

Contact Info

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When we love without limits, we empower others to live without them.

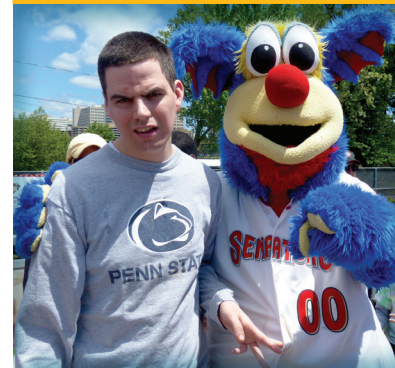
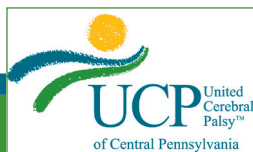
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Exploring--and embracing--
all life has to offer.

Engage with us!



person-centered focus

Community Participation Supports (CPS) is a forward-looking approach to the traditional center-based adult day program. The philosophy of CPS is simple: to provide individuals with as many choices as possible so they can experience meaningful personal growth, development, independence, and joy.

At UCP Central PA, we have over six decades of experience supporting people with complex needs in all aspects of their lives. Our role is to create opportunities and provide essential supports so *individuals of diverse abilities can develop and share their gifts as they go about their everyday lives*. We engage and encourage CPS participants to explore all options available to them, including social activities, volunteer service, and paid employment.

This intentional shift to greater inclusion is having an impact that extends far beyond the benefit to participants: *our community is better off for having been touched by these individuals*.



CPS offers a stimulating environment that is designed to **meet each individual's uniquely identified strengths and preferences, as well as their abilities**. By providing ample opportunities to more fully engage in the world around them, we encourage participants to:

- nurture their curiosity
- pursue their interests, desires, and dreams
- increase their independence
- develop and nurture valued relationships
- achieve their full employment potential
- give back to the community as volunteers
- build their natural support network
- experience meaningful community inclusion

a powerful experience

“My son's experience with CPS over the past year and a half has brought more faces and feelings (and even gainful employment) to our UCP experience. **What has moved me most is how Kenyay has blossomed and grown during his time there, in ways I had a hard time imagining he ever would.**”

~ Dee Barbour,
Kenyay's mom

