



RETAINWORKS 2026 ECHO:

A Health Navigation Model for
Supporting Employment

Thursdays, March 5 - April 30 | Noon - 1 PM CST

**RETAIN
WORKS** | Retaining
Employment
and Talent After
Injury/Illness
Network





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Resources Available from Kansas Workforce Centers

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LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- Explain the workforce system.
- Identify services provided by workforce centers
- Discuss the referral process to workforce agencies

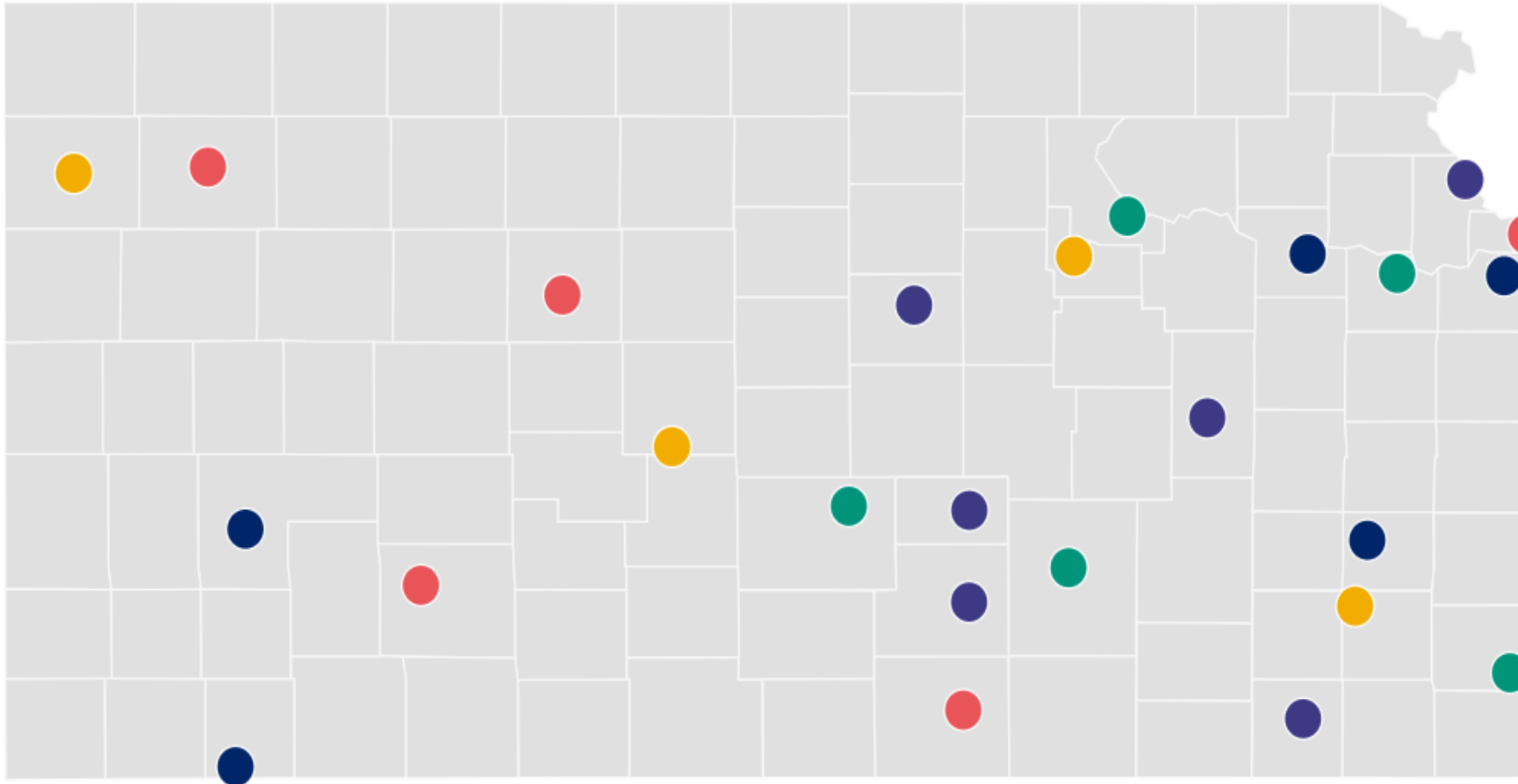
**We want to hear
from *you*!**

*Please take a moment to
respond to the poll*



KANSASWORKS

- Statewide workforce network serving job seekers and employer
- Funded by the US Department of Labor, Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA)
- 25 physical Workforce Centers statewide + 2 Mobile Centers

