

PROBLEM SOLVING TIPS

^ If you are experiencing a problem with your <u>supervisor/workplace mentor</u>, please consider these options:

- o Call your job coach, ask them to help you work through your issue
- Talk to your supervisor directly



• If you are experiencing a problem with your <u>fellow employees</u>, please consider these options:

- Talk to your supervisor/job mentor
- o Call your job coach, ask them to help you work through your issue



If you are experiencing a problem with <u>transportation</u>, please consider these options: Remember, reliable transportation was a critical requirement when applying for summer internship!

- 0 Use your personal resources, i.e. parents, relatives, friends, neighbors, etc.
- Do NOT ask fellow employees for a ride unless absolutely necessary
- Call your job coach, ask them to help you work through your issue maybe your hours could be changed to assist in your immediate transportation problem



^ If you are experiencing a problem with the <u>number of hours you are receiving</u>, please consider these options:

- Talk to your supervisor/job mentor
- o Call your job coach, ask them to help you work through your issue



If you are noticing an issue with your <u>paycheck</u>, please consider these options:

** REMEMBER – you must be paid by a payroll check with the appropriate taxes being withheld – i.e. federal, state, local, social security, etc. That ensures that you are being covered under Workers Compensation in case an accident occurs!

- Talk to your supervisor/job mentor
- o Call your job coach, ask them to help you work through your issue



If you are experiencing <u>other problems</u> or cannot reach your <u>job coach</u>, please:

• Call the Career Services Office at (440) 774-1051, Ext. 22468 - leave a message if no one answers. Ms. McIver will be checking messages periodically.

PLEASE DO NOT FEEL THERE IS NO ANSWER TO YOUR CONCERNS – SOMEONE WILL BE AVAILABLE TO HELP YOU AND THERE SHOULD BE OPTIONS TO ADDRESS YOUR ISSUES!