#### **Building Cannabis Careers**

##### Value

The UFCW seeks to establish a professional livelihood for all our members.

We have a long and proud history of advocacy for workers, their families and the communities they serve in other highly regulated sectors, such as agriculture, pharmaceutical, distillery manufacturing and meat processing.

Through our apprenticeship and safety and health programs, the UFCW works with regulators to ensure high quality products and safe workplaces.

Professionalizing the cannabis industry can offer local communities, jobs with strong wages, benefits, and career development opportunities. Across America, communities are benefiting from a thriving cannabis economy. In many of those states, cannabis workers are building professional careers with the UFCW.

##### Union Family

Sound like a team you want to be on? We’d love to have you join our union family. Fill out our confidential [Union Interest Form](https://ufcwlocal152.org/what-unions-do/union-interest-form/) and someone will contact you shortly.

##### Respect

We’re also building respect for our profession with state and local governments. Together we stand up for:

* Supporting good employers that provide good jobs through smart zoning and licensing rules
* Recognition and training for professionalism,  
  including jointly-managed apprenticeship training
* Worker-first rules that  
  protect the safety and security of cannabis  
  workers, while ensuring accountability in the sale of a controlled substance
* Promoting workplace and  
  ownership diversity
* Encouraging employer collaborations, highlighting the best practices in the industry.

### **Are you a business owner interested in signing a Labor Peace Agreement with UFCW Local 919?**

Great, we are excited to work with you! Read more about our commitment to the industry on this page. When you’re ready to sign a Labor Peace Agreement or learn more, contact us at

860-677-933 or ufcwcannabis@gmail.com