

FSET

FoodShare Employment & Training Program



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UNLEASH YOUR POTENTIAL
You can do great things. We can help.



WHAT IS FSET?

FSET is the FoodShare Employment & Training Program.

This program helps people getting FoodShare benefits get the support, training and direction they need to get good jobs.

Your county **Human Services or Social Services departments determine the FoodShare benefits** you receive each month.

Forward Service Corporation works with the county and state to provide the training aspect of the program. We work together for your success!

“The FSC staff have made me feel more comfortable here and set up a work experience for me...

I was just hired on for a full time position!”



How can FSET help you?

FoodShare helps you get enough food to feed yourself and your family.

FSET is there to help you get a job, find a better job, or give you the support you need so you can get training to have a great career.

**WE HELPED
4,851 PEOPLE
FIND EMPLOYMENT**

IN 2014-2015

How does **FSET** work?

It Starts with Orientation

We will talk with you about what you can expect from us and what we expect from you.

This program is about turning your strengths, skills, and interests into a career. We'll spend time getting to know you and learning about your goals. We'll turn this into an Employability Plan that includes activities, training, education and work experience to get you the job you want.



What's next?

Orientation

Meet with our Employment Specialists to talk about your work history, needs, and goals for the future.

Enrollment

Work with your Employment Specialist to develop your Employability Plan and assign activities.

Support

You will get resources, local job information, and schedule a follow up appointment.

Ongoing

Meet regularly with your Employment Specialist and turn in your weekly activity logs.

Elements of FSET

The Employability Plan



The personalized Employability Plan (EP) you make with your Employment Specialist will determine your experience on FSET. Your EP will give you weekly guidance to meet your employment goals. It can include anything from finding childcare, to completing short-term training, or job searching.

Activity Logs

Each week, you will complete activity logs to help keep you on track toward your goals. Depending on your personalized EP, you may be asked to complete up to 80 hours per month of activities.

Supportive Services

Our services don't end with jobs. We may also assist you with:

- Child Care
- Transportation
- Personal hygiene products
- Professional clothing
- Other work-related expenses



How does FSET Work?



Families and ABAWD's (Able-bodied Adults Without Dependents) are determined to be eligible for FoodShare by the state. They receive a QUEST Card to purchase food.



A letter is sent to people receiving FoodShare asking them to attend an FSET orientation. FSET participation can meet the work requirement for ABAWDs.

Meet your Employment Specialist. They will help you learn about the program, and guide you along the way.



Develop a plan that determines your needs, activities to be completed, and how many hours per month you need to complete.

Complete your weekly work requirement with workshops, training, volunteer work, or job search.



Meet regularly with your Employment Specialist and turn in your activity logs.





“Not only did they help me find a job, they also helped me buy clothes I needed for work and housing.”

FSET Participant, 2015

You can do great things.

We know that you can accomplish great things; FSET gives you the opportunity to show that. You are in control of your journey, and we'll support you in any way you need. You decide where you want to go, and we'll cheer you on along the way.



We can help.

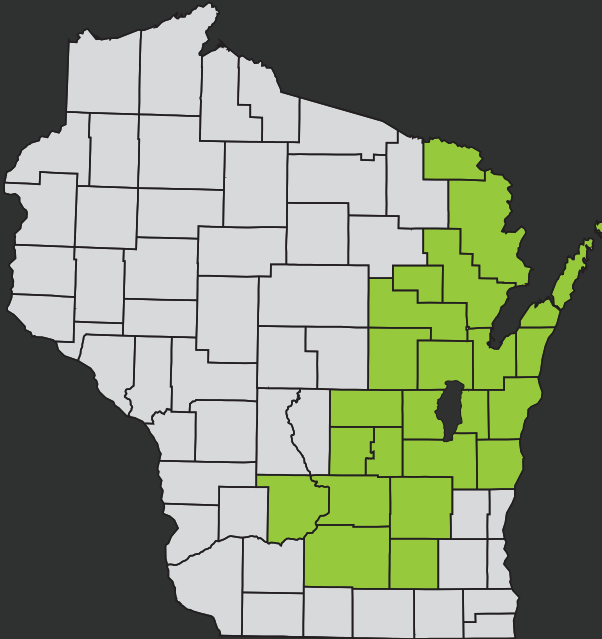
We see our services as a helping hand. We will be there every step of the way, from your first appointment, to getting a job, and everything in between.

Our work doesn't stop when you get a job - we will follow up with you 90 days afterward to check in and help you access extra resources if you need them.



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