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To learn more about the services offered through our Permanency Department, call 1-800-634-2560.

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What are Post-Permanency Services?

Post-Permanency Services are available for FREE to families who have provided permanency for children and youth. The goal is to help families identify their strengths, establish goals and locate community resources for ongoing support.

Who is Eligible to Receive Services?

All families who live in Pennsylvania and provide permanency through adoption or Permanent Legal Custodianship (PLC), whether or not they adopted a child from the child welfare system, privately, or internationally are eligible for Post-Permanency services through the Statewide Adoption and Permanency Network (SWAN).

Families are eligible to receive post-permanency services until the adopted child is 21 years old.

To access services,
call the SWAN Help Line
at 1-800-585-7926

What Services are Included?

Post-Permanency Services are provided by the Statewide Adoption and Permanency Network (SWAN) and include:

Case Assessment: Helps the family identify their strengths and needs, develop goals and a family support plan that will help them meet their goals.

Case Advocacy: Ensures the family has the community resources that best meet their needs.

Respite: Supports eligible families by developing resources to alleviate the pressures of parenting children with special needs. This can include funds for baby-sitters and may also include funds for activities for parents and children to strengthen their relationships.

Support Groups: Provide parents and children a chance to get together with other families and youth dealing with similar issues.

Ongoing Training: Trainings can also be made available to Post-Permanency families on requested topics to help parents and children learn and grow as cohesive families.

How do I Access Post-Permanency Services?

To access post-permanency services, call the SWAN Help Line at 1-800-585-7926 after your adoption has taken place.

If you have questions about post-permanency services, or would like assistance with making a referral, please contact Family Services of NW PA at 814-866-4500.



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