## Three steps to attaining an entry level job through the KEE Program...

**STEP 1**: Visit our website keewinnipeg.com to take our "Is KEE the right fit for you" Quiz. If we are, please look on our website for latest intake procedures as things will likely change as we go through this COVID-19 Pandemic.

**STEP 2**: If you would like to sign up for the program, there will be an intake interview. If the interview goes well, we will do our best to help you attain an entry level job in Winnipeg.

**STEP 3:** Once accepted in the program, it's expected that you will follow-through with your custom action plan, workshop schedule and instructions in the KEE Guidebook. Be sure you keep in touch with KEE staff! If you require a mock interview or help with your resume, let them know.

Please note: Clients are in control of what they do with our services. Please be in contact until you attain employment so we can confidently act on your behalf to employers.



We are always looking for new employers to hire qualified clients. Feel free to forward our contact info to any employer requiring staff to work 26 hours per week or more. We match employers with staff free of charge to both clients and employers. Our goal is to build lasting relationships with employers so there's no pressure to hire candidates we send.





## **Knox Employment Entry (KEE) Program**

If you checked our website and offices are open for Info Sessions and/or workshops, we are at the north side of Portage Place, across from Central Park at the corner of Edmonton & Qu'appelle in the Knox Church. Please go through the main doors of 406 Edmonton Street. When inside, enter the doors on the left and let receptionist know that you have arrived. Please ensure you check online prior to coming down as offices may be closed temporarily due to the COVID 19 Pandemic.

24 HOUR INFO LINE **204/953-2453** 

In these uncertain times, things will likely change often so please visit **keewinnipeg.com** for the latest information on intake procedures, info sessions, updates and closures before coming to our offices. No drop-ins please.

All follow-up meetings with staff are by appointment only. Please arrive a few minutes early for scheduled appointments.

For comments, compliments or concerns, please contact our Program Director Lesley Harrison at 204/942-4579 or lharrison@knoxwinnipeg.ca

Having a tough time finding work?

Feel you need a key to get in that closed door?

We can help!



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The Knox Employment Entry (KEE) Program is a non-profit agency that assists clients in attaining **entry level employment** with a wide variety of employers in Winnipeg. We do our best to match the right person with the right employer at no charge for our services to the participant or employer.









Below are examples of the types of employment we help people attain. Note: Opportunities will vary based on employers' needs at any given time.

- Hotel (room attendants, front desk, etc.)
- Restaurants (servers, cooks, dishwashers, etc.)
- Sales Associates (retail & telesales)
- Cashiers
- Warehouse/Production/Assembly Workers
- Commercial Cleaners/Janitorial Staff
- Food Counter Personnel
- Bakers
- Drivers (delivery, long distance, shuttle)
- General Labourers

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Each client will have an employment coach to help identify any new skills you may need prior to gaining employment. Together you will develop an action plan which may include workshops at Knox about:

- How to do search and apply for a job to obtain maximum results
- Interview skills
- Employer & customer expectations
- Customer service
- Job descriptions and duties
- Teamwork
- Work ethic & staying employed
- Moving up within the company
- Stress Management
- Employee Rights
- Taking initiative and more!

## Do you need a Food Handlers or Smart Choices Certificate for a job? We can pay for it! \*

\* Check out our website or speak to KEE staff for details & conditions that apply.

## Are we the right program for you?

- · KEE is unique because we actually help place people in jobs! This means that we are limited by what is currently available and the work requirements of our different employers. For example, if the job requires heavy lifting, we can only send people who are physically able to do that sort of work. Or, if a job has various shifts, we can only match clients who have flexible schedules.
- · Health is important. If we assess that we are not the right program to help, we will refer you to another program that may be a better fit.
- · We do our best to find employers that will hire people with criminal records; however, the vast amount of employers we work with require clients to have a clean record (depending on current openings, exceptions may be made for old DUI, possession or domestic charges).
- · Clients have to be reliable, in touch & follow action plans in order to obtain an interview, placement or job reference through us.
- · Clients need to be able to clearly communicate with employers, co-workers and customers in writing, over the phone and in person.
- $\cdot\,$  If you have children, you will need to have reliable child care in place.
- · You must be ready to start work quickly and be able to work 30 hours per week or more.
- $\cdot$  We must be able to reach you easily by phone and/or email for opportunities and updates.

Take our self-assessment quiz on keewinnipeg.com/quiz