



## **PY25 Supplemental Grant**

**Grant Period:** July 1, 2025 – June 30, 2026

**Grant Amount:** \$232,774

**Funding Streams:** \$117,322 (Youth), \$115,453 (Adult)

**Strategic Imperative Supported:** Strategic commitment to workforce equity, inclusion, and innovation.

**Project Purpose:** Advance equity-driven WIOA strategies to enhance access, support youth pathways, and reduce employment barriers for priority populations in Lake County.

Lake County Workforce Development received \$232,774 through the PY25 Supplemental Grant from the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity (DCEO). This grant supports implementation of strategies outlined in Illinois' WIOA Unified State Plan to address barriers and improve employment outcomes for underserved communities.

### **Planned initiatives include:**

- Targeted outreach and recruitment of youth with barriers to employment
- Development of cross-agency partnerships to deliver integrated services