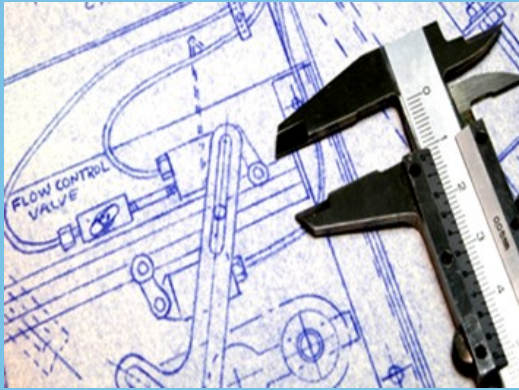


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**A Regional Employer Partnership for the Advanced Manufacturing Sector**  
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**RECEIVE UP TO A 65% COST REIMBURSEMENT FOR**  
**TRAINING YOUR EXISTING WORKFORCE**

*Industry Partnerships help businesses and industry preserve their competitive edge with a highly educated and skilled workforce. If you are interested in upgrading your employees' skills, the Southwest Corner Workforce Development Board has opportunities and the financial resources to help train your workers. We invite your company to inquire about and/or apply for eligible incumbent worker training funding.*

**Effective Industry Partnerships can accomplish the following:**

- ◆ Identify the training needs of businesses, including skill gaps critical to competitiveness and innovation;
- ◆ Facilitate companies to come together to aggregate training and education needs and achieve economies of scale;
- ◆ Help educational and training institutions align curriculum and programs to industry demand;
- ◆ Identify barriers to entry level employment and strategies to remediate those barriers;
- ◆ Develop new career lattices within companies, enabling entry-level workers to improve skills to advance into higher skill, higher wage jobs;
- ◆ Develop new industry credentials that give employers confidence in the skills of new hires

Contact the Southwest Corner Workforce Development Board for more information on Industry Partnerships by calling or emailing Ami Gatts at: 724-229-5083 or [agatts@washingtongreene.org](mailto:agatts@washingtongreene.org) or John Tkach at: 412-849-5204 or [jtkach@kdpworks.org](mailto:jtkach@kdpworks.org)

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