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## CareerSource Pasco Hernando Announces Temporary Office Closures

Precautionary Measures Being Taken In Wake of COVID-19 Outbreak

Pasco and Hernando Counties (Region 16), Fla. In the midst of growing concerns regarding the ongoing coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak, CareerSource Pasco Hernando has decided to temporarily close all three offices, located at the following addresses:

New Port Richey Office: 4440 Grand Blvd. NPR, FL 34652

Brooksville Office: 16336 Cortez Blvd. Brooksville, FL 34601

Dade City Office: 15000 Citrus Country Drive Ste. 303 Dade City, FL 33523

The temporary closures will go into effect Monday, March 23, 2020 with an anticipated re-opening date of Monday, April 15, 2020.

All public events, including agency related job fairs, onsite recruitments, workshops and community events hosted at a CareerSource Pasco Hernando location have also been postponed until further notice.

"Amidst concerns of the Coronavirus, we are taking the necessary precautions to ensure the safety of our customers and staff," expressed Jerome Salatino, CEO/President of CareerSource Pasco Hernando. "To ensure the health of Florida's economy, we will be implementing business continuity strategies to ensure Pasco and Hernando's economy continues to thrive during this crucial moment in time."

In order to serve the immediate needs of job seekers, employers and the general public, center staff will continue to work remotely by leveraging technology to conduct and/or reschedule appointments, send and receive documentation and facilitate outreach to Pasco and Hernando County employers and jobseekers.

"In an effort to provide the best quality customer care amid the COVID-19 pandemic, CareerSource Pasco Hernando will be providing assistance via remote access to our customers," said Brenda Gause, Sr. Vice President of Operations for CareerSource Pasco Hernando. "We are working diligently to make sure every customer's needs are met via online and telephonic services."

For additional information, including a phone listing to access remote services, as well as the latest updates related to available services, visit <a href="https://www.careersourcepascohernando.com">www.careersourcepascohernando.com</a> and follow CareerSource Pasco Hernando's social media platforms. If you have any questions or need assistance please reach out to our call centers or visit www.floridajobs.org.

Call Center Numbers: (727)484-3400 ext: 3023 (813)377-1300 ext: 3023

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