for applicants, or current employees, may include everything from basic reading and math skills to aptitude, computer/software proficiency or general vocational skills.



Keep Current Employees Employed Worker Training

Maricopa County's Employed Worker Training Program helps a business or group of businesses increase the skills of its current workforce.

To participate employers, or groups of employers, with same or like training needs must agree to sponsor 50% of the training costs. Once training dollars are awarded, a business may take up to one year to complete the approved training program.



Train Potential Employees On-the-Job Training

Maricopa Workforce Connections has access to on-the-job training programs what will help pay a candidate while he/she is being trained.

If you are willing to train, or retrain, a new or existing employee on the job, MWC may be able to offset up to 50 percent of the participant's wages for up to six months.

Eliminating Positions? Transition Assistance is Available

Customized services are available to assist downsizing companies and its employees during the workforce transition process. Upon notification, a business workforce professional will schedule a meeting to fully describe MWC's services, conduct an employee survey, and assist in determining needed services such as:

- Job skills workshops
- Resume and interviewing workshops
- Career and job fairs
- Personal financing/budgeting workshops

A customized action plan will be developed and additional MWC services are provided as necessary.

