

Family Investment Unit provides services

CENTREVILLE — Queen Anne's County Department of Social Services, Family Investment Unit, is committed to assisting the county's citizens with a variety of services that include a Career Center as well as assistance with completing applications for determining eligibility for income based programs — Food Supplements, Medical Assistance, Temporary Cash Assistance, Energy Assistance, and Child Care Subsidy programs.

The Career Center offers Employment and Temporary Services that include employment skills and training, education, include self-assessments, job search skills, resume writing, writing cover letters, dressing for success, interviewing techniques, customer service, workplace conduct, overcoming personal barriers, etc. to help customers achieve self-sufficiency.

During fiscal year 2012 a total of 74 Queen Anne's County residents gained employment as a result of



Left to right are Lawanda Green; Gina Acevedo; Airlee Johnson, career counselor; Jeannette Shackelford; and Shelia Wilson who completed the Career Training Course at the Queen Anne's County Department of Social Services.

the services provided by our Career Center. We continue to work together with Chesapeake College, the Workforce Investment Board, the Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulation, local business

partners, and county and state government to ensure that employment, education and training opportunities and services are available to all residents including veterans, employers and incumbent workers.

The Career Center is located at the Queen Anne's County Department of Social Services, 125 Comet Drive in Centreville and is open to the public Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