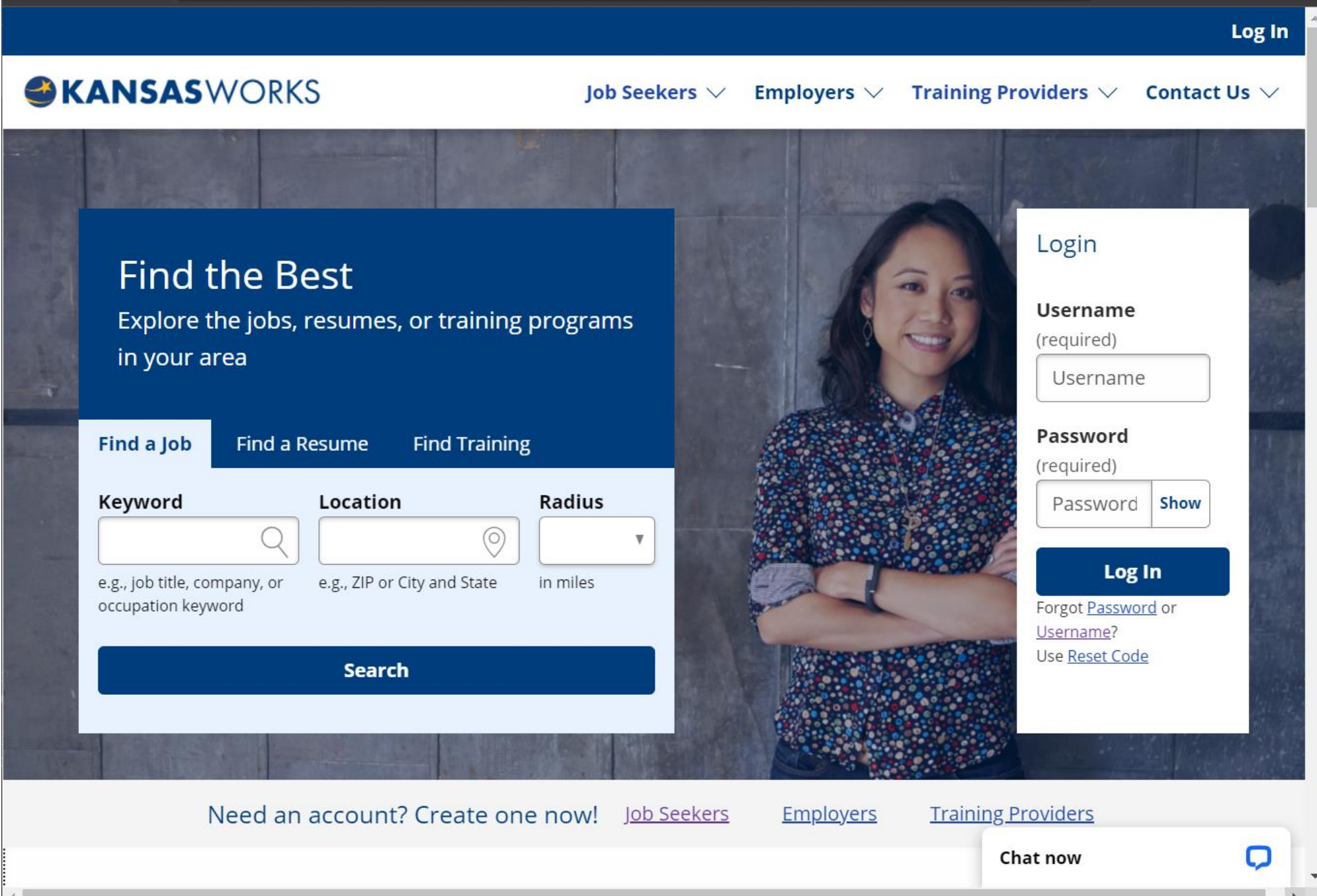


- Online Job Board for State of Kansas
- Connects job seekers to employers
- Access to:
 - Job Searching/Job Posting
 - Training Resources
 - Labor Market Information
 - Disability Resources
 - EEOC Compliance

