

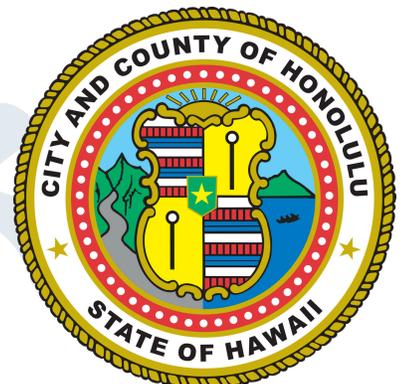
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American Job Center Hawai'i

ONE-STOP OPERATOR

*Quarter 2 of Program Year 24:
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01 CUSTOMER COUNT

ONE-STOP CENTER

RESOURCE CENTER

New	279	113
Returning	2078	781
Total	2357	894

02 RESOURCE CENTER

The **American Job Center Hawai'i (AJCH)** continues to serve as a vital resource for our community. The on-site Resource Center offers accessible workstations, computers with internet access, an ADA-compliant workstation, printing and fax services, and phone access. Our dedicated staff remain available to guide individuals in making the most of these tools as they pursue their employment and training goals.

03 AJCH PARTNERS MEETINGS

The most recent AJCH Partners Meeting was held in person on December 3, 2025. The meeting focused on team building activities, getting to know each other, and a presentation on the new Mental Health Technician Program offered through Windward Community College. Dates and content for upcoming Partners Meetings are currently under consideration.

04 OSO ACTIVITIES

October

- Workshop by Dr. Kat Andrews (VA); Working While on benefits, what Veterans need to know

November

- Workshop by Dr. Kat Andrews (VA); Holiday Hustle; Using Seasonal Work as a gateway to employment
- Two-Part Training by Justin Fienhold (VA); Mental Health & Suicide Prevention Workshop

December

- Resume Workshop by State WDD Partners

Current Events Scheduled:

- 1/5 - Southwest Airlines Recruitment Informational Session
- 1/8 - Job Search Strategies (using AI) with Dr. Kat Andrews
- 1/22 - WDD Career Fair @Keehi Lagoon
- 1/26 and 1/27 - Resume Workshop by AJCH Business Services Team (BST)
- 1/28 - Star Advertiser Career Expo @Neal Blaisdell Center
- 2/4 - WDD Federal Resume Writing Workshop
- 2/5 - SNAP Changes in 2026 & Veteran Impact by Dr. Kat Andrews

Oahu Workforce Development Board Mtg - January 22, 2026 Community School for Adults Updates

The new office for WCSA - Waipahu Campus was supposed to open on Dec. 15, 2026 but was postponed until Summer of 2026.

- It will be over 3 years since WCSA's largest campus site has been without an official office. Currently personnel from the Waipahu office are spread across 3 different sites.
- As predicted in 2023 when the office closure started, this has created a significant drop in enrollment over the last two and a half years.

WCSA helped 60 Cadets at Hawaii Youth Challenge Academy (HYCA) graduate with their high school equivalency on Dec. 7, 2026.

- HYCA offers two classes annually.
- Current registration for their Spring Term has already closed.

WCSA has officially started 2 new IET (Integrated Education and Training) programs.

- FLEX Farms in Hilo and Para Professional (Educational Assistant) Certification at all of our sites. Although we have offered Para Pro training and certification for over a decade, we have only now officially designated it as an IET, which can be Federally funded with specific IET money.
- Assistant Principal, Chad Okinaka will be presenting about this IET at the Coalition of Adult Basic Education (COABE) Conference in April about this IET. COABE sponsors the largest conference for adult education providers.
- Here are a few Flex Farms photos from Hilo of some basil that was grown through hydroponics:





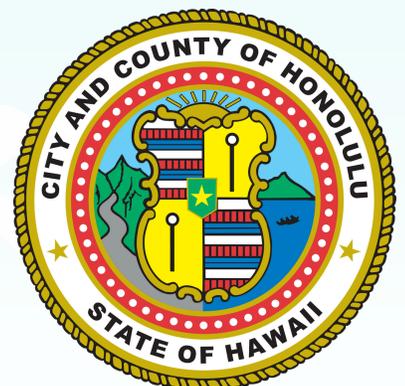
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WIOA ADULT, DISLOCATED WORKER, & YOUTH PROGRAMS

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01 PERFORMANCE

WIOA PERFORMANCE MEASURES

PY24 GOAL

PY24 PERFORMANCE TO DATE

ADULT

DISLOCATED WORKER

Enrollment	400	262
Employment 2nd quarter after exit	83%	73.3%
Employment 4th quarter after exit	83%	58.5%
Median earnings in the 2nd quarter after exit	\$8,700	\$8,812.48
Credential attainment rate	75%	62.2%
Measurable Skill Gains	85%	36.8%
Enrollment	275	35
Employment 2nd quarter after exit	83%	75.0%
Employment 4th quarter after exit	83%	77.8%
Median earnings in the 2nd quarter after exit	\$11,700	\$10,551.54
Credential attainment rate	85%	0.0%
Measurable Skill Gains	85%	50.0%

02 PERFORMANCE, CONT.

WIOA PERFORMANCE MEASURES

PY24 GOAL

PY24 PERFORMANCE TO DATE

YOUTH

Enrollment	300	89
Education & Employment 2nd quarter after exit	77%	57.1%
Education & Employment 4th quarter after exit	83%	50.0%
Median earnings in the 2nd quarter after exit	\$5,650	\$7,052.97
Credential attainment rate	80%	33.3%
Measurable Skill Gains	85%	32.4%

03 SUCCESS STORIES

ABILITIES UNLIMITED - COMMUNITY PARTNER

- Co-located in the Dole Cannery Office Building, Suite 600
- Partnered with CVS through WorkHawaii business network to create a mock workspace for training purposes
- Co-enrolled students in both Abilities Unlimited and WorkHawaii Programs



KIPAS ELIAS - YOUTH

- Began Work Experience with Re-Use Hawaii December 2025 and projected to complete February 2026
- He has gained meaningful knowledge of warehouse operations, materials processing, and special projects, while developing strong work maturity skills in a real-world reuse and sustainability-focused environment
- Weekly performance evaluations reflect strong key areas, including attendance, conduct, teamwork, task completion, responsibility, and overall performance

