

## Free Training Opportunity for Women

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FOR WOMEN



# TRAILBLAZERS

## WOMEN IN ENERGY AND CONSTRUCTION

### EMPLOYERS, ARE YOU INTERESTED IN

Expanding your female workforce;  
Increasing their skills & certifications;  
Building a pipeline of female talent in the construction trades?

### WOMEN, DO YOU WANT TO

Work with your hands & gain new skills;  
Access jobs in high-demand sectors;  
Start a career path with good pay,  
benefits, and job security?

Vermont Works for Women is currently recruiting for its Trailblazers pre-apprenticeship training program to support the entry and success of women in energy and construction. For women, it is an opportunity to obtain or increase skills and certifications for jobs that are in high demand. For employers, it is a way to develop existing staff and identify new candidates to fill critical job openings. The 10-week program is free and open to women and gender non-conforming individuals ages 16+, no experience necessary!

Trainings include:

- 10-weeks of free hands-on training (held evenings and Saturdays) taught by NCCER Certified female instructors; and Vermont tradespeople, covering basic construction, electrical, plumbing, and solar skills;
- Nationally recognized certifications (NCCER Core Curriculum, OSHA 10, CPR & First Aid);
- Access to mentors, job shadows, and one-on-one job/apprenticeship placement support;
- Weekly stipend to help cover transportation, child care, or other needs;
- All necessary materials, tools, and clothing.

## TRAINING STARTS THIS SEPTEMBER AT CENTER FOR TECHNOLOGY, ESSEX

To learn more contact Missy at [mmackin@vtworksforwomen.org](mailto:mmackin@vtworksforwomen.org), 802-655-8900 x 503 or attend our free info session at 5:30-6:30 pm on Sept. 11, Room E108, Center for Technology, Essex

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