

DEC

DEVELOPMENTAL ENTERPRISES CORPORATION

NORRISTOWN TRAINING CENTER

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Launched in 1978, DEC's Norristown Training Center is fervently committed to supporting adults with developmental disabilities to reach their fullest potential by promoting self-sufficiency, independence and community involvement.

NTC is specifically designed to feature a highly stratified group structure, thereby allowing the Center's enormously dedicated staff to personalize the services they offer to enhance the quality of life enjoyed by each individual.



Among the key elements of this structure are the progressive groups that lead to transitional employment in the local community. One such group seeks to mirror an actual competitive work environment, enhancing the employability of those with developmental disabilities by preparing them for employment utilizing dress, attendance and production codes. Another group is specifically suited to meet the needs of individuals who have no more than a limited interest in work, preferring to concentrate on more community-focused activities that promote greater self-reliance, self-esteem and socialization, as well as good citizenship.



Much of the ongoing activity at the Norristown Training Center focuses on DEC's innovative Contract Packaging and Assembly program.

Individuals are trained by skilled professionals on a continuous basis to comfortably handle a wide variety of contracts, to

cost-effectively provide business customers with a quality job that is delivered on time and on budget.



Licensed by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania as a Work Activity Center, NTC provides developmentally disabled adults who participate in the Contract Packaging and Assembly program with considerably more than “just” an opportunity to supplement their income by working. The activity promotes a sense of purpose and worth, providing each individual with positive social integration, structure and a chance to both be productive and to grow.



With the support and participation of a dynamic parents group, the Norristown Training Center provides a dignified and positive environment in which developmentally disabled adults reap the benefits of truly meaningful and functional activities.

All volunteers are more than welcomed – they're cherished. We love having community residents visit with us, to share their talents, hobbies or interests. There are so many ways you can be a valuable part of the growing NTC family.

The DEC Norristown Training Center... where passion, training and vision make a positive difference in our community.

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