MRS Paid Work Experience Program

What is it?

This is a trial work program designed to allow Michigan Rehabilitation Service customers to explore community work skills and gain valuable work experience. MRS partners with various Employer of Record companies that provide wages and liability coverage while working.

Why is it important...

A paid work experience provides MRS customers with real-world experiences that help them make better decisions about their future, leading to positive employment and improved lifelong earnings. The program empowers MRS customers to see the possibility of working after acquiring or having a disability.

How it benefits the business...

- Provides extra support for daily workflow and business-related needs
- Allows employers a direct, no-obligation line of recruitment

What are employers asked to do?

- Identify positions for customers to participate 4-8 hours, 3-5 days per week
- Share your time and experience to help people understand work roles
- Provide instruction and feedback
- Interview customers
- Provide feedback via an evaluation
- Report hours

What MRS provides...

- Employability skills-based instruction
- Work-experience agreements
- Job coaching, if necessary, on the job
- Assist with reasonable accommodation, if needed for the customer
- Appropriate screening of a customer for a position identified as an opportunity at the business

Contact us to get started

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