



America Works, one of the nation's largest workforce development firms, is hosting an event dedicated to the **financial, professional, and personal enrichment of youth in Burlington County**. Raza Gilani and the team at America Works are pleased to extend this invitation to you.

America Works, called "a company with a conscience," has found jobs for more than 500,000 hard-to-place workers, including military veterans, long-term welfare and food stamp recipients, former criminal offenders, people who are homeless and living in shelters, youths aging out of foster care, and many others. Since 2011, America Works of NJ has successfully placed over 500 individuals into paid employment in Burlington County.

In an effort to inspire and further connect with the youth of Burlington County, we have organized a day where participants may access a wide variety of helpful workshops on job placement techniques, job skills, life skills, financial literacy, tutoring, education, entrepreneurship, and health and wellness.

Participants will be treated to America Works' signature workshop on knowing ***your top five Character Strengths via Authentic Happiness on the University of Pennsylvania Website***. Participants will also learn about their top five leadership strengths through the **Clifton Strength Finder test and Workplace Emotional Intelligence** which can help improve engagement of employees at work. This workshop will undoubtedly help individuals rise above and secure employment.

Many local employers, such as TD Bank (also hosting financial literacy workshop), HMS Host, CVS Health (also hosting health and wellness workshop), Cooper University Hospital, Virtua, Accu Staffing, Manpower, RCBC, Rutgers University, and many more have been invited to make presentations, providing an opportunity for participants to meet employers and learn about available job openings.

The event is free, open to the public, and specifically designed for individuals between the ages of **16 and 24** as well as individuals who are receiving **SSI and SSDI**. It will be held on **September 20 starting at 10AM at 790 Woodlane Rd., Suite 7, Westampton, NJ 08060**.

Community leaders and elected officials will be in attendance along with members of the America Works team who will offer additional guidance to participants seeking employment on-site.

Please RSVP by August 22 @ kkaur@americaworks.com

We look forward to welcoming you to America Works.