How can we help?

Workforce Development is intended to train individuals to be more productive and prosperous in the workplace. Every year 20-30% of future revenues is lost due to inefficient or ineffective workforce development. At its core, workforce development is about maximizing the potential of your employees while providing them with the opportunities to effectively handle problems.

So how can ACC help?

We offer a variety of training opportunities covering topics like first aid/CPR, customer service, and workplace violence. But we also provide support to assist your employees in managing stress and burnout. Identify your goals and let us help create a workforce development strategy to work toward.

Training can be virtual, in person, or a combination of the two. We will work with your budget, find you the right instructor and join forces to upskill your workforce, boost employee morale and improve overall job satisfaction.

“How good people. Treat them well. Help them succeed. Compensate them fairly. Let them go home.”
~ Joe Keohane
Community Enrichment 2021

**COMMUNITY ENRICHMENT** classes kicked off this month with a Pet First Aid class taught by Dr. Laurie ("Dr. Jack") Hein of Alpena Veterinary Clinic. Would you know what to do in the event of a pet emergency? Did you know that cats and dogs can have asthma and diabetes, and that they need their teeth cleaned regularly just like humans? Dr. Jack demonstrated pet CPR and the Heimlich maneuver, discussed the importance of flea and tick prevention, and answered questions. Participants also received a complimentary pet first aid kid. This is the perfect class for the first time pet owner, or for someone who wants to learn more about pet care. Learn to recognize illnesses before they become an emergency! Missed the April class? We’ve got a second session September 22.

Wally Wiltse from Thunder Bay Tree Service will be teaching the proper way to prune your trees and shrubs this fall. Cyber crime is becoming increasingly sophisticated and we’re offering a class in cybersecurity to help protect you and your family from these sneaky threat actors. We’ve got two great cooking classes at Art in the Loft, a fun evening at Massage Works where you can learn to give your partner a massage, and the current favorite class - Yoga with Kittens!

To register, visit ACC’s [website](http://www.discover.alpenacc.edu/workforce_development) or find us on [Eventbrite](http://www.eventbrite.com).

We're excited about the community partnerships which have made these classes possible and we’re already planning next year’s courses!