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To refer a veteran into treatment please contact:
Halfway Home of the Lehigh Valley Admissions
Tom Neel at:

610.439.2179

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Admission Criteria

- Veteran of military service: defined as having served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces, in all branches of service including activation into active duty as a member of the National Guard or as a Reservist;
- Male or female Pennsylvania resident;
- May or may not be involved with the Criminal Justice System;
- Violence in history accepted if part of addiction, military service, related to military service or PTSD, including domestic violence;
- Individual must either be eligible for Medical Assistance or have active VA benefits

Exclusionary Criteria

- History of Arson;
- History of Sexual Assault Rape; Involuntary Deviant Sexual Intercourse, and/or Indecent Assault;
- Moderate or severe Traumatic Brain Injury;
- Schizophrenia (thought disorder); Unmanaged or unstable psychiatric or medical condition, including detoxification;
- Violence not part of addiction;
- Non-ambulatory

Eligibility criteria includes trauma symptomatology of Post Traumatic Stress co-occurring with addiction/alcoholism

- Assessed for placement in treatment utilizing PA Client Placement Criteria
- Assessed for trauma symptomatology utilizing trauma screening instruments

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Keenan House is a 95-bed community-based residential Therapeutic Community (TC). It is fully licensed as an inpatient, non-hospital facility and provides habilitative and rehabilitative treatment services for men and women with chronic addiction, drug-related criminal offenses, co-occurring disorders, and both voluntary and involuntary placements. Individualized treatment programs are tailored to fit the needs of clients. Keenan House provides variable length, clinically driven PCPC level 3B and level 3C care.

The TC model has the highest likelihood of success for individuals referred through the criminal justice system. In the environment of a TC, residents have the opportunity to learn the concept of “right living”. Pro-social skills, work ethic, and healthy coping skills are a few of the benefits of the hierarchic model that encourages personal growth and social responsibility.

All clients, length-of-stay permitting, are expected to participate in a 3-week Vocational Education Class focused on Job Readiness Training.

The Halfway Home of the Lehigh Valley is a 40-bed community-based residential drug and alcohol treatment facility. It is professionally staffed and managed and offers a supportive, chemical-free, housing after recovery environment. Men and women are housed in separate facilities.

The Halfway Home of the Lehigh Valley is fully licensed as an inpatient, non-hospital, residential program and maintains contracts with various entities throughout Pennsylvania to serve those in need. It is a voluntary program designed for men and women who meet the PCPC for 2B level of residential care with a length of stay of between 90 and 180 days.

The Halfway Home of the Lehigh Valley offers individualized treatment services tailored to fit client needs as they develop the skills and resources to transition into self-regulated recovery.

This includes involvement in the 12-Step community for support; obtaining employment to sustain financial needs; and establishing a safe recovery-oriented environment for themselves and their families following completion of residential care.