

LABOR STATISTICS

FOR PERSONS W/ DISABILITIES



Only **20.5%** of people with disabilities participate in the workforce.

79.5%



That means that 79.5% of persons with disabilities don't work!

The Unemployment Rate for persons with disabilities is almost **double the national average.**

Persons with Disabilities

14.1

Persons without Disabilities

7.1

2 4 6 8 10 12 14

As a result, nearly **1 in 3** live in poverty.

We have to do a better job preparing persons with disabilities for life after school. College and career readiness is vitally important!

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