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## STORY OF CONFIDENCE

### Virginia

As a single mother of two, Virginia realized going back to school was the only way she would have financial security for her and her family. The challenge was finding both the time and the money for career training.

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“I now have a marketable skill and a **BIGGER, BRIGHTER FUTURE.** And Goodwill San Antonio helped me with that.”

After leaving a relationship due to domestic violence, and struggling with homelessness, Virginia could barely make ends meet. She needed more than a job. She needed a career to provide the means to support her two children.

The Good Careers Academy at Goodwill San Antonio gave Virginia that opportunity. The flexible scheduling provided her the ability to work and go to school, which helped her manage the financial burden associated with career training. In a short time, Virginia obtained a vocational certification as a Licensed Certified Pharmacy Technician, allowing her to find employment in a high-demand profession. Working as a pharmacy technician enabled her to go back to school and graduate — the first person on either side of her family to ever attend college, let alone walk the stage, a moment she was so proud to have her children witness.

**With help from Goodwill, Virginia has more than a job. She has a career and the ability to support her family on her own.**

Hear Virginia's entire story at [goodwillsa.org/about/success-stories](https://goodwillsa.org/about/success-stories)

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