



York Area Advisory Council



Penney Hoffman, has been married to her husband Mike for over 32 years. She is a mom and co-guardian to her two adult children with Autism. They moved to PA in 2004 to obtain better services, for Mike's job and to be closer to family.

"I joined the Easterseals Advisory Council to advocate for my 2 Adult children and give insight and feedback on activities they have enjoyed and in which they might be interested."

Besides being a mom, Penney is a cook, a housekeeper, daily planner, transporter to daily activities, appointments of all kinds, and supporting recreational and social activities. Penney also oversees the Easterseals Bowling Program in York.

Penney enjