

Back-to-Work Center Walmart Brighter Futures 2.0 Project Fact Sheet

Who are we?

A COLLABORATIVE EFFORT

between Miami Dade College and the Walmart Foundation, through the League for Innovation in the Community College, to help workers gain the skills needed for today's job market.

Who is our client?

LOW-INCOME, LOW-SKILL WORKERS WHO:

- have some job experience
- may or may not be working presently
- need specific skills to obtain middle-skill jobs

What services do we provide?

SERVICES:

- Information about the local job market
- Guidance from an individualized training plan
- Help applying for Federal Financial Aid
- Connection to services at MDC and in the community
- Computer-based 21st century skills training
- Middle-skill training options, with select tuition assistance
- Job search skills, like résumé writing and interviewing
- Links to local employers

What are Middle-skill jobs?

JOBS THAT:

require some education and training beyond high school, but less than a bachelor's degree, such as:

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| ◆ Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing Clerks | ◆ Home Health Aides |
| ◆ Child Care Workers | ◆ Pharmacy Technicians |
| ◆ Computer Software Engineers, Applications | ◆ Retail Salespersons |
| ◆ Customer Service Representatives | ◆ Security Guards |

What are 21st century job skills?

THESE SKILLS INCLUDE:

- Communicating effectively
- Using skills to process numerical data
- Using computers and other technologies effectively.

Employers want workers to have these 21st century job skills in order to be successful.

What is my next step?

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