

My name is Casey Miller and I am employed by JRA & Associates Contracting as a plumbing apprentice. I have worked with JRA since January of 2020. Presently I am in my second year of apprenticeship. I am looking forward to these final two years and becoming a journeyman plumber. Initially I started in construction in my teens working along side my father installing fencing. I discovered I enjoy working with my hands and that I had a talent for building. In addition, it is rewarding to see the finished product upon completion.

I was directed to ABC's return to work program by my court appointed counselor. It sounded like a great opportunity to learn a trade as well as meeting the goals I had set for myself after my release. I was accepted into the ABC program and upon successful completion of the initial course I was hired by JRA. I am now an instrumental part of the team and feel I will be with JRA for years to come. My goal is to complete the Craftmasters training program and obtain my journeyman's license then continue to advance my career in the company.

The impact the program has been on my life is immense. It taught me how to be more responsible and dependable in order to obtain gainful employment. It has provided a clearly defined and positive career path that will enable me to provide a better life for myself and my family. In doing so, I now have a great work/life balance and stability in my job. I am truly grateful for having been accepted into this program by ABC, it has changed my life for the better in so many ways.

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