

Broome-Tioga Disability Services & Ticket-to-Work

- Helping workers obtain their dreams.
- Getting more persons involved in the workforce.
- Getting rid of myths involving SSI and SSD.
- Assisting beneficiaries with making good decisions regarding income and work levels.
- Universal Services & building capacity within system
- Providing proper referrals/building relationships with community services

Connections

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| ➤ Acces-VR | ➤ Comm. Treatment & Recovery Ctr./GBHC |
| ➤ Achieve | ➤ Family Enrichment Network |
| ➤ Assoc. for Vision Rehab & Employment (AVRE) | ➤ The Family & Children's Society |
| ➤ BT BOCES | ➤ Tioga County DSS |
| ➤ Broome County DSS | ➤ Tioga Opportunities |
| ➤ Broome Co. Mental Health | ➤ Mental Health Association of the So. Tier |
| ➤ Catholic Charities of Br. Co. | ➤ The Star Group, Inc. |
| ➤ NYS Comm. for the Blind | ➤ So. Tier Ind. Ctr. (STIC) |
| ➤ Community Options | |

Ticket-to-Work

- Training in SSD & SSI work incentives
- Certification as a Community Public Work Incentives Counselor via Virginia Commonwealth University
- Establishment of an Employment Network
- SSA provides payments to ENs providing services resulting from beneficiaries returning to work and meeting wage landmarks

New York Employment Services System (NYESS)

- Joined in 2012, part of OMH; Does interface with SSA
- Activities with beneficiaries tracked with OSOS
- Gets 20% of payments; remainder to agencies
- Supports DRC with additional funds
- Includes Achieve, and CTRC

Ticket payments/Increased services

- Training funds & programs (ITA's & OJT's)
- Bus Passes, clothing, other necessary expenses
- Assistive technology
- Rent, mileage, supplies, and personnel costs

PY17: 7/1/17 - 6/30/18

Total

Revenue	DRC	\$	84,150
	TTW	\$	129,577
	Total revenue	\$	<u>213,727</u>

Expenses:

Ins prem. chargeback 4602	\$	3
Office supplies - Biz. Cards, printing	\$	20
Mileage	\$	339
Staff training	\$	440
Advisory board (lunches etc.)	\$	519
Telecoms	\$	570
Overage	\$	620
Travel, hotel & meals	\$	1,531
Rent	\$	1,577
Services to participants	\$	4,759
On the Job Training	\$	9,254
ITAs and books	\$	12,418
Salaries & Fringes	\$	97,754
Total expenses	\$	<u>129,803</u>

Net revenue \$ 83,924



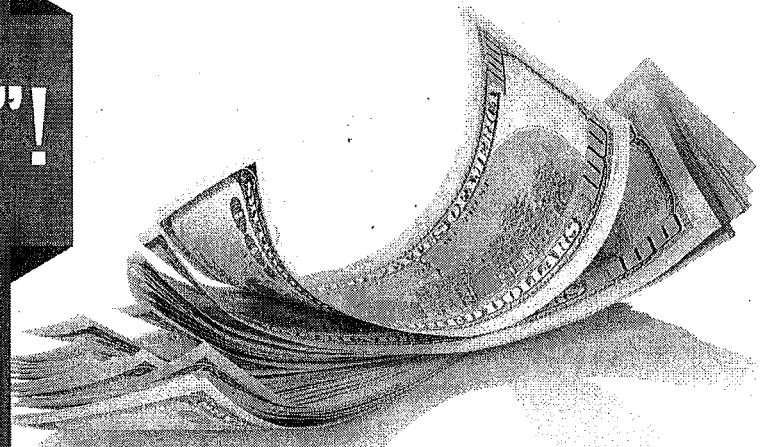
New York Employment Services System

OMH
OPWDD
OASAS
Commission for the Blind
ACCES VR
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Are You Collecting SSDI or SSI and want to work?

We have your "Ticket"!

Contact Randy Cook, trained in Social Security issues, at 607-778-6478, or at rcook@co.broome.ny.us.



Ask about Ticket-to-Work and how it can safeguard your benefits and increase your income.

NYESS is a partnership supported by the Employment First Commission in NYS working to ensure people with disabilities have meaningful opportunities to engage in work. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities.

For general information on how you can gain support in going to work, you go here: <https://nyess.ny.gov/customer-information.html>