The WorkHawaii Youth Program partners with Hawaii businesses and non-profits across Oahu to provide youth and young adults, ages 16-24 years, with work experience opportunities.

- Currently, there are over 200 participants and each person works with a case manager to develop a career plan that helps them achieve their educational and employment goals.


- In May 2019, the inaugural “WorkHawaii Youth Council” was formed and Council provides additional peer support, leadership development, team building, and conduct community service projects throughout the year.

The WorkHawaii Youth Program directly develops skills of youth and young adults. Our goals are:

- To eliminate or minimize barriers so young people can enter the workforce;

- To support young people to complete high school, enter college or advanced occupational training or secure employment;

- To decrease young people’s further involvement in the juvenile or adult justice system.