



WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD
OF SOLANO COUNTY

FY2018 YEAREND PROGRAMMATIC IMPACT

July 2017 - June 2018

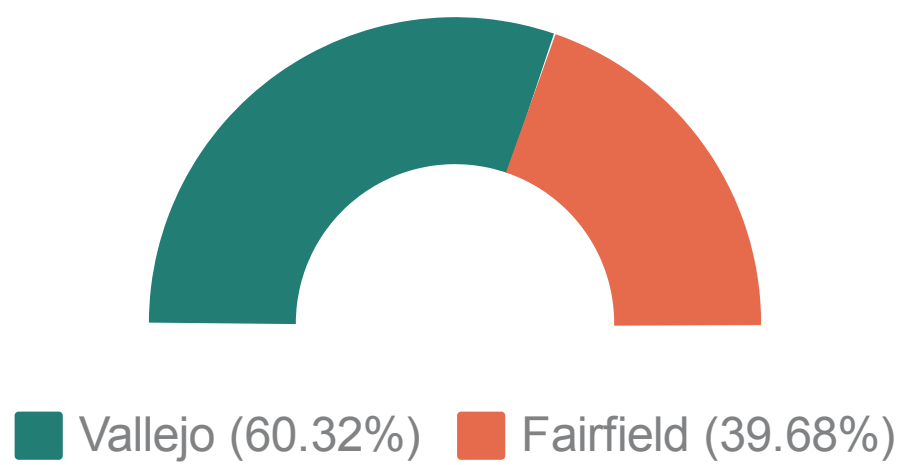


**SOLANO
EMPLOYMENT
CONNECTION**

Solano Employment Connection is affiliated with the America's Job Centers of California. Partners that operate the job centers include Employment Development Department, the WDB, Division of Rehabilitation, and others.

9,633 INDIVIDUALS VISITED THE JOB CENTERS
506 INDIVIDUALS VISITED COMMUNITY SITES
43,836 SERVICES PROVIDED

JOB CENTER TRAFFIC BY LOCATION



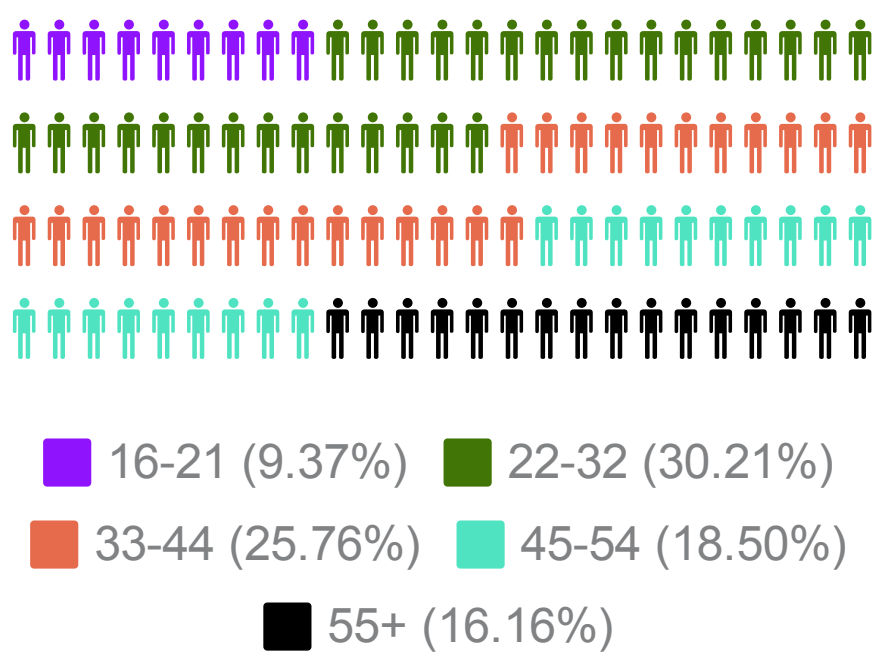
Fearless Determination
She was a newly single mother and recently laid off from her work in media graphics in Contra Costa. She was talented in her work, but no longer had the up-to-date skills needed to be competitive in the field. She worked with an Employability Specialist and developed a training plan that included Java certification and social media marketing skills. She had a great attitude and was determined to succeed. In April, she landed a job in Palo Alto using her talents and new skills making \$53.00 an hour. She is back on her feet and able to support her family.