System Info

Active Jobs
37,783

Active Resumes
11,952



The screenshot shows the KansasWorks website. At the top is a dark blue header with the KansasWorks logo and navigation links: Job Seekers, Employers, Training Providers, and Contact Us. A 'Log In' link is in the top right corner. The main content area features a large blue box with the text 'Find the Best' and 'Explore the jobs, resumes, or training programs in your area'. Below this are three tabs: 'Find a Job', 'Find a Resume', and 'Find Training'. Under 'Find a Job', there are three input fields: 'Keyword' (with a search icon), 'Location' (with a location pin icon), and 'Radius' (a dropdown menu). Below these fields is a 'Search' button. To the right of the search area is a 'Login' form with fields for 'Username (required)' and 'Password (required)', a 'Show' button for the password, and a 'Log In' button. Below the login form are links for 'Forgot Password or Username?' and 'Use Reset Code'. At the bottom of the page, there is a footer with the text 'Need an account? Create one now!' and links for 'Job Seekers', 'Employers', and 'Training Providers'. A 'Chat now' button is in the bottom right corner.



Job Seekers

Explore Jobs

Use filters to find your dream job and save your search or apply right away.

Create Resumes

Upload your resume or make a new one from scratch with our resume wizard.

Find Education & Training

Discover state- or federally funded training programs to enter a new career.

Create an account; it's free.



Employers

Post Jobs

Attract employees by posting detailed information about open positions.

Find Talent

Use the resume search to connect with qualified candidates.

Promote Your Company

Create a detailed profile to attract future employees with your company culture.

Get started; it's free.



Training Providers

Create an Account

Get approved to become one of the following:

- WIOA eligible training provider
- Registered Apprenticeship Sponsor
- Youth training provider

Add Programs & Performance Data

Keep your account updated with program and course info and student data.

Register today; it's free.



Introducing the **KANSASWORKS App**

Job searching in Kansas made easy! Available today
on both Apple and Android devices.



SERVICES PROVIDED AT WORKFORCE CENTERS – JOB SEEKERS

- **Career & Job Search Services**
 - Job listings & matching through **KANSASWORKS.com**
 - Resume creation and review
 - Interview skills and job preparation workshops
 - Labor market information
 - Job fairs
- **Training & Skills Development**
 - Access to occupational training programs
 - Registered Apprenticeships (earn while you learn)
 - On-the-Job Training programs
 - Digital skills and career pathways
- **Specialized Programs - Targeted Support**
 - Veteran services
 - Disability services and workplace accommodations
 - Senior employment and re-employment services
 - Ticket to Work programs

- **Case Management and Other Assistance**
 - Individualized employment plans
 - Career assessments and
 - Supportive services for barrier remediation
 - childcare, transportation, etc.



SERVICES PROVIDED AT WORKFORCE CENTERS – EMPLOYERS

- **Recruitment and Hiring**
 - Job postings on KANSASWORKS.com
 - Host or coordinate job fairs
 - Centralized location to accept applications
 - Applicant screening
 - Referral of qualified candidates
 - Skills assessments and testing
 - Professional interviewing facilities
 - Labor market information
 - EEOC Compliance
 - Social Media Promotion
- **Training**
 - On-the-Job Training
 - Incumbent Worker Training
 - Registered Apprenticeship
 - Coordination of training providers
 - Facilitation of training programs
 - Assistance accessing training funds
- **Business Closings or Layoffs**
 - Layoff Aversion Strategies
 - Rapid Response
- **Assistance Accessing Credits and Incentives**
 - Childcare Tax Credits
 - Federal Bonding
 - Registered Apprenticeships
 - Work Opportunity Tax
- **Work -Based Learning**
 - High School Internships

