

Press Release



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CareerSource Tampa Bay moves to Phase 2 of reopening plan ***~Two additional offices will reopen as part of Phase 2~***

TAMPA, FL – CareerSource Tampa Bay (CSTB) will move to Phase 2 of the reopening plan effective Monday, June 15, 2020. Phase two includes the reopening of two additional offices to the public located in Brandon and Tampa.

The following CSTB centers will be open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday starting June 15, 2020:

- Tampa Center located at 9215 North Florida Ave, Suite 101, Tampa, FL 33612.
- Brandon Center located at 9350 Bay Plaza Blvd., Suite 121 Tampa, FL 33619
- Career Prep Center located at 2605 North 43rd Street, Tampa, FL

The following CSTB centers will remain closed until further notice:

- Ruskin Center located at 201 14th Ave SE, Ruskin, FL
- Plant City Center located at 307 North Michigan Avenue, Plant City, FL

Most services will be provided but some programs will still be offered through a virtual platform. A list of programs that will be operated virtually can be found at this link <https://bit.ly/3hnmKai>

Facilities will also increase capacity from 25-percent to 50-percent capacity following COVID 19 local, state and federal safety guidelines.

Co-located partners at CSTB locations can begin delivering in-person and group sessions. Partners will need to continue operating with social distancing.

Customers requiring assistance from home can contact the Customer Contact Center Monday through Fridays from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. by calling 813-930-7400.

Social distancing guidelines will remain in place, employees will be given personal protection equipment such as face masks. All customers will be required to wear face masks while visiting the facility and sanitize their hands upon entry in the CSTB center. Customers, co-located partners and CSTB staff will also be screened and anyone displaying symptoms of COVID-19, will not be permitted into the building.

Customers can go to CSTB's main webpage www.CareerSourceTampaBay.com for any future updates.

About CareerSource Tampa Bay

CareerSource Tampa Bay programs and initiatives are fully supported by the U.S. Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Agriculture as part of awards totaling \$19,293,411.

CareerSource Tampa Bay works with businesses and candidates to leverage their training, retraining, and competitive opportunities in the workforce. Career Source Tampa Bay provided 240,269 services to 36,960 active Wagner-Peyser individuals during program year 2018- 2019. CareerSource Tampa Bay, with our five career centers is the single largest source of job candidates in the region from entry-level to executive-level candidates.

Businesses can access Career Source's wide range of services that include recruiting, training for new and existing employees, targeted hiring events, and retention support strategies. All resources and services are provided at no cost to both businesses and job candidates.

Programs funded through CareerSource Tampa Bay are equal opportunity programs with auxiliary aids and services available upon request to individuals with disabilities. Persons using TTY/TTD equipment use Florida Relay Service 711. A proud partner of the American Job Center network to learn more, visit www.careersourcetampabay.com.

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