

HYPE - 2019 Program Report



In 2019, the Helping Youth Prepare for Employment (HYPE), a Youth Employment Network, was formally established through collaboration of community partners including the City of Wichita, the Greater Wichita YMCA, Wichita Public Schools and the Workforce Alliance of South Central Kansas. These partners are joining forces to leverage resources and align services to achieve significant community impact. Data was collected by Wichita State University's Public Policy and Management Center to produce the 2019 Program Report.



3,252
Young Adults Served



1,210
Jobs Reported



45%
Increase in Participation from 2018



221
Employers Engaged



800
New Participants



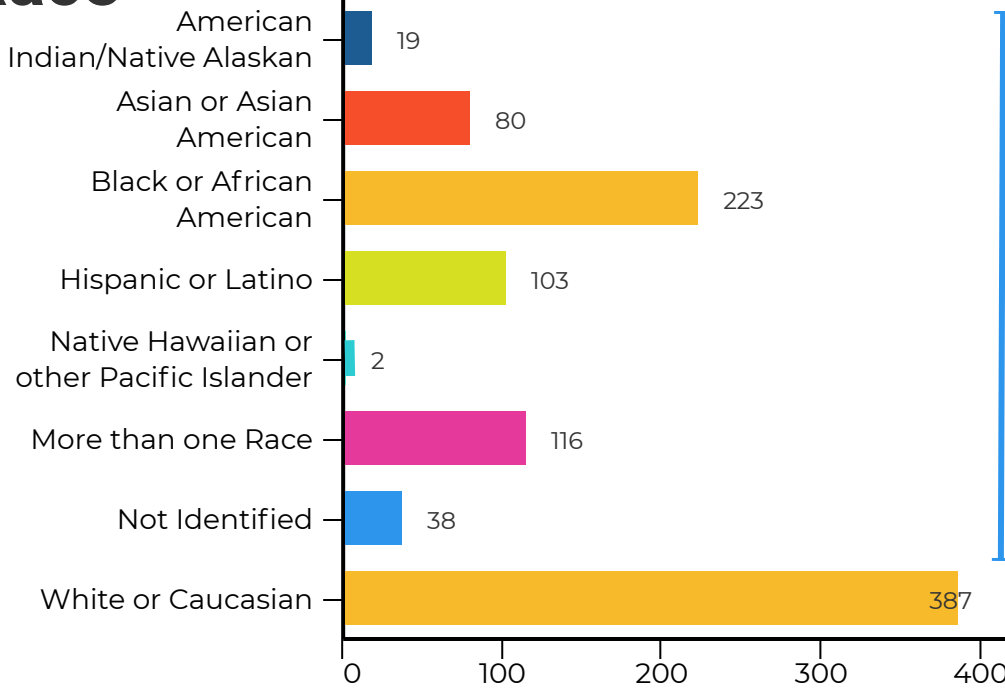
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Job Fairs attended by
133 employers



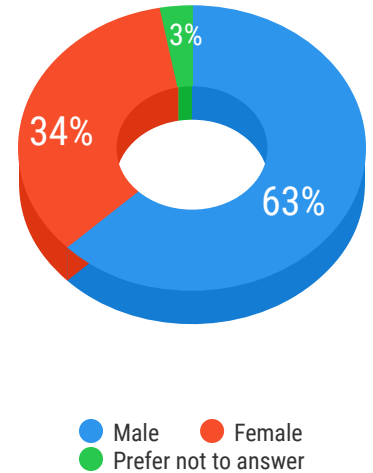
\$1,403,600 > wages paid

Young Adult Demographics | 968 participants

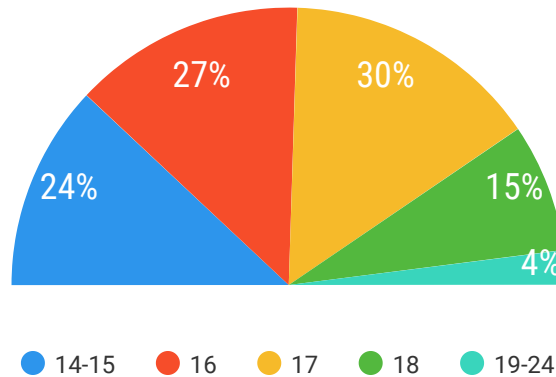
Race



Gender



Age



Education



94%
Attending School

High Schools

28

School Districts

15

GED Programs

5

College or Technical Schools

13

233 Participants reported receiving Free or Reduced lunches

336 Participants reported no work history