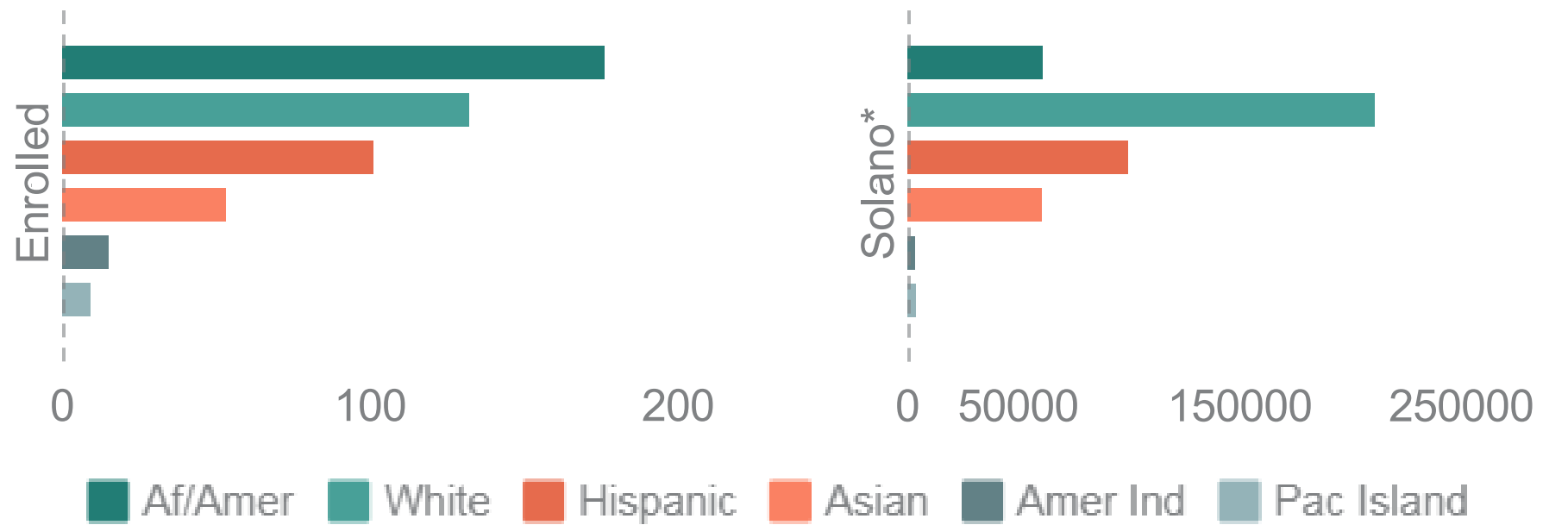
Job Seeker Demographics

The Workforce Board serves a diverse job seeker base. Numbers below represent individuals enrolled in WIOA Adult, Dislocated Worker, Multi-Company Grant, and Youth programs.

