

Workforce Solutions

-The *Senior Community Services Employment Program (SCSEP)* improves job readiness of mature workers while expanding the services of local nonprofit and government agencies by providing paid, part-time job training to adults ages 55 and over.

-*On-the-Job-Experience (OJE)* is a contract service provided through SCSEP funding and covers all of the wages for up to a 12 week training period of a mature worker. OJE is designed to offer both the employer and mature worker with the opportunity to ensure the job is a good fit.

-*Encore Staffing Network* is a social enterprise model that draws upon the expertise, passion and talents of people ages 50 and over in Cuyahoga County who are assigned to paid, part-time positions at nonprofit and government agencies.

By the Numbers

185



people found work as a result of the training they received in the SCSEP program.

13,432





people utilized our various resource rooms across our 40 county service area.

639,767



hours of work training were provided to 1,097 mature workers.

 22 Encore participants provided 2,009 hours of services to nonprofits.

 639,767 hours of service were provided to various nonprofits.

Meals on Wheels

-*Home Delivered Meals* offers homebound and disabled clients nutritious meals conveniently delivered to their home.

-*Congregate Dining* offers a delicious assortment of hot meals to people wishing to dine in a social setting in buildings throughout Summit County.

-*Ohio Senior Farmer's Market Nutrition Program* offers coupons to those 60 and older who meet income guidelines to be used at local Farmer's Markets for fresh produce, herbs, and honey grown locally.

-*Senior Health and Services Fair* provides seniors with access to fresh food through the Senior Farmer's Market Voucher Program with an on-site farmer's market.

By the Numbers



MOW delivered 264,878 meals to 753 home bound clients.

In our four congregate dining facilities, 31,182 meals were served in 2017.

Over 83% of our clients were satisfied with our meals.



Meals on Wheels of Northern Ohio provided 6,404 hours of training to participants in the SCSEP program.



We distributed 682 Farmer's Market vouchers in Summit county, 276 in Stark county and 110 in Wayne county.



At the Senior Health & Services Fair, we partnered with 32 community agencies, to deliver thousands of pounds of food.

Behavioral Health Solutions

-Behavioral Health Solutions focuses on individuals ages 50 and older struggling with addiction to alcohol, other drugs and/or mental health issues. We provide treatment and tools to help clients improve their health and lives.

By the Numbers

71%

of clients expressed improved functionality as a result of treatment at Behavioral Health Solutions.

4,378

hours of group therapy provided clients with a community of support in a non-judgmental setting.

74%

of clients surveyed felt a social connectedness from treatment.

770

hours of individual treatment were provided to assist people challenged with Behavioral Health issues.

78

people benefited from the Brown Bag Medication Review, a prevention program designed to identify and eliminate potential drug interaction issues amongst older adults.

Home Wellness Solutions

-Home Wellness Solutions offers multiple options designed to help older adults and people living with disabilities live comfortably at home. We provide non-medical home care and wellness support through our team of trained, pre-screened, and insured staff, and offer services to both low income and private pay clients.

By the Numbers



15,162 hours of home health aide services and 4,751 hours of homemaker services were provided for 243 customers and 583 hours of case management services were provided.



305 nurse visits were also provided to customers to provide wellness assistance.



182 clients received 1,830 hours of chore services.



99% of customers remained in their own home because of the services they received from VANTAGE Aging.

RSVP

RSVP is one of the largest volunteer networks in the nation for people 55 and over. RSVP helps to link volunteers with nonprofit agencies where their time, interest, talents, knowledge, and experience are most effectively utilized to meet important needs in our community.

By the Numbers

158

people volunteered in Summit and Medina counties in 2017, together providing over 18,690 hours of community service to benefit 16 non-profits.

100%

of volunteers agreed that volunteering made a difference in their community and made them feel like an active part of their community.

100%

of volunteers surveyed indicated they enjoyed meeting new friends and interesting people.

43%

of RSVP volunteers were age 75 or older, proving that regardless of age, volunteers can make a difference in a community and peoples' lives.

How You Can Help

Donate

- Our Senior Love Fund, an endowment to support unfunded programs
- Cash and in-kind donations to support causes you are most connected to

Hire Our Social Enterprises

- *Encore Staffing Network*: Temporary to permanent job placement for people 40+
- *Cleaners for a Cause*: Major cleaning jobs, like moving and spring cleaning
- *Catering for a Cause*: Specially prepared menu options for catered events