



Dual Career Partner & Relocation Support Network

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"Making the Greater Manhattan area a Global Hub of Talent, Innovation and Opportunity."

Recruiting top talent can be difficult given the challenges with relocating dual career partners and families.

The Dual Career Partner and Relocation Support benefits local employers by providing a single point-of-contact for new hires to assist with their transition when relocating to the Manhattan area. By offering career, practical and social support, this comprehensive program reduces the time and costs involved when hiring out-of-the-area candidates and improves employee retention and productivity rates.

Career Support



- Career Counseling
- Formal Career Assessments
- Preferred exposure to the region's hiring agents
- Dedicated efforts to identify local career opportunities
- Network of business partners committed to dual career and transitional support efforts

Practical Support



- Tours of Manhattan area
- Relocation and new resident materials
- Dedicated website to showcase Flint Hills and its resources
- Opportunities to connect with the community and various groups of interest

Social Support



- Information on community activities, clubs, entertainment and volunteer opportunities
- Coordinated social gatherings and mentorship opportunities with established dual career partners and families
- Counseling resources and referrals to additional healthcare support groups or programs.

This program allows employers to focus on business and the newly hired to focus on his/her career. Both employer and employee can take comfort in knowing that his/her family has dedicated community resources.

JOIN THE PARTNERSHIP TODAY!

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Instructions for Candidates/Accompanying Partners/Job Seekers

1. Register on **KANSASWORKS.com** and let staff of Manhattan Workforce Center know it is complete. Contact Jo Brunner by email: jbrunner@kansasworks.com or call 785-539-5691 and ask for Terry or Jo.
2. Staff at the Workforce Center will call, email or make an in-person contact with accompanying partner/job seeker to assess their skills, employment needs, discuss job openings and possible job developments.
3. Staff will reach out to employers and pass on partner/job seeker credentials. Staff will let employer know when partner/job seeker will be in Manhattan.
4. After employer reviews credentials they will let Workforce Center staff or potential candidate know of their interest and set up an interview date and time as appropriate.
5. To learn more about Practical and Social support resources please visit our website at: <http://www.manhattancvb.org/>



Instructions to Dual Career Network Participants –

1. When interviewing potential candidates for hire, direct accompanying partner to register and upload their résumé on **KANSASWORKS.com** and notify staff of Manhattan Workforce Center (785-539-5691) of timeline/date of company interview.
2. Include this link for job announcements, websites and email correspondence - <http://www.manhattancvb.org/>
3. Employers can add the Dual Career Network flyer or contact information to their website and job announcement when applicable.