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CareerSource South Florida Receives “A+” Rating for Business and Employment Excellence

Exemplary Performance and Dedication to Advancing Opportunities for Job Seekers, Workers and Businesses

MIAMI, FL – November 2023 - CareerSource South Florida announces it has been rated “A+” for its employment work in Miami-Dade and Monroe Counties. Letter grades assess each local workforce development board’s performance to drive improvements that will benefit Florida’s job seekers, workers, and businesses. Based on criteria established by the Governor’s Reimagination Education and Career Help (REACH) Office, and data from the 2022-23 fiscal year, the grades were announced at the most recent state workforce board’s executive committee meeting.

“We are incredibly proud to have received an 'A+' rating for our employment efforts in Miami-Dade and Monroe Counties. This achievement is a testament to the hard work, dedication, and unwavering commitment of our entire team at CareerSource South Florida,” said Rick Beasley, Executive Director of CareerSource South Florida. “We remain focused on our mission to empower job seekers, support local businesses, and contribute to the economic growth of our region.”

Letter grades are determined by several metrics: the performance of local workforce development boards against federal accountability standards, the count of job seekers who receive work-related training, the increase in participant earnings in the second quarter post-workforce services, the frequency of employer returns for business services, and a decrease in long-term public assistance from participants.

“As we continue to implement the Florida Workforce System Transformation Plan, letter grades aid local workforce development boards in identifying areas of excellence and opportunities for enhancements,” said CareerSource Florida President and CEO Adrienne Johnston. “The goal is to streamline and improve the state’s workforce and education efforts, aligning them more closely with the needs of the communities we serve.”

For more information about the [2022-2023 letter grades](#), including the comprehensive metrics and methodology calculations, visit analytics.careersourceflorida.com/lettergrades.

About CareerSource South Florida

CareerSource South Florida is a public-private partnership that establishes state and federally funded workforce development and training policies for Miami-Dade and Monroe Counties. CareerSource South Florida provides high quality, customized employment and training solutions to workers and employers in support of economic development. Services are available to everyone at no cost through a network of centers located throughout the region. For more information on CareerSource South Florida, including valuable resources for businesses and job seekers, please visit www.careersourcesfl.com.

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