## **SOUTHWESTERN PENNSYLVANIA:**

## The Power of Our Older Workforce

The Pittsburgh region has more than

**100,000** workers over age 65.

That number includes about the workforce, and more than 20,000 who report selfemployment income.

## **80,000** people participating in

## What do we know about our region's older workers?



In the Pittsburgh region, 30% of women and 40% of men age 65-69 continue working.



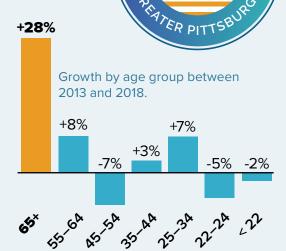
bachelor's degree



full-time schedule



They bring extensive knowledge and expertise, and contribute unique perspectives based on experience.



Older workers are the fastest growing segment of the region's workforce.

The number of older workers in southwestern Pennsylvania will increase 50% by 2030, and then remain relatively stable over the following decade.

We face a worker shortage ahead. Our older workforce is part of the solution.

Information compiled from "Older Workers in the Southwestern Pennsylvania Workforce," a 2019 report for Southwestern Pennsylvania Partnership for Aging (SWPPA) by the University of Pittsburgh's Center for Social and Urban Research (UCSUR).