

Community Sector Council Newfoundland and Labrador







AMPLIFY 2020

The Community Sector Council of Newfoundland and Labrador, in partnership with the Government of Newfoundland and Labrador, Department of Advanced Education, Skills and Labour, delivered a summer employment and career and personal development project for youth across the province, exceeding goals for participation during a challenging pandemic.

DEEP REACH 149 YOUTH CAME FROM 70 COMMUNITIES

69% of all AMPLIFY participants came from communities of less than 5,000 people!



- **Community Population**
- Under 500
- Between 500 999
- Between 1,000 4,999
 Between 5,000 9,999
- Over 10,000





"During COVID, everything is more challenging. Our AMPLIFY youth took the lead in creating and hosting a virtual summer camp program. We have had so much positive feedback regarding the virtual program. To our organization and the community, this is a success story."

- Host Organization, 2020

HOST ORGANIZATIONS PROVIDED TRAINING

VIRTUAL FACILITATED

Stress management, time management, banking basics, spending plans, mapping out your health (physical and mental) Resume writing, interview skills, labour market information, first aid, mental health, cultural diversity, finanical literacy, violence prevention

TELEPHONE SESSIONS

Employer expectations, workplace manners, telephone skills

WEBINAR

Volunteering - benefits and building skills, DELIVER - confidence building

ONLINE LEARNING

Customer service preparedness, entrepreneurship and COVID-19 safety



PERSONAL GROWTH

AMPLIFY integrates on-the-job experience with personal development, practical skills, encouragement and inspiration.



AMPLIFY MOMENTS

Working, Learning, Growing



"I liked getting to be involved with my community and make the best of COVID-19 restrictions to have fun activities for everyone." Youth Participant Feedback, AMPLIFY 2020





WHAT EMPLOYERS TOLD US

"The youth became a member of our team. She came to work ready to do her job and was a great team player. Once her placement was over, we decided to offer her a position working with our company—and she accepted! The experience was definitely worthwhile and exposed her to a lot of learning opportunities!"

"It was great getting to know the youth and seeing them learn! They were responsible and took the work seriously."

WHAT YOUTH TOLD US

"The best part of my summer job was being involved in my local community more. I'm an introvert by nature so it was a new experience."

"My coworkers were so respectful and helpful. It made starting a new job a lot less stressful."

"I have always loved cooking and my job helped me learn new skills and how simple good food really is."

"My AMPLIFY job was amazing!"

"Thank you for finding creative ways to [engage youth] during the pandemic! This summer has been very different for everyone."





"AMPLIFY BENEFITS A YOUNG PERSON'S LIFE AND MAY BE THE CATALYST TO CHANGE IT." HOST FEEDBACK, AMPLIFY 2020



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Accelerating Change

