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Registration Opens October 19 for OhioMeansJobs.com Regional Virtual Job Fairs in November

COLUMBUS, OHIO – Ohio Department of Job and Family Services Director Matt Damschroder announced today that Ohioans can begin registering on Wednesday, Oct. 19, for the OhioMeansJobs.com Regional Virtual Job Fairs the agency is hosting on Nov. 2. Registering before the event will allow employers to view your resume in advance and possibly schedule a time to chat the day of the event.

"I encourage anyone looking for a job in Ohio to take advantage of this opportunity," Damschroder said. "More than 100 employers from a wide range of industries have already signed up to participate. All of them have open positions that they're looking to fill now."

The job fairs will take place from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. They are organized by region – one for each quadrant of the state – so job seekers can connect with employers in the area they'd like to work. Here's how to participate:

Job Seeker Registration: Visit <u>jfs.ohio.gov/owd/JobSeekers/VirtualJobFairs.stm</u>. Then scan the QR code or click the link for the regional job fair you'd like to attend.

Employer Registration: Email EmploymentServices@jfs.ohio.gov or contact the workforce specialist in your area. To find your local workforce specialist, click here.

Ohioans looking for work can visit <u>OhioMeansJobs.com</u> or their local OhioMeansJobs Center for a variety of free employment services. On either the website or at a center, they can find and apply for job openings, take skill and career interest assessments, create or improve their resumes, practice interviewing, find other career fairs and hiring events, and more.

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The Ohio Department of Job and Family Services manages vital programs that strengthen Ohio families. These include job training and employment services, unemployment insurance, cash and food assistance, child care, child and adult protective services, adoption, and child support services.









