Never give up.

As a former cook in the Marines, Chef London brought his precision and dedication into a successful civilian culinary career. However, the tough economy left him unemployed and unable to stand out in the competitive job market. With the help of the Veterans Employment Program, a local youth center was able to see the skills they were looking for in Chef London. He now manages a program that teaches kids how to make healthy meals with fresh, locally-grown ingredients.
ABOUT OUR PROGRAM

The Veterans Employment Program (VEP) was created by Catholic Charities with the goal of helping our brave veterans find employment. We work with all types of companies to help meet their employment needs.

The veterans who join our program are motivated individuals either looking to pick up where they left off in their previous careers, or to find new opportunities where they can apply their wide variety of skills.

Our staff works not only to help them find jobs, but to help them retain their jobs and remain stable and efficient employees. 80% of the veterans we help remain at their job well past 90 days.

WHY HIRE VETERANS?

When you hire a veteran, you are hiring someone who shows leadership, discipline, dedication, responsibility, and a strong work ethic. During their service, these brave men and women learn firsthand how to be dependable and versatile.

HOW CAN YOU BENEFIT FROM OUR PROGRAM?

For local businesses, the Veterans Employment Program is a helpful resource. We work with veterans with a wide variety of skills and experiences.

Finding the right person to fill your employment needs can be difficult. The Veterans Employment Program screens qualified candidates for you free of charge.

For more information on how we can assist with your recruitment needs, please call our job readiness counselor at: (773) 808-2952.

ARE YOU A VETERAN INTERESTED IN OUR PROGRAM?

If you are a veteran looking for assistance in your job search, please call our job retention specialist at: (773) 808-2953.

SERVICES

Our program provides veterans with access to many useful employment resources such as:

- Job Readiness
- Job Motivation
- Resumé Writing
- Mock Interview
- Job Placement
- Job Retention

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