About MAACCE
The Maryland Association for Adult, Community and Continuing Education (MAACCE) is a non-profit organization providing leadership in Maryland for those interested in advancing education as a lifelong process. MAACCE provides a central forum for a wide variety of adult, community and continuing education groups.

Economic Impact
According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, median weekly wages increase from $493 for a non-high school graduate to $678 for a graduate!

According to the Longitudinal Study of Adult Learning, adults who attended an average of 100+ hours of instruction averaged $10,000 more in annual income.

The Need in MD
500,000 adults in Maryland lack a high school diploma

Learner Demographics
- 29% BETWEEN 16-24
- 34% EMPLOYED
- 17% IN CORRECTIONAL EDUCATION
- 51% ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS
- 39% ENROLL BETWEEN PRELITERATE-8TH GLE
- 85% FROM MINORITY GROUPS

ADULT EDUCATION ACCOMPLISHMENTS
- 1,452 high school diplomas earned in FY16
- 53% have increased literacy skills on standardized tests

FUNDING SOURCES
- $9.0 M - Federal WIOA Title II
  (Compared to 17.5 M in PA & 12.5 M in VA)
- $8.0 M - State of Maryland

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1,661 adults in Garrett County lack a high school diploma.

803 adults over age 25 in Garrett County have less than a 9th grade education.

15.8% of young adults from ages 18-24 in Garrett County do not have a high school diploma.

**FEDERAL/STATE GRANT-FUNDED PROGRAMS**

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