



# Tableland Services, Inc.

Helping People Changing Lives

## Senior Community Service Employment Program (SCSEP)

### What is Senior Community Service Employment Program (SCSEP)?

The mission is to provide job training and placement for people with limited financial resources who are age 55 or older, and to provide employers with trained, motivated workers. An equal opportunity employer/program.

### I'm looking for work. How can SCSEP help me?

When you become a SCSEP trainee, you'll receive personalized help in meeting your employment goals. Goals could include learning a new skill, such as working with computers. Perhaps it has been many years since you were in the workforce and you need help easing back into the working world. Or maybe you just need help being placed in a job. If your situation matches any of the ones described above, or if you're just looking for a fresh start, SCSEP can help.

### Where do participants train?

After receiving orientation, SCSEP trainee are first placed in part-time job training with a non-profit agency, such as libraries, community centers, and social service organizations. SCSEP pays \$5.15 per hour during the job training which is normally 20 to 25 hours per week. This provides the trainee with skill development and an opportunity to re-enter the workforce.

Some trainees are hired by the public agency they worked for. The ultimate goal is to achieve your employment goals.

### SCSEP Eligibility Guidelines

Eligibility is based on age, residency, and income guidelines established by the U.S. Department of Labor.

- ◆ You must be age 55 or older
- ◆ You must be a Somerset County resident
- ◆ You must have an income of less than 125% of poverty level

Family Size	Poverty Guideline	125 percent of the Poverty Guideline
1	\$ 9,800.00	\$12,250.00
2	\$13,200.00	\$16,500.00
3	\$16,600.00	\$20,750.00
4	\$20,000.00	\$25,000.00
5	\$23,400.00	\$29,250.00
6	\$26,800.00	\$33,500.00
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### **Why SCSEP?**

For nearly 40 years, SCSEP has helped millions of Americans find jobs in community service and the private sector. Each year, more than 100,000 participants receive job training and over 20,000 are placed with employers through 69 grantees, including 13 national non-profit organizations and 56 units of state and territorial governments.

### **For Further Information:**

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