

Do you want to earn money and build a career? New Mexico Works is now hiring into our Wage Subsidy and Career Link program! Speak to your CDS to find out more about how to get started with these exciting job opportunities:

Career Link

Career Link candidates are hired into part-time positions, working 18-20 hours per week for up to 6 months. These employments will be tailored to match your individual career goals. A coordinator will help you every step of the way.

Pros

TANF vs Employment: Wages are greater than TANF grant amount	Develop new, specialized work skills while earning a paycheck
Six months of employment plus education and/or training	Earn your HSE Degree or Certificate for free
Part-time work as SL Start employee (18 to 20 hours per week)	One on One job development
Earn a paycheck bi-weekly	Receive Support Services to help with transportation and work related needs
Regular job coaching and goal-setting with your own Career Link Coordinator	Possible earned income tax credit

Requirements

No earned income for Household

You must be in good standing with NMW and Child Support Enforcement Division

You must be available for work and educational activities 20-30 hours per week for six months

You must have at least six TANF months remaining out of TANF lifetime limit

Important to know

Only one parent in a two parent household can be enrolled in Career Link at any time

You may only participate in one program (Career Link or Wage Subsidy) during your TANF lifetime limit

Wage Subsidy (Clerical Support)

Wage Subsidy candidates are hired into full-time, 40 hour per week jobs within government agencies. These positions last up to 12 months and are considered clerical support positions in office settings.

Pros

TANF vs Employment: Wages are greater than TANF grant amount	Not using TANF months that apply toward your 60 month lifetime limit
12 months of employment as an SL Start employee in a government agency which increases your chance to get a job	Earn a paycheck bi-weekly
Develop new, specialized work skills while earning a paycheck	One on One job development
Full-time work (40 hours a week, M-F, 8am-5pm)	Monthly coaching and assistance with job search and job placement
Paid Holidays	Possible earned income tax credit
Earn Paid Time Off at 4.62 hours per pay period	Earn city or state minimum wage, whichever is higher
	Clothing allowance available for eligible individuals

Requirements

Minimum 8th grade education	You must have at least two months of TANF remaining out of TANF lifetime limit
You must be in good standing with NMW and Child Support Enforcement Division	Must have documents to verify eligibility to work (see reverse side for more information)
Have office, clerical or customer service experience	

Important to know

Wage subsidy employees will receive wages instead of a TANF grant

Wages may reduce your SNAP benefit

Second parent must meet TANF program requirement hours

Only one parent in a two parent household can be enrolled in Wage Subsidy at any time

You may only participate in one program (Career Link or Wage Subsidy) during your lifetime TANF limit

Clerical support employees do not receive monthly transportation support services

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____ Resume
 ____ I-9 Documentation (see list below)
 ____ School Schedule, if applicable

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 ____ Proof of education (8th grade or above)
 ____ I-9 Documentation (see list below)

LISTS OF ACCEPTABLE DOCUMENTS
All documents must be UNEXPIRED

Employees may present one selection from List A
 or a combination of one selection from List B and one selection from List C.

LIST A Documents that Establish Both Identity and Employment Authorization	OR	LIST B Documents that Establish Identity	AND	LIST C Documents that Establish Employment Authorization
1. U.S. Passport or U.S. Passport Card		1. Driver's license or ID card issued by a State or outlying possession of the United States provided it contains a photograph or information such as name, date of birth, gender, height, eye color, and address		1. A Social Security Account Number card, unless the card includes one of the following restrictions: (1) NOT VALID FOR EMPLOYMENT (2) VALID FOR WORK ONLY WITH INS AUTHORIZATION (3) VALID FOR WORK ONLY WITH DHS AUTHORIZATION
2. Permanent Resident Card or Alien Registration Receipt Card (Form I-551)		2. ID card issued by federal, state or local government agencies or entities, provided it contains a photograph or information such as name, date of birth, gender, height, eye color, and address		2. Certification of report of birth issued by the Department of State (Forms DS-1350, FS-545, FS-240)
3. Foreign passport that contains a temporary I-551 stamp or temporary I-551 printed notation on a machine-readable immigrant visa		3. School ID card with a photograph		3. Original or certified copy of birth certificate issued by a State, county, municipal authority, or territory of the United States bearing an official seal
4. Employment Authorization Document that contains a photograph (Form I-766)		4. Voter's registration card		4. Native American tribal document
5. For a nonimmigrant alien authorized to work for a specific employer because of his or her status: a. Foreign passport; and b. Form I-94 or Form I-94A that has the following: (1) The same name as the passport; and (2) An endorsement of the alien's nonimmigrant status as long as that period of endorsement has not yet expired and the proposed employment is not in conflict with any restrictions or limitations identified on the form.		5. U.S. Military card or draft record		5. U.S. Citizen ID Card (Form I-197)
		6. Military dependent's ID card		6. Identification Card for Use of Resident Citizen in the United States (Form I-179)
		7. U.S. Coast Guard Merchant Mariner Card		7. Employment authorization document issued by the Department of Homeland Security
		8. Native American tribal document		
		9. Driver's license issued by a Canadian government authority		
		For persons under age 18 who are unable to present a document listed above:		
		10. School record or report card		
		11. Clinic, doctor, or hospital record		
		12. Day-care or nursery school record		
6. Passport from the Federated States of Micronesia (FSM) or the Republic of the Marshall Islands (RMI) with Form I-94 or Form I-94A indicating nonimmigrant admission under the Compact of Free Association Between the United States and the FSM or RMI				

Examples of many of these documents appear in Part 13 of the Handbook for Employers (M-274).