

What is SOCP?

The State Operated Community Program is a DHS program operating group homes for people with disabilities throughout the Willamette Valley and Yamhill County. SOCP Vocational/Day Services offer vocational and related services to adults residing in the group homes. Our individuals are available for employment and our support staff provide technical and community supports, while they are on the job.

How the program works

SOCP works with employers to identify their needs and negotiate the work, the schedule and rate of pay. We create jobs that will benefit businesses and utilize the talents and interests of the individuals we support. This will help:

- Save money for employers;
- Complete work faster;
- Increase profits;
- Improve work flow;
- Lighten employees' workloads.

How does SOCP operate?

The State Operated Community Program provides supported employment to help the individuals we serve hold competitive jobs in the community and provide needed supports to maintain their employment. Our support staff members are trained to guide individualized needs to ensure successful employment placements. Support staff help individuals identify their vocational preferences, skills, interests, abilities and find suitable employment. Once employed, support staff provides problem-solving assistance and supports needed to help individuals continue working and become productive members of their communities.



The program strengths

- A paid support staff member, who is covered under our insurance, will always accompany the individual.
- Once our vocational coordinator is trained on job duties, he or she will be responsible for training and updating the individual and his or her support staff.
- We will negotiate flexible work hours anywhere from one to eight hours per day to meet employers' needs.
- Transportation is available to support our individuals' employment.
- In some cases our workers qualify for programs that subsidize training and/or allow employers to receive a tax break.



Jobs SOCP can provide

- Painting
- Pet care
- Janitorial
- Stocking shelves
- Delivery
- Landscaping
- Litter patrol
- Stuffing envelopes
- Hostess/host/greeter
- Courtesy clerk
- Office receptionist
- Shredding
- Warehouse worker
- Mill worker
- Housekeeping
- Recycling
- Car wash/detail
- Dishwasher
- Courier
- Hospitals (tray delivery, dishwasher, etc.)



Our mission ...

The State Operated Community Program (SOCP) is dedicated to providing the support necessary to maintain the quality of life, achieve the highest possible level of independence and promote social opportunities that benefit the individual and the community.

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