

Seattle City Council Briefing

Human Services & Public Health Committee

HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT

SEPTEMBER 13, 2017

Human Services Department

Impact Areas:

- **Preparing Youth for Success**
- Promoting Healthy Aging
- Supporting Affordability & Livability
- Promoting Public Health
- Responding to Gender-based Violence
- Addressing Homelessness



HSD's Summer Programs for Youth

1. **Seattle Food Service Program:** providing free meals to children and youth during the summer months
2. **Seattle Youth Employment Program:** providing first time jobs and internships for low-income youth and young adults in Seattle
3. **Upward Bound:** preparing high school students for success as first generation college students





Summer Food Service Program

Summer 2017

Summer Food Service Program

- 207,259 meals served (June to August)
- 110 sites across Seattle
- All children and youth 18 and under can have a **FREE** meal, no questions asked.
- Meals are healthy and delicious.





Seattle Youth Employment Program

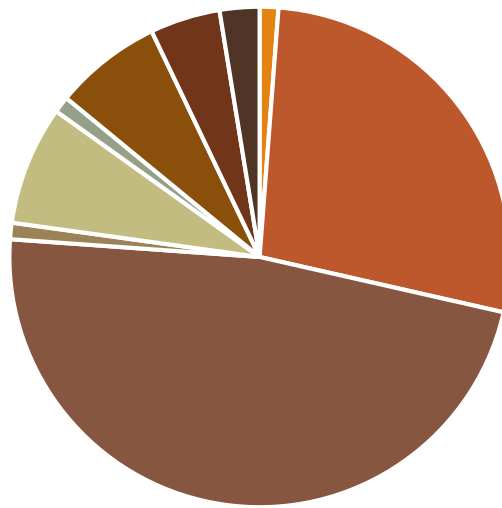
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Seattle Youth Employment Program

- **Over 662 youth** were placed in summer internships (**July through August**):
- **2017 Innovations:**
 - **21st Century Skill Development:** SYEP piloted a new training curriculum for young people preparing for summer jobs.
 - **Doorways Partnerships:** partnered with three community based organizations to offer intensive wrap around supports for young people.
 - **SYE Plus:** new school-based 20-hour intensive training and support program for young people.
 - **SPU + Career Bridge:** SYEP partnered with Seattle Public Utilities to offer 6-month internships to 6 Career Bridge participants earning a livable wage at \$25 per hour.; 1 intern will be eligible for a 2-year apprenticeship

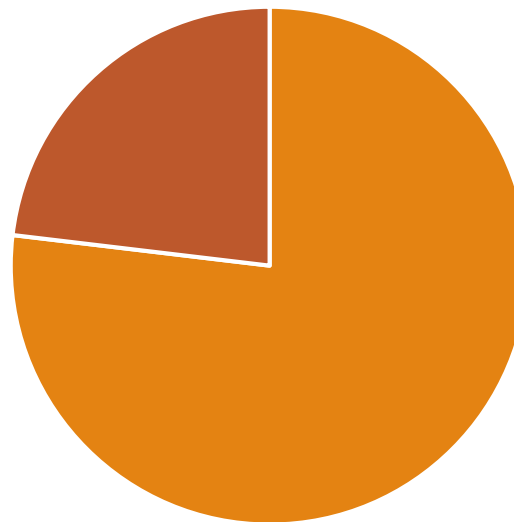
Seattle Youth Employment Program

Race/Ethnicity



■ American Indian/Alaska Native ■ Asian
■ Black/African American ■ Middle Eastern/North African
■ Multi-racial ■ Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander
■ Hispanic/Latino ■ White
■ Unknown

Age



■ 15-18 ■ 19-25

Gender	Number of Youth
Male	318
Female	338
Transgender	1
Other	1
Unknown	4
Total	662

Seattle Youth Employment Program

SYEP Youth Enrollment by Zip Code:

98118	206	98112	6	South King County	35
98108	119	98101	5		
98144	59	98146	5		
98178	48	98103	4		
98122	39	98133	4		
98106	38	98116	3		
98126	26	98102	2		
98104	21	98117	2		
98105	9	98136	2		
98115	8	98107	1		
98109	6	98155	1		



City of Seattle's Upward Bound Program

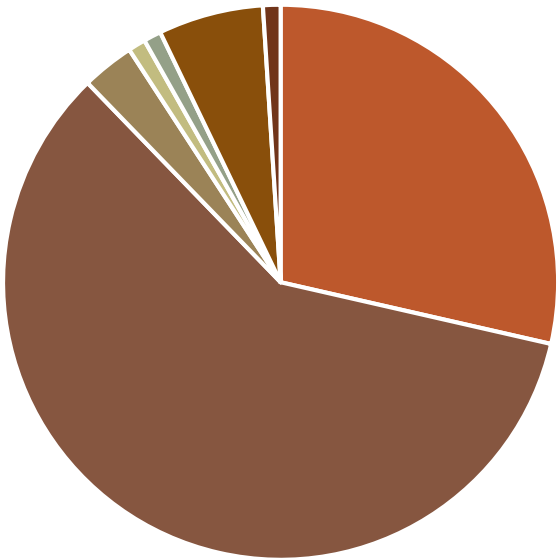
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Upward Bound

- **40-year old Legacy Program:** college prep program for 107 low-income, first generation high school students between 9th and 12th grade.
- **Summer Academy:** 52 students attended the 6-week program at Seattle University focused on academics and developing pathways to college.
 - **Bridge Program:** 9 graduating seniors completed an intensive 5-credit class at SU, with support from a tutor mentor.
 - **Academic Credit:** 95% of participants this summer earned credits toward graduation.
- **New 5-Year Grant:** Grant funds UB's work in Garfield and Rainier Beach High Schools through summer 2022.

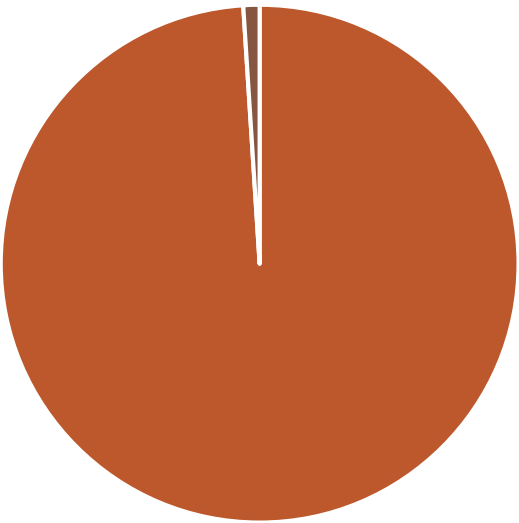
Upward Bound

Race/Ethnicity



- American Indian/Alaska Native
- Black/African American
- White
- Multi-racial
- Asian
- Hispanic/Latino
- Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander
- Unknown

Age



- 11 to 13
- 14 to 18
- 19 to 27

Gender	Number of Youth
Male	28
Female	70
Total	98

Upward Bound

SYEP Youth Enrollment by Zip Code:

98101	0%
98103	3%
98104	2%
98106	5%
98108	7%
98109	1%
98112	2%
98118	19%
98122	28%
98126	16%
98144	10%
98178	6%

