

NATIONAL RURAL YOUTH SERVICE CORPS (NARYSEC) PROGRAMME

PROVINCE: *WESTERN CAPE*

ADVERTISEMENT: RECRUITMENT OF NARYSEC YOUTH

2026/27



The NARYSEC programme, which was established in September 2010, is one of the contributions of the Department of Land Reform and Rural Development (DLRRD) towards alleviating the high levels of unemployment amongst young people in rural areas.

Linked to the National Development Plan (Vision 2030) and the Comprehensive Rural Development Programme (CRDP), the strategic outcomes of the NARYSEC programme are:

- a) Skilled rural youth ready to take up economic opportunities;
- b) Economically active youth in rural areas; and
- c) Youth-led enterprises contributing to the economy of the country.

Successful applicants will be required to be away from home for a period of 9 weeks to attend the NARYSEC Induction Programme and the Youth Leadership Development Programme (YLDP).

REQUIREMENTS:

- Between 18 and 35 years of age
- In possession of Grade 12, medically fit, Drivers licence advantageous (Code C with PrDP).
- Not claustrophobic, not acrophobic.
- Be able to run 2.4km in less than 11-12 min
- Residing in Cederberg Municipality
- Unemployed and currently not enrolled with any other institution or higher learning.
- No criminal record or pending cases on your name.
- Registered with SARS (provide proof)
- SA Citizen.



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The following skills areas are prioritised for this recruitment:

- **Fire Fighting**
- **Upon successful completion of the programme, participants will transition into identified exit opportunities aimed at facilitating their integration into sustainable economic participation.**

The nature and duration of the training interventions will be informed by the skills requirements of the identified economic opportunities.

**NB: Applications are invited from youth residing within the following areas:
Cederberg Municipality**

(Applicants from all racial groups, including persons with disabilities, are encouraged to apply)

APPLICATION PROCEDURES

Application forms are available at the various targeted municipalities and community libraries.

Certified copies of supporting documents will only be required from shortlisted candidates.

Should you not receive any communication within three (3) months after the closing date of the advertisement, kindly consider your application as unsuccessful.

Shortlisted applicants will be subjected to security and health screening processes as part of the selection requirements.

Enquiries:

For further information, kindly contact the local NARYSEC Office. The following official may be contacted:

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CLOSING: 25 MAY 2026