HOW TO ACCESS SERVICES

In Person

Visit your local Workforce Center



Online

KANSASWORKS.com

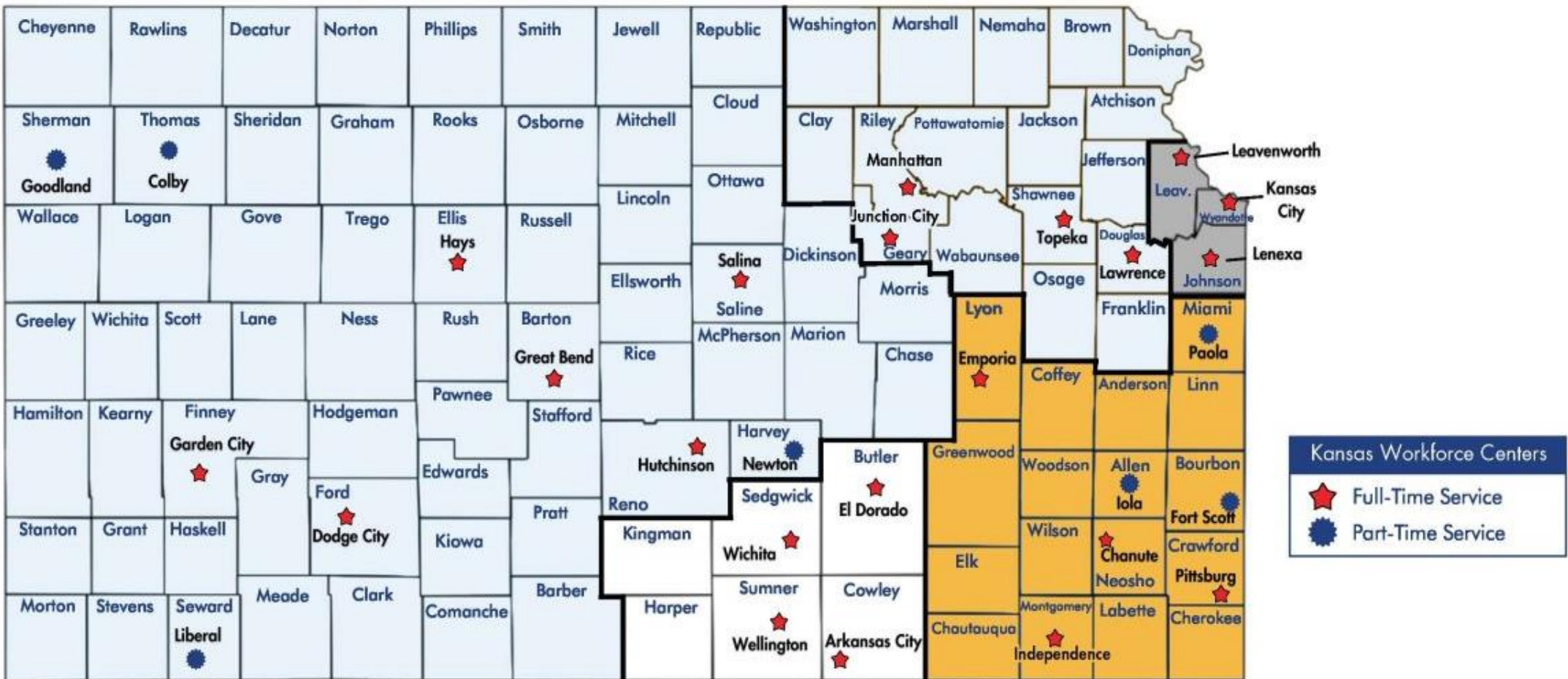


Telephone

877-509-6757



REFERRAL PROCESS



Kansas City Region

Wichita Region

Balance of State



workforcepartnership.com



workforce-ks.com



ksworkforceone.org



THANK YOU!