



#JOBS

ACYI Post-Secondary Success Collaborative Action Network

By 2020, 65% of jobs in the nation will require credentials past high school.



OUR GOAL: Increase post-secondary enrollment and completion of youth in Adams County through the collective efforts of cross sector partners focused on eliminating barriers and investing in what works.

WHY FOCUS ON POST-SECONDARY SUCCESS? With the overarching goal of ensuring that our children and youth become productive, contributing members of the workforce, ACYI is focused on increasing student achievement and the safety and well-being of children and youth in our community. To support this effort, ACYI has identified critical points along the cradle to career pipeline which will impact that goal. "Post-secondary" includes skill certification, trade programs, apprenticeships along with traditional college degrees. We are intent on supporting youth along ANY path that leads to quality employment opportunities.

Post-secondary enrollment and completion has become synonymous with preparedness for the workforce. Take for instance the following...

Post-secondary enrollment marks a critical transition in the cradle-to-career pipeline*.

Students, particularly those of color and in low-income households, are less likely to pursue education beyond high school*.

Increasing the educational attainment of one generation improves the next generation's academic and social outcomes.

Being employed within a year of graduation is crucial for achieving self-sufficiency.

Workers with at least a bachelor's degree earn more than do individuals with only a high school diploma.

College attainment also is linked to improved health and social outcomes.

Society benefits from a more educated population, including lower rates of criminal behavior and more community involvement.

*For data source info visit: ACYI.org/CAN/Post-SecondarySuccess.



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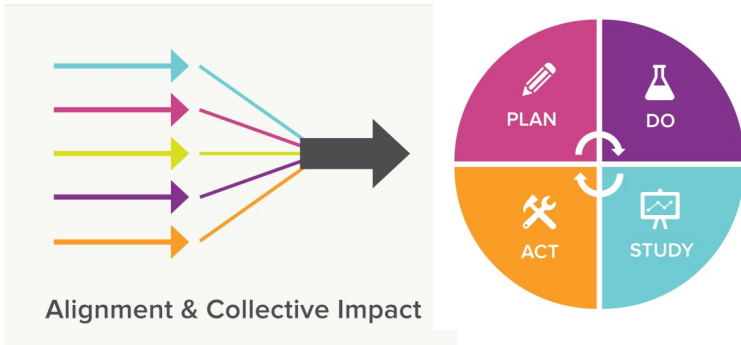
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HOW? The Post-Secondary Success Collaborative Action Network (CAN) functions as a collective impact mechanism that brings practitioners and partner organizations together to provide cross-sector coordination of efforts in areas that impact 8th grade math performance.



COMMITMENT It is our intent that CAN members have a sense of shared ownership over improvement in the Cradle to Career Outcome area they have aligned to and eventually will be tasked to set targets for The Partnership in moving the needle in post secondary success of our youth.

TOGETHER WE WILL...

- ✓ Focus on county wide and disaggregated data
- ✓ Work to understand barriers
- ✓ Engage youth in our work
- ✓ Focus on equity
- ✓ Set goals and work on projects
- ✓ Receive technical assistance and support to help accomplish goals
- ✓ Seek resources to support efforts
- ✓ Determine what works and scale those efforts

- Commit to attending and actively participating in monthly CAN Sessions
- Openly share information and best practices
- Agree to mutual accountability
- Agree to using data to inform work
- Implement CAN action steps as part of current work
- Adopt or adapt practices identified by the continuous improvement practice
- Share 'Stories of Impact'

WHO? Cross-sector practitioners and individuals who are interested in organizing around 8th grade math and collaborating to increase the success of our youth are invited to join this group.



- Educators
- Non Profit
- Business
- Law Enforcement
- Judicial
- Public Sector
- Volunteers



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HOW TO GET INVOLVED? Contact us to learn more about joining the ACYI Post-Secondary Success Collaborative Action Network.

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