



## AT A GLANCE: COMMUNITY TECHNOLOGY EMPOWERMENT PROJECT



### INPUTS

- \$389K CNCS Grant
- \$245K Site Fees
- \$40K Local Foundations
- \$11,126/MSY
- 19% below CNCS cost limit
- 2 Program Staff
- 35 FT AmeriCorps
- 31 Distinct Service Sites
- 26 All Day Trainings

### 2015-2016

#### PARTICIPANT AND SITE OUTCOMES

- 1711 certified in Northstar Computer Skill
- 755 found employment after assistance
- 137 received a computer to use at home
- 836 volunteers mobilized
- 71 new classes

#### MEMBER OUTCOMES

- 100% enrollment since 2005, 100% retention since 2010
- 12 of 35 members have reapplied to serve again for 2016

### 2015 OUTSIDE EVALUATION RESULTS

by MN Literacy Council

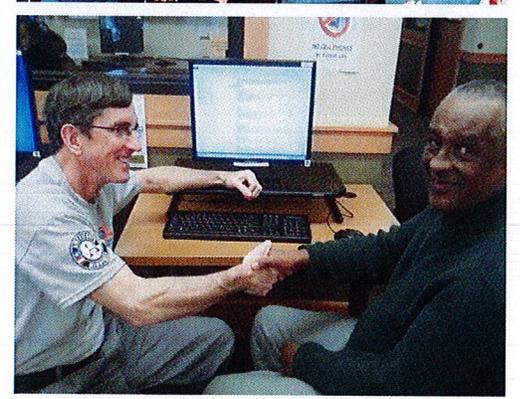
Evidence Level rated as Strong by CNCS in Spring 2016

n=208 at 28 service sites

Quasi-Experimental Design

- 80% attending computer class helped them look for employment.
- 71% attending computer class helped in getting offered their job.
- \$31,266 average salary, mostly in office/admin, sales, personal care
- 50% found a job within 4 months of instruction

Beats Employment Result from Non-Computer Instruction Approaches at Comparison Group (MN WorkForce Center): 41% (339/818)



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