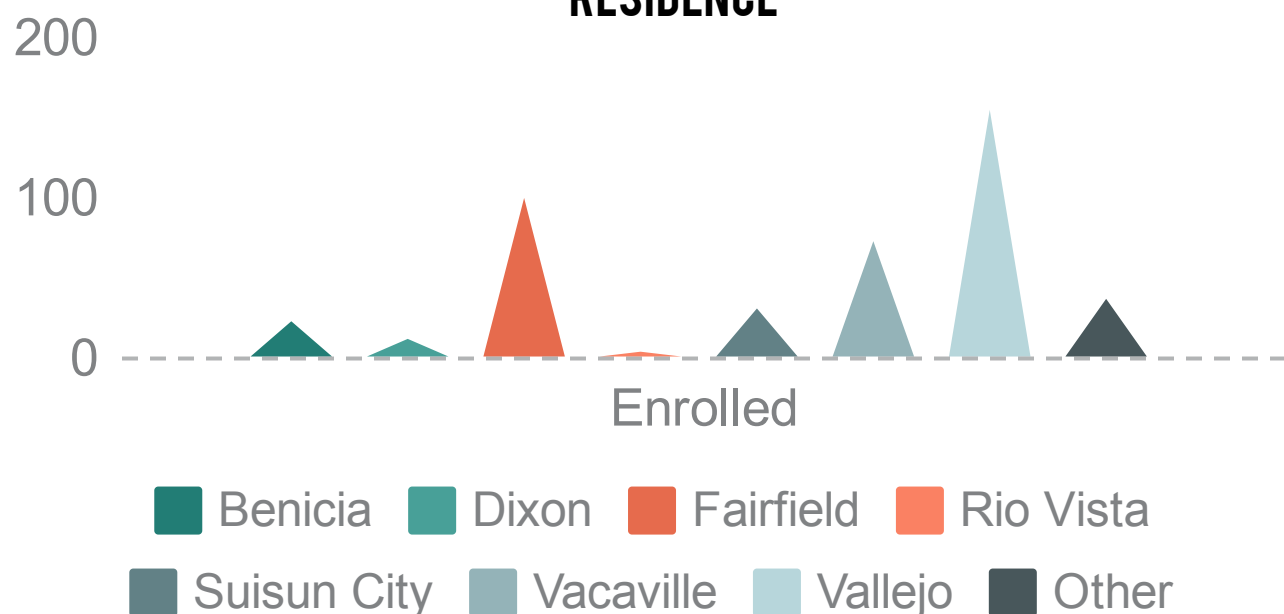
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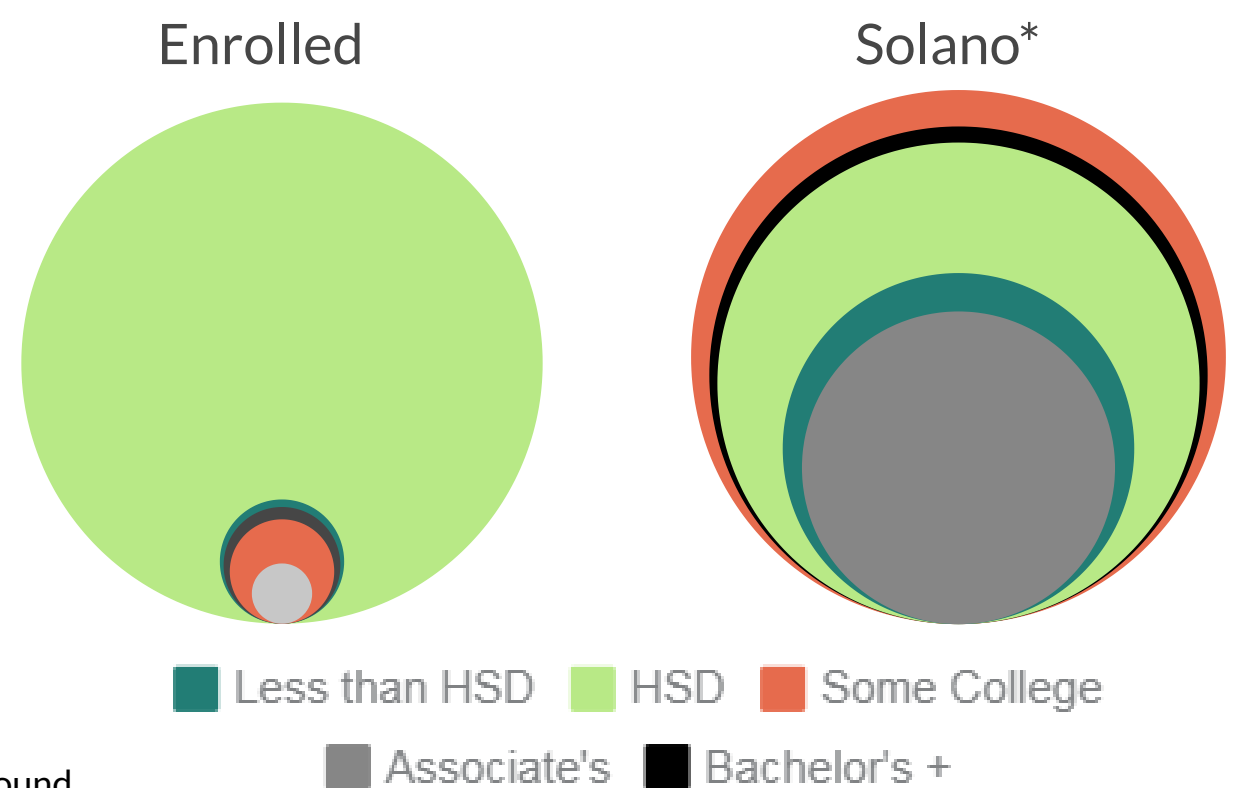
RACE/ETHNICITY



RESIDENCE~

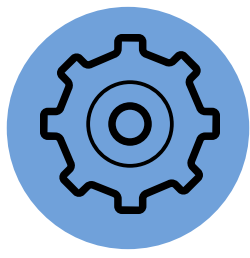


EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT



~: No statistical difference between percentages of age or residence of enrolled vs. Solano County were found.

