

# JMG and Michigan Works! Southwest

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### **About Youth Solutions**

#### **PURPOSE**

To inspire and connect youth to achieve a future beyond imagination

#### **VISION**

Every young person is educated, employed and career bound

#### **MISSION**

Equip young people with the skills to overcome barriers and succeed in education, employment and in life



## Jobs for Michigan's Graduates (JMG)



90%

GRADUATION RATE

10+ Years Running



an affiliate of the national Jobs for America's Graduates network

## Our History

**X**youth solutions



2022 MW!WC becomes the 15th MW! partner

**2020** Youth Solutions adopts 5 year strategic plan.

**2017** Youth Solutions, Inc. is launched

2015 6 more MW! become JMG affiliates

**2011/12** JMG expanded into 4 new MW! Regions - the first JMG affiliates

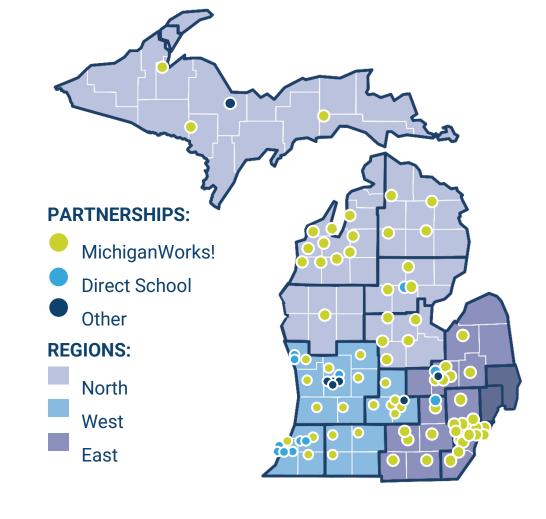
**2008** Michigan Works! BCVB started JMG, becoming the state-based affiliate of JAG National (JAG-Michigan) at Benton Harbor High School



We partner with Michigan Works! agencies across the state to teach our youth critical skills needed for future success.

## Serving 4,325 JMG Youth

in 2022-2023

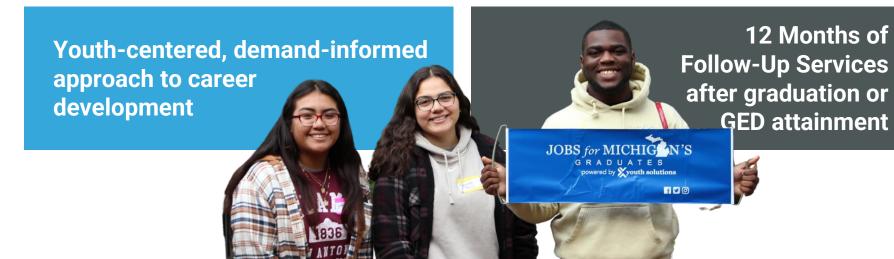




### **Core Components**

Adult mentorship, trauma-informed care, and barrier removal

Instruction in work-readiness skills, soft skills, and academic remediation



#### **Network Leadership Support and Collaboration**

- Accredited by JAG National Model Programming and Curriculum
- JMG Network: Convening of Youth Serving Program Staff
- Collaborative Partnership
- Funding Support





Together We Can Inspire and Connect Youth to Achieve a Future Beyond Imagination!