

# Rutgers In Your District

## District 7

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### Rutgers People in District 7

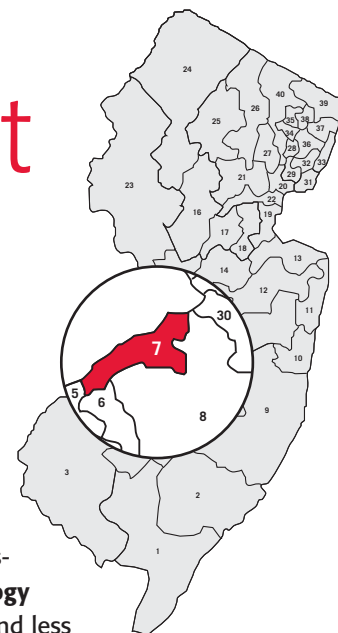
5,255	Alumni
1,270	Undergraduate and Graduate Students
330	Continuing Ed Students Enrolled Locally
195	Faculty/Staff
7,050	<b>Total</b>

### Rutgers Programs, Initiatives, and Facilities in District 7

- **Continuing and Professional Education Courses:** Keeping the state's workforce current and offering citizens opportunity for professional advancement (Beverly City, Cinnaminson, Delran)
- **Food Stamp Nutrition Education Program:** Behaviorally focused nutrition classes for food stamp-eligible residents (Mount Holly, Westampton)
- **Rohrer Center for Management and Entrepreneurship:** Helps business start-ups, family-owned concerns, large corporations, public agencies, and nonprofits train better managers and supervisors (Delanco, Pennsauken)
- **NJ Small Business Development Centers Branch Office:** Low-cost and no-cost services for small business (Mount Holly, Westampton)
- **Rutgers Cooperative Extension:** Science-based information and outreach in such areas as food and nutrition, family and community health sciences, and 4-H youth development (Mount Holly)

### Rutgers-K-12 Partnerships in District 7

- **BizEd:** Introduction to college-level business education for outstanding high school students (Cinnaminson, Delran)
- **D'Arts Distance Learning in the Arts:** Live interactive art and theater classes through videoconferencing (Riverside, Riverton)
- **Douglass Autism Outreach:** Training in applied behavior analysis for educators of children with autism spectrum disorders (Burlington)
- **NJ Civic Education Consortium:** Rutgers' Eagleton Institute of Politics program to increase voter turnout and engagement in civic life (Pennsauken)



### Did You Know?

As **employment opportunities** become increasingly **linked to technology and communications** and less tied to manual, skill-based jobs, employers need access to a highly literate workforce. With the goal of **strengthening Burlington County's business landscape**, the Burlington County Workforce Investment Board has contracted with the **Rutgers-Camden Walter Rand Institute for Public Affairs** to conduct a **literacy needs** assessment among workers in six targeted industries: transportation; manufacturing; health science; education and training; hospitality and tourism; and the service sector. The institute has developed and distributed a survey to human resource managers and is conducting interviews with HR personnel working for the county's largest businesses. And, finally, Rand staff will conduct interviews with county adult literacy service providers. The goals of the assessment are to provide an indication of the prevalence of illiteracy in industry, **identify gaps in programs available to businesses, provide strategies to overcome those obstacles**, and determine how best to meet the literacy expectations of Burlington County businesses.

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