



Benefits of Registered Apprenticeship for Organizations/Employers:

- Apprentices Earn While They Learn
- Increased Employee Retention
- New Skill Acquisition in Trades

Maricopa County invites your organization to participate in the Apprenticeship Program. Staff from the Human Services Department are available to walk you through every step of becoming registered with Maricopa County to offer apprenticeships!

1. CONNECT WITH ARIZONA@WORK MARICOPA COUNTY

Contact HSDBusinessServices@maricopa.gov to connect with one of Maricopa County's Business Services Representatives who can meet with you to get you started. They'll be happy to answer any questions you may have about the process.

2. REGISTER YOUR APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM

- Apprenticeships are registered by occupation. There are currently more than 1,000 occupations eligible for apprenticeships. Consult the list of eligible occupations available at <https://www.apprenticeship.gov/apprenticeship-occupations> to identify which occupation(s) align with your organization's opportunities.
- Identify a subject matter expert within your organization who can teach the trade (not a skill) identified as an apprenticeship opportunity.
- Work with Maricopa County's East or West Valley representative to set up a meeting with your organization and the State Apprenticeship Office. They will guide your organization through the final steps for registration.

Once approved as a State Registered Apprentice Program, your organization will automatically be placed on the statewide Eligible Training Provider List which allows your opportunity to be recommended by participating agencies, such as ARIZONA@WORK Maricopa County, that will work to match prospective applicants to your organization's apprenticeship opportunity. Ask our representatives how your organization and apprentices may be eligible* to receive funding from ARIZONA@WORK Maricopa County to facilitate the apprenticeship.

For more information, contact HSDBusinessServices@maricopa.gov.

*Eligibility for funding requires organizational registration on the State's Eligible Training Provider List and a Vendor Account with Maricopa County.