



Grant Program:	Pathways Out of Poverty
Grantee Name:	CNY Works, Inc.
Grantee City/State:	Syracuse, NY
Grant Award Amount:	\$3,715,931
Initial Period of Performance:	January 2010 - January 2012
Project Name:	The environmental Collaborative for Urban sustainable Employment (eCUSE)
Project Description:	CNY's eCuse program will implement a dynamic strategy for increasing employment options for people in poverty while building a labor pool for burgeoning area green industries, particularly focused on careers in energy efficiency and biofuels. The proposed model will create a comprehensive web of services including case management, literacy and ESL training, basic skills training, and job development and assessment activities that will address the challenges faced by targeted populations. Additionally, the eCuse model offers the unique opportunity for participants to engage in specific occupational on-the-job and classroom training that will prepare program completers for unsubsidized employment.
Areas Served by Grant:	Inner City Syracuse, NY
PUMAs Served:	00700
Auto-Impacted Counties Served:	N/A
National or Local Grant:	Local
Targeted Industries:	Energy Efficiency, Biofuels
Targeted Credentials:	GED, Building Performance Institute (BPI), OSHA, National Center for Construction Education and Research (NCCER), LEED Certification (3 levels), Microsoft Certifications,
Targeted Occupations:	Engineers (Chemical, Electrical, Electronics, Environmental, Industrial, Mechanical); Equipment Assemblers (Electromechanical, Electrical/Electronic); Construction Equipment Operators; Electricians; Construction Managers; Industrial Truck Drivers; Machine Setters/Operator; Laborers and Freight/Stock/ Material Movers; First-Line Supervisors/Managers of Production Workers; Team Assemblers; Cabinetmakers and Bench Carpenters; Woodworking Machine Setters, Operators, Tenders; Chemists; Chemical Equipment Operators; Chemical Technicians; Mixing and Blending Machine Operators; Agricultural Workers; Farm Product Purchasers; Agricultural Inspectors; Industrial Production Manager; Machinists; Sheet Metal Workers; Millwrights; Iron and Steel Workers





Targeted Populations:	Low income individuals, ex-offenders, disadvantaged young-adults, displaced workers
All Project partners:	New York State (NYS) Unified Court System, the Center for Court Innovation, Syracuse Veterans Administration Medical Center, Vocational Rehabilitation Program, JOBSplus!, Center for Community Alternatives and the Literacy Coalition, Catholic Charities of Onondaga County, Center for Community Alternatives, Concerned Citizens Action Committee, Dunbar Association, Inc, Huntington Family Center, Spanish Action League (LaLiga), Westcott Community Center, Southwest Community Center, the Women's Opportunity Center, Hope 4 Us Housing, Jubilee Homes of Syracuse, Matawan Development Group, Inc, the Northside Collaboratory, P.E.A.C.E Inc., The Center for Community Alternatives (CCA), SUNY Morrisville Educational Opportunity Center (EOC), New Justice Resolution Services, Syracuse University, Partners for Education and Business (PEB), NYS Office of Vocational and Educational Services for Individuals with Disabilities (VESID), Commission for the Blind and Visually Handicapped (CBVH), Associated Builders and Contractors (ABC), the American Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial Organizations (AFL-CIO), International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers (IBEW), National Electrical Contractors Association (NECA), Sheet Metal Workers, WDI, Greater Syracuse Chamber of Commerce, the MACNY, the Metropolitan Development Association (MDA), the Minority Contractors Association, and NYS's Economic Security Cabinet
Projected outcomes:	
Total number of participants served:	1,000
Total number of participants beginning education/training activities:	750
Total number of participants who receive basic education services:	400
Total number of participants who receive supportive services funded by the grant:	650
Total number of participants completing education/training activities:	488





Total number of participants who complete education/training activities that receive a degree/certificate:	366
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities that are placed into unsubsidized employment:	366
Total number of participants who complete education/training activities that are placed into training-related unsubsidized employment:	293
Total number of participants placed in unsubsidized employment who retain an employed status in the first and second quarters following initial placement:	146
Other Key Project Deliverables:	Marketing materials (TV ads, billboards), modified database to report and collect required information
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