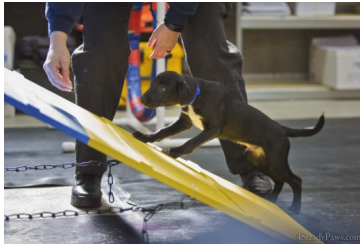


The Training Center



The training center allows small and large dogs alike, to gain confidence and build strong bodies in agility and conditioning while they are having fun.

Obedience and Nose Work classes are held each week at the training center. Call us for more information or registration for classes.



Volunteerism

CERT training promotes a partnering effort between emergency services and the people they serve. The goal is for emergency personnel to train members of neighborhoods, community organizations or workplace in basic response skills. CERT members are then integrated into the emergency response capability for their area. CERTs can be used to help out with community events. Volunteer to become part of a CERT.

WPSARDC is proud to be a Community Emergency Response Team.



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Operation: Take Me Home Lifesaving Programs for the At-Risk Population



Western Pennsylvania Search and Rescue Development Center is going the extra mile for the at-risk population.

Download our app and keep up to date with events and trainings. Families with at-risk loved ones, can enroll by downloading the enrollment application for Operation: Take Me Home.

This enrollment allows us to move quickly when a loved one wanders away or elopes.

Visit this site to download our app:

<http://m.appbuild.io/westernp1>



Electronic Tracking Program

It is an **active** system that relies on radio direction finding techniques and trained law enforcement, EMS and Fire/ Rescue personnel.

At-Risk people who are part of the program wear a personalized bracelet that emits a tracking signal. When caregivers notify the local agency that the person is missing, a team responds to the wanderer's area and starts searching with the radio receiver. Search times have been reduced from days to hours.

We are a medical provider under programs administered by the Pennsylvania Department of Human Services. We accept Consolidated and Person/Family Directed waivers for Home and Community Habilitation and Adult Autism Waivers.

The LifeCourse Framework starts with this core belief: *All people have the right to live, love, work, play and pursue their dreams and aspirations in the community.*

Becoming a qualified provider allows us to help people achieve that goal. Our training never stops and our goal to provide programs for the special need population and their families continues to be our mission.

