

**Columbus City Schools  
Adult and Community Education  
Annual Report for FY 2020**

***ADULT WORKFORCE EDUCATION***

Received accreditation approval from the Council on Occupational Education (COE) through 2020 and achieved the completion, placement, and licensure benchmarks for the Practical Nurse (PN) Program

Conducted the COE Self-Study in preparation for the reaffirmation of accreditation in 2020

Administered the PN admissions assessment (HESI) to 136 individuals

Processed the awarding of Pell Grants for Adult Workforce Education students, in the amount of \$408,774

Disbursed \$771,836 in Federal Direct Loan Program funds

Received a 90.91% pass rate on the National Council Licensure Examination for Practical Nurses for 2019

Received notification from the Ohio Board of Nursing that all requirements of Chapter 4723-5 of the Ohio Administrative Code were met and maintained by the Columbus School of Practical Nursing

Served 160 and graduated 64 students in the Practical Nurse Program

Achieved the Ohio Department of Higher Education – Ohio Technical Center Performance Target with a 90.79% Placement Rate for Program Completers

Facilitated a Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation class for 17 future students

Submitted all Adult Workforce Education course information to the Ohio Department of Higher Education which generated \$326,972

Received a Center for Training Excellence Grant, in the amount of \$65,217, to develop custom/contract/business services

Received Carl D. Perkins funding, in the amount of \$133,386, to support Career-Technical and Adult Education

Prepared the Comprehensive Local Needs Assessment in order to receive funding from the federal Strengthening Career and Technical Education for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Act (Perkins V)

Served 235 students in our ed2go on-line courses (47% increase)

Received funding, in the amount of \$500,000, from the Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security (CARES) Act to provide direct emergency grants to CCS-ACE and distributed \$190,000 to Practical Nurse students whose lives have been disrupted by COVID-19

Received funding, in the amount of \$30,168, from the Ohio Department of Higher Education through the CARES Act to cover expenses that are necessary expenditures incurred due to the public health emergency with respect to the Coronavirus Disease 2019

Shifted from a traditional to a hybrid delivery of instruction, which included distance learning, in four days to help ensure timely program completion

Received tuition support (up to \$17,500 per student) from the Workforce Development Board of Central Ohio - Accelerate Career Success program for seven Practical Nurse students

Provided State Tested Nurse Aide training for seven students from the PAST Foundation who were able to obtain employment with the Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center

### ***ADULT DIPLOMA PROGRAM***

Enrolled 12 students in the Adult Diploma Program (ADP)

Awarded an Ohio-issued High School Diploma to 10 graduates who also earned an industry credential

Received funding, in the amount of \$36,300, from the Ohio Department of Education

Processed the awarding of thirty-five (35) diplomas for completion of the Ohio 22+ Adult High School Diploma Program

## ***ASPIRE***

Received approval for the FY 2021 Aspire Grant Applications (Ohio Adult Workforce Readiness Education - \$1,132,450 & Integrated English Literacy and Civics Education/Integrated Education and Training - \$50,000)

Issued 246 General Educational Development (GED) test vouchers, which equal a \$19,680 savings to GED test takers

Enabled 27 individuals to acquire their GED

Registered 410 Aspire students in Distance Education classes

Enrolled 1,623 individuals in the Aspire Program which included 1,211 students who received twelve or more hours of instruction (401 - Adult Basic Education/Adult Secondary Education and 810 - English for Speakers of Other Languages)

Enrolled 64 English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL) students in the on-line language classes offered through Burlington English

Provided Ohio Graduation Test preparation classes, including four evening testing sessions, and tutoring for 29 Columbus City Schools students which resulted in the awarding of 3 high school diplomas

Facilitated the process for 32 Aspire students to acquire their high school diploma as a result of Ohio Department of Education guidance in meeting graduation requirements in light of coronavirus-related school-building closures through a waiver of Ohio Graduation Test requirements

Customized Aspire-ESOL training services on-site at Nationwide Children's Hospital for 49 employees

## ***MAJOR COMMUNITY/AGENCY CUSTOMERS***

Air Force One  
Canal Winchester Rehabilitation Center  
City of Columbus  
Columbus Metropolitan Library  
Columbus State Community College  
Columbus Works  
Corrections Medical Center  
County Departments of Job and Family Services  
Echo Manor Extended Care Center  
Fortuity  
Godman Guild  
Goodwill Columbus  
HandsOn Central Ohio  
Majestic Care of Columbus  
Mayfair Village Nursing Care Center  
Mid-Ohio Foodbank  
Nationwide Children's Hospital  
Ohio Board of Nursing  
Ohio Department of Education  
Ohio Department of Health  
Ohio Department of Higher Education  
Ohio Department of Rehabilitation & Correction  
Ohio Means Jobs  
Ohio Living Westminister-Thurber  
Ohio State University Child Care Program  
Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center  
PAST Foundation  
Scioto Pointe  
Star House  
VANTAGE Aging

## ***OTHER***

### *Participated in professional development conferences/meetings –*

Aspire

Center on Education and Training for Employment (CETE) at OSU

Council on Occupational Education

Columbus City Schools

Ohio Association for Career and Technical Education

Ohio Board of Nursing

Ohio Department of Rehabilitation & Correction

Ohio Organization of Practical Nurse Educators

Ohio Talent Development Network

Postsecondary Adult Career Education

### *Participated in marketing events and activities –*

American Red Cross

Avondale Elementary School

Berwick Alternative

Briggs High School

Columbus Metropolitan Library

District High and Middle School Choice Fairs

Dominion Middle School

East High School

Fort Hayes Metropolitan Education Center

Homeless Families Foundation

Marion-Franklin High School

Mifflin High School

Nationwide Children's Hospital

St. Stephen's Community House

Walnut Ridge High School

Wedgewood Middle School