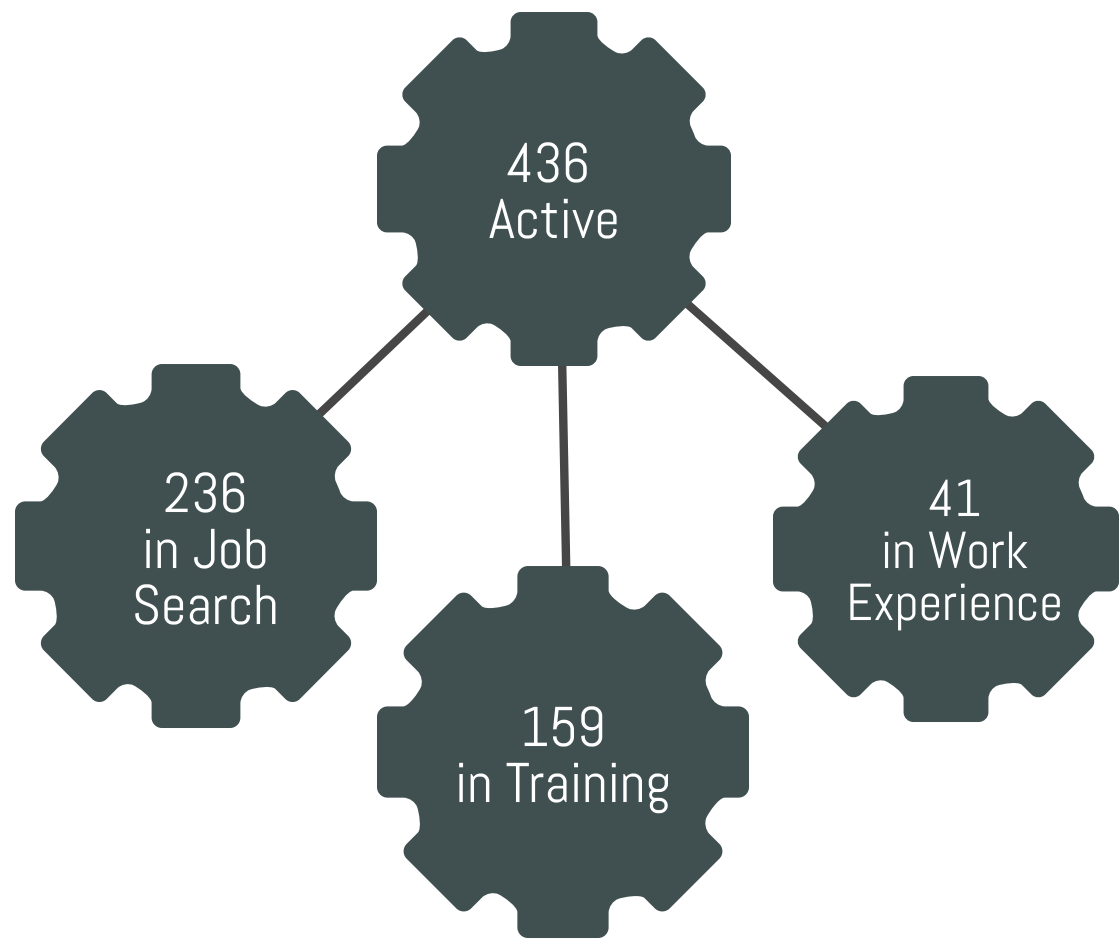
Legend for Educational Attainment: Associate's (grey), Bachelor's+ (black)



WIOA Services

Intensive services for enrolled individuals include occupational training, paid work experience, job search support, supportive services, and job coaching. Activities and outcomes below represent period from July 2017 - June 2018.

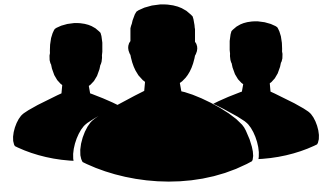
CUSTOMER ACTIVITIES



453 Attendance at Job Networking Club

149 Individuals Received Supportive Services

CUSTOMER OUTCOMES



261 Newly Enrolled

159 Individuals Started Training



76% TRAINING-RELATED PLACEMENTS



87 Individuals Received Industry Certifications



52% SOLANOCOUNTY PLACEMENTS

143 Individuals Employed



\$18.00 Median Wage

vs. **36%** Solano Co. average*



\$7,191.14 Cost per Job Seeker Served



\$1.02/HR Ave. Increase in Wages After Using WDB Services



CalWORKS

134 Completed Job Readiness Workshops

112 Completed Supported Job Search

67 Entered Direct Employment

11 Entered Subsidized Employment

\$14.20 Median Wage

Business Engagement

WDB staff members engage with the business community to better serve the workforce needs of the county.

187 New Businesses Engaged

3,287 Jobs Posted in CalJOBS

402 Active Business Engagements

172 Recruitment Events Held

Downtown Vacaville Eye Care

Downtown Vacaville Eye Care is a family owned optometric business. As a small business interested in expanding they used the wage reimbursement program and were connected to Sarah, who had a background in make-up sales. They loved the transferrable skills she brought to help market frames and provide quality customer service. They are now seeking an additional candidate and interested in using the program again to save costs and continue to grow their business.

\$160,131 Invested in Solano County Businesses



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* Source: U.S. Census Community Survey 2016. LEHD OntheMap Commuter Flow 2015.