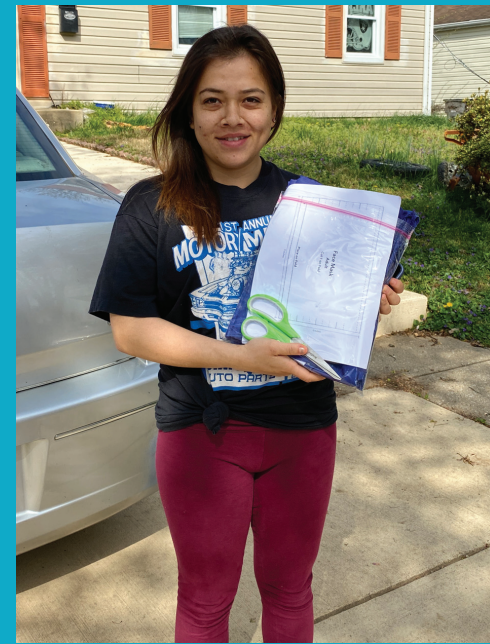
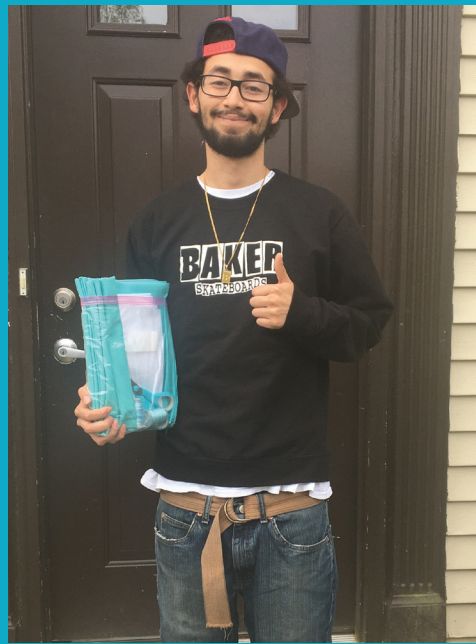


YOC'S MASK PRODUCTION PROJECT

Providing a unique employment opportunity in which our clients can utilize their skills to assist the community





**As a result of COVID-19,
many YOC clients have lost their employment.**

Because many of our clients do not qualify for government assistance programs such as unemployment, they are faced with the possibility of hunger and homelessness.

Due to Maryland state laws requiring everyone to wear masks in public, our team at Identity used this as an opportunity to teach clients how to sew face-masks for the community, providing them a new set of skills while offering them an opportunity to participate in a paid internship.

Our team assembled kits containing fabric and basic sewing supplies for each client and created an instructional video in Spanish and English.



**28 YOC clients will each sew 40
cloth masks,
totaling to 1,120 reusable masks
for the community.**

