

ARE YOU ELIGIBLE?

- Live in a target Asheville neighborhood
 - 18 and over

AND

- Unemployed

OR

- Low income

OR

- Criminal record

OR

- Without a high school diploma or equivalent



*Veterans & eligible spouses
prioritized*



Asheville Buncombe Community Christian Ministry

ABCCM is a family of 260+ congregations organized to provide ministry to reach out to the total person, providing assistance regardless of race, sex, creed or status. ABCCM focuses on four areas:

- Crisis Ministry- counseling, food, clothing, assistance
- Jail Ministry- visitation, education, counseling
- Homeless Ministry- two transitional housing facilities
- Medical Ministry- primary care, dental, pharmacy

ABCCM provides training and job placement assistance for qualifying individuals with the goal of engendering positive work habits and life skills.



Green Opportunities

GO is dedicated to building a strong and just green economy in Western NC from the bottom up through green-collar job training, community education and green microenterprises. Our core program, the Asheville GO training team, combines service-learning projects, life-skills training, support services, community college coursework and on-the-job experience to provide everything GO members need to launch successful green-collar careers.

ABCCM Green jobs Program

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ABCCM GREEN JOBS PROGRAM

Training in the
growing fields of
energy efficiency and
renewable energy.

Help attaining new
marketable skills
or enhancing current
skill set.

Job search
assistance.

The ABCCM Green Jobs Program can offer training and assistance in job placement. If you are looking for a job in the growing green economy then we might be able to help you.

Training typically is
3-5 days and involves an
exam for certification.



GREEN CAREERS WITH ABCCM

Weatherization Technician

(4-Day Classes,
Every Other Week)

- Learn a whole house approach to energy efficiency
- Install products addressing air infiltration, sealing, insulation, window leaks
- Learn to test for air leakage
- Construction experience useful



LEED

Green Associate

(Aug 9-12 & 16;
Class is repeated
at the end of Aug)

- Gain basic knowledge of environmental impacts and green building solutions related to site, water, energy & indoor environmental quality
- Learn about materials for green building design & construction
- Design, construction or realty experience helpful

Solar Thermal

Installer

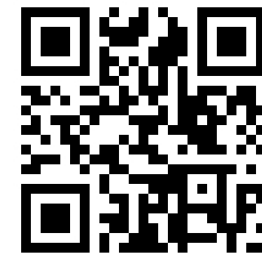
(Aug 13-16)

- Learn to install collectors, water heaters, piping, insulation and connecting systems
- Understand solar collector performance in a variety of climates
- Plumbing or electrical experience preferred
- Significant construction experience required



NEXT STEPS

1. Call 259-5333 or email green.jobs@abccm.org with your current address to confirm you reside in a qualifying area.
2. Think about your job interests and the skills you possess.
3. Gather documents to prove your residency, age and economic condition.
4. Come fill out an application



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