



## ***Midwest Warehouse & Distribution System, Inc.***

Midwest Warehouse & Distribution System, Inc. is a full-service logistics company which has been in business for over 25 years. The company has 14 warehouses with two located in Will County. Midwest Warehouse provides warehousing and distribution, transportation, and paper converting services.

As part of a buyout, the company acquired a system asset – the Cadence System. This state-of-the-art warehouse management system provides warehousing and distribution controls and information systems. However, in order to maximize the benefit of the system, staff would require training.

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Midwest Warehouse was approached by the Workforce Investment Board of Will County regarding the availability of grant funds to assist with training for incumbent workers. The training of all staff on use of the Cadence System represented the company’s largest training initiative for employees. As a result of the training, 30 staff – customer service representatives, warehouse managers, accounts receivable and accounts payable personnel, and controllers – can effectively utilize the system to track receipt, distribution and loss of customer products.



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