Testimonials

I am writing regarding the Region VII AAA job training program. I have been in this program since 2019 and I truly feel this is one of the best programs to help seniors get back into the workforce. The training, the education, and the benefits I have received while on this program are only a small reason why I strongly feel this program is so needed in the community.

Carol and Sarah have both been so helpful and thorough in their love for the program and participants.

As I enter my last year in the program, I cannot say enough positive things about this program. Thank you for the opportunity of learning and earning.

Respectfully, Janie

I am a part time trainee of the Region VII Area Agency on Aging SCSEP Program. I would encourage anyone that would be interested in this awesome opportunity to give it a try!

I'm 62 and re-entering the work force in a new capacity. My former jobs were home health care and day-care for children. I'm learning a whole new skill set for work that is not as physically demanding.

I am being paid for training and classes that will keep me employable. Its been a pleasure working through Region VII. I'm now learning to be a Senior Outreach Specialist, and I love it! I have the opportunity to help seniors in this community.

Sarah, and the staff of Title V are a great support system. They have my best interest in mind. I'm very grateful.

> Sincerely, Irisa



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Senior Community Service Employment Program

Title V SCSEP

The Senior Community Service Employment Program (SCSEP) is a community service and work-based job training program for older Americans funded by the Department of Labor. Authorized by the Older Americans Act, the program provides training for lowincome, unemployed seniors 55 years and older. Participants work an average of 20 hours a week and are paid the highest of federal, state or local minimum wage. This training serves as a bridge to unsubsidized employment opportunities for participants.

Program Eligibility Requirements

Call for an Eligibility Pre-Screening (989) 893-4506 or 1-800-858-1637

- Age: 55 years of age or older
- **Income:** within the Federal Poverty income guidelines
- Unemployed

For more information or eligibility pre-screening contact Region VII Area Agency on Aging, Title V/Senior Community Service Employment Program.

Program Participation Requirements

- Active ongoing personal job search
- Participation in SCSEP In-Service Meetings
- Enrollment in Michigan Works Talent Bank

ENROLLMENT PROCESS

- 1. Verification of eligibility
- 2. Enrollment for services
- 3. Assessment of skills, experience, and employment interest
- 4. Development of individual plan for employment and training

Host Agency Employment and Training Assignment

A host agency is a nonprofit organization that has an agreement with Region VII Area Agency on Aging to provide employment and training to assigned enrollees.

- Assignment compatible with desired employment and training
- Day to day supervision provided
- Paid work and benefits through SCSEP



The Goal of the Title V SCSEP

- Increase services in the community
- Enhance experience and skills of older persons
- Assist older persons to secure unsubsidized employment

Other Services Available

- Assistance with other training through other local services and education programs
- Resume preparation
- Interview techniques
- Job search assistance and development



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