

LONG BEACH NEWS

# Pacific Gateways Training Partnership

Careers in the Healthcare Sector are some of the fastest-growing in our current job market.

Pacific Gateway Harbor Worksource Center, in partnership with Southern California Regional Occupational Center



CAAHEP-Accredited Medical Assisting Program



Registered Dental Assisting RDA

(SoCal ROC), has offered training opportunities for individuals interested in becoming Certified Medical Assistants and Registered Dental Assistants. As a requirement, students must complete 160 hours of unpaid externship and apply their skills at job sites in the LA county area as part of their training. Only trainees who complete the accredited courses and pass the State Board Exam are eligible to receive a certificate of competency from SoCal ROC. The trainees are expected to graduate in July 2021.

Harbor Worksource Center Career specialists will provide career counseling, employment guidance, workshops, interviewing techniques, and job search strategies to ensure the success of the trainees.

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# Relativity Space Recruits Pacific Gateway Connected Talent

Relativity Space is a private American Aerospace manufacturing company headquartered in Long Beach, California, founded in 2015 by Tim Ellis and Jordan Noone. Relativity is developing manufacturing technologies, launch vehicles, and rocket engines for commercial orbital launch services using state of the art 3D printing techniques, Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning.

Pacific Gateway held a special recruitment event in October for Relativity Space and was joined by Natalie Estrella from Talent



Relativity

Acquisition and Dr. Chris Dodson, Director of Propulsion. Natalie is Relativity Space's lead technical recruiter who has worked in the past with Virgin Hyperloop. Before joining Relativity Space, Dr. Dodson was an early employee at SpaceX, where he worked on testing their Draco engines and Cargo Dragon spacecraft propulsion systems.

The event was held virtually and was exceptionally well attended; Pacific Gateway has served an essential role in the transition of layoff impacted aerospace workers throughout Southern California and is working hard to retain talent in the local market.

LONG BEACH WORK OPPORTUNITIES

# Paid Work Experience

with Long Beach Tech-Logistics Company

Pacific Gateway is working with a fast-growing tech-logistics company in Long Beach to recruit participants that will fill various in-demand positions. Selected individuals will participate in approximately 250+ hours of paid work experience. The program's first phase is expected to begin in the coming week. The goal is to provide participants an opportunity to obtain hands-on work experience that will help them become more competitive in securing permanent employment.

Recruitments will be for the following 4 positions:

- Logistics Coordinator
- Shipment Specialist
- HR Specialist
- Account Coordinator

(Preference for parents with children in need of childcare which is offered free.)



To learn more about this program, visit:

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# Paid Work Experience

Eligible participants can receive an average of 500 hours of temporary work at approved work sites within the serving area.

Funding for these programs ends December 31, 2020 or until all funds are expended, whichever comes first.

To learn more about these opportunities call the Harbor Gateway WorkSource Center at

[\(310\) 732-5700](tel:(310)732-5700)

# COVID Programs

Currently, the Harbor Gateway WorkSource Center is offering two specifically designed programs serving residents of San Pedro, Wilmington Harbor City and Harbor Gateway. Both of the programs are for individuals whose jobs have been impacted (laid off or experienced a reduction in hours) by COVID-19.

## \$800 FOR RESIDENTS IN NEED

This program was developed to serve vulnerable populations including survivors of human trafficking and domestic violence, English Language Learners, Homeless, individuals seeking to re-enter the workforce, Veterans and Persons with Disabilities. Participants are eligible to receive up to \$800 in reimbursements which may include rental assistance, utility assistance or child care assistance based on their eligibility. We have funding for 15 participants.

To apply, visit:

[pacific-gateway.org/iaw](http://pacific-gateway.org/iaw)

# Safety and Disaster Service Worker Training

In order to mitigate the continued and extensive losses incurred by California businesses and communities from the current coronavirus pandemic (COVID-19), the State of California Employment Development Department (EDD) has announced the "COVID-19 National Dislocated Worker Grant" (NDWG)". Harbor WorkSource Center is one of the agencies responsible for recruiting, assessing, and enrolling eligible participants into temporary employment opportunities and support service, as well as ensure all eligible COVID19 NDWG participants receive safety training and disaster service worker training. In an effort to accomplish their goal, the Harbor WorkSource Center developed an online curriculum for Safety and Disaster Service Worker Training on the Metrix Learning Portal. During the 6 hour, self-paced training, individuals will learn the requirements and standards associated with OSHA and workplace safety. The course outlines the history and mission of the Occupational and Health Administration and its importance to workers.

To learn more about this free Safety and Disaster Service Worker Training please visit:

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# Virtual Services

Pacific Gateway offers a host of virtual opportunities that customers can take advantage of from home. Sign up for an online orientation or check out the many opportunities offered such as training, workshops, online courses, webinars and tips.

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