



# Austin's Place News

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Mission Statement: *To provide specialized, intensive transitionally-focused training for young adults graduating from traditional school systems who are diagnosed with autism spectrum, developmental and intellectual disabilities and who are moderately to significantly impaired.*

## VIP Spotlight

Nichole Toy



At Austin's Place, we are honored to have U.S. Army Veteran Nichole Toy as a Licensed Practical Nurse on our team. Nichole served in the U.S. Army 23rd AG Postal Company from



May 2000-August 2005. She was deployed to Afghanistan for 9 months in 2003.

Each year, November is designated as National Veterans and Military Families Month. It's appropriate that during this month we give thanks for what we have and hold dear – the blessings of freedom thanks to our Veterans.

Nichole's military skills, especially those of teamwork and punctuality help her tremendously in her role at Austin's Place. "We all need each other for a successful day, and being on time and helping each other out when needed makes that happen," she said.

Nichole has been working at Austin's Place since September 2018 "The friendly family atmosphere and how everyone works together is what I like best about working at Austin's Place," she added.

In her free time Nichole likes to go to camp with her family, watch movies, and listen to music.



Thank you for your service Nichole, and thank you for serving the clients at Austin's Place!



Our United Way contribution code/book number for donations is: **12820486**

## A note from the President...

### *Thankful*

Just a short note this month to share my gratitude with all of you –

I am thankful for our amazing clients, our talented staff, generous volunteers, community supporters, caring family and friends, and everyone else who has helped and continues to help Austin's Place grow, expand, and succeed.

As we head into the holiday season, I wish each of you a happy, healthy, and safe season. We will be enjoying the holidays, and of course sharing all the pictures of our activities on our Facebook page ([www.facebook.com/AustinsPlacePA](http://www.facebook.com/AustinsPlacePA)).

Stay warm, enjoy....and THANK YOU for your support year-round. We couldn't do what we do without all of you.

~ Bonnie Wilczynski, President

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