



Temp Workers Demand Good Jobs:

Survey reveals pervasiveness of poverty pay, permatemping, deceptive recruitment practices, and other job quality issues

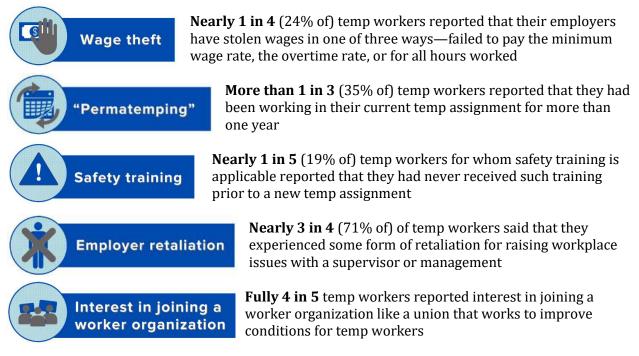
Temp workers endure rampant wage theft, "permatemping," employer retaliation, and unsafe workplace conditions, and want to organize for change, according to "Temp Workers Speak Out," a new report by Temp Worker Justice, Chicago Workers Collaborative, Mississippi Workers' Center for Human Rights, National Employment Law Project, New Labor (New Jersey), Warehouse Workers for Justice (Illinois), and North Carolina Justice Center.

The report draws from a series of surveys conducted between 2019 and 2021. A total of 1,337 temp workers from 47 U.S. states, employed by staffing agencies including Aerotek, Adecco, Kelly Services, and Manpower Group, and working for host employers including Amazon, Walmart, Google, and Tyson Foods answered the survey.



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Key findings:



Worker groups are calling on policymakers to ensure that temp workers receive equal pay for equal work, that both staffing agencies and the companies that hire them are responsible for compliance with labor and workplace safety standards, that temp workers have opportunities to transition to permanent employment, and that temp workers can report unfair or illegal working conditions without fear of retaliation.

Read the report at bit.ly/JusticeForTempWorkers