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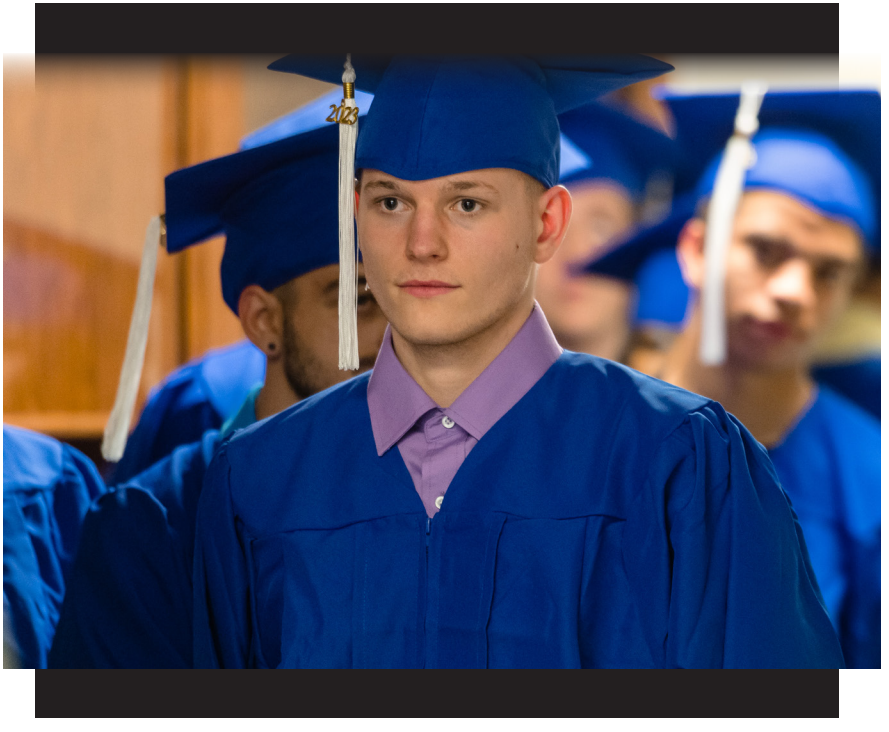

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Adelphoi youth face many challenges while in placement. Even more daunting, however, are the challenges they face once they leave our programs. Key to a youth's success after discharge is being able to obtain the vocational skills and education necessary to secure employment after graduation.

In order to help youth achieve a better future for themselves, Adelphoi has launched the Adelphoi Promise. The Adelphoi Promise is an initiative that will facilitate college enrollment and subsequent graduation for current and former Adelphoi youth. The program offers three tiers of assistance: financial support, life skills support, and academic support. Combined, these three facets will provide the best chance for at-risk youth to achieve post-secondary success.

ADELPHOI WILL PROVIDE CURRENT AND FORMER ADELPHOI YOUTH WITH THE FOLLOWING:

- Associate's Degree/Certificate at home community college
- Financial assistance for books
- Refurbished laptop computer, when applicable
- Guidance and support

PARTNERS

Adelphoi is affiliated on this project with:

Bucks County Community College
Butler County Community College
Community College of Allegheny County
Community College of Beaver County
Delaware County Community College
Harrisburg Area Community College
Lehigh-Carbon Community College
Montgomery County Community College
Penn Highlands Community College
Reading Area Community College
Westmoreland County Community College

This concept is expanding to other community colleges across the state. These community college partners will provide Adelphoi alumni with the tutoring, counseling, and mentoring that they will require to achieve their educational goals.

SUPPORT

The Adelphoi Promise is more than just financial assistance — it offers a firm hand to guide youth through the process of making post-secondary education a reality. Adelphoi employs a dedicated Adelphoi Promise administrator to help youth navigate the educational system. This administrator can assist in identifying a preferred area of study, filling out college applications and financial aid forms, scheduling placement exams, and overcoming obstacles to education such as transportation, books, tuition costs, etc. The administrator also works to engage the youth's family in the process of educational fulfillment in order to increase the chances of success for the youth.

"Adelphoi Promise helped me realize that when I apply myself, anything is possible. I turned my life around and now my future is bright. I have great expectations for my life that I didn't have before the program. I would do it a million times over again. I am forever thankful for the Promise Program."

-Meagan R., Adelphoi Promise Student

"The Adelphoi Promise has affected me in a huge way, and I personally thank everyone who made this possible. I have been handed a future filled with positive things, and various experiences. I am ready for those experiences and it is all thanks to the Adelphoi Promise. I now define myself not as a kid who made it through placement, but a kid who has gone through the treatment process and has people who care so much that they made it possible for me to make it in life."

-Ja'Shawn, Adelphoi Promise Student

ABOUT ADELPHOI

Adelphoi is a non-profit organization dedicated to providing a continuum of quality services to children, youth, and families. Headquartered in Latrobe, PA, Adelphoi has programs in 30 counties, serving nearly 1,000 youth and families on a daily basis and over 2,500 children annually. Adelphoi's vast continuum of care includes group homes, a Charter School, foster and adoption services, education programs, mental health services, after-school programs, in-home services, shelter care, multisystemic therapy, and secure care.

Adelphoi has over 700 employees and assists persons and communities in need from over 60 counties throughout the Commonwealth, as well as from Ohio and Delaware. Adelphoi's mission: Offering outcome-based solutions for abused, neglected, delinquent and other at-risk children and their families through a continuum of treatment and education services that provide a foundation of hope for the future.

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