## **Displaced by COVID?** *Train to Make Medicines in the Raleigh Area*

# North Carolina Biotechnology Center<sub>®</sub>



The pandemic brought job losses and other challenges to North Carolina's families. Let us help you train for a stable job with good pay and benefits, while saving lives. It's not just a job, it's a career.

## **Offering No Cost Training and No Hidden Fees**

It's true. NC companies are adding thousands of jobs to produce the newest medicines. Roles can range from process technicians to warehouse operations to calibration, instrumentation and skilled trade roles. Depending on experience and training, starting pay can range between \$45K to \$50K and up.

Training for these jobs begins with BioWork, a recognized program, offered by many North Carolina Community Colleges. (Learn more at *ncbionetwork.org/biowork*). If you qualify to participate, training is at no cost, thanks to the NCBiotech, in collaboration with the North Carolina Association of Workforce Development Boards, NCWorks Career Centers, and select NC Community College training partners.

#### How do I secure my BioWork spot?

Qualifications are set by your local Workforce Development Board. Once you are approved to attend, complete all preregistration activities as directed by your local board. Then follow all registration and program activities as instructed. To participate, you must be able to meet all program requirements by the expected deadlines. No exceptions.

Your NCWorks advisor will tell you whether the BioWork course will be provided fully online or in a hybrid format. Computer access is required, and you must comply with all program requirements set by the training location.

> NCWorks Career Center CALL (919) 715-0111

## What else is required?

During the BioWork training program, each attendee must:

- □ Attend all required classes and complete all required work as assigned during the entire BioWork training program; and as assigned by your Community College instructor
- □ Register with your local NCWorks Career Resource Center and the Community College Career Support Center
- □ Prepare and complete your resume; attend all BioWork class requirements.
- □ Attend the BioWork program "Hiring Event" providing you a face-to-face or virtual interview with industries hiring biopharma job roles. The Hiring Event will be led by the Workforce Development Board. Contact your local NCWorks advisor for details.

Once you check off all the boxes above, your local workforce development board will issue you a \$300 stipend. The stipend provides further support as you transition to your next career.

# Contact your NCWorks Career Advisor today for details and for the BioWork starting date.

