

CareerWise New York - Category 2. Abstract

Lead Applicant / Organization Name: CareerWise New York

Lead applicant entity type: Community Based Organization

Lead Applicant City and State: New York, NY

Select Grant Category:

X Expansion of RAP Opportunities for Youth : up to \$5 million

If applying for the Set-Aside, please select the primary focus: N/A

Project Title: Expanding Registered Modern Youth Apprenticeship in NYC

Funding Amount Requested: \$2,000,000

Applicants Geographic Scope of Proposed Project: New York City

Number of apprentices enrolled in RAPs during the life of the grant: 400

Population(s) to be served: Youth, ages 16 to 20, 95% Black, Indigenous, and people of color (BIPOC), 75%+ high economic need

Required Partners

Amazon, *Employer Sponsor*

JPMorgan and Chase, *Employer Sponsor*

NYC Department of Education Office of Postsecondary Readiness, *Education or Training Provider*

NYS Department of Labor, *State Apprenticeship Agency*

NYC Workforce Development Board, *Local Workforce Development Board*

Optional Partners

NY Jobs CEO Council, *Industry Groups and Associations*

New York University, *Education Institution*

Project Purposes: The program goals of CareerWise New York and our partners are to strengthen and expand apprenticeship opportunities for NYC youth, increasing participation in our existing Registered Apprenticeship Programs (RAPs) and developing new RAPs in response to industry needs. Our goal is to significantly increase the enrollment of diverse, high economic need youth in CareerWise New York apprenticeships year-over-year during the grant performance period, supporting their current and future academic and career success.

Subrecipient Activities: There are no subrecipients of this funding.

List of Credential(s) to be awarded:

Registered Apprenticeship Certificate of Completion along with industry-recognized credentials in Business Operations, Information Technology, Financial Services, Healthcare, and Hospitality.

Summary of Program Activities: With our partners, CareerWise New York will expand our youth apprenticeship program with support from this funding. Over the performance period of the grant, we will enroll 3,200 diverse, high economic need NYC public school students from more than 50 high schools into our youth apprenticeship, with 400 enrolling into registered apprenticeship. We will support youth apprentices in their success in this dual education program through in-school, out-of-school, and on the job support from teachers, program managers, coaches, and supervisors. By the end of the grant period, at least 75% of the youth enrolled in RAPs will complete their registered apprenticeship. Additionally, we will work with employer partners and the workforce system to identify and register new apprenticeships in high demand careers, and expand our current RAPs from 14 to 21, with an additional 7 RAPs added over the grant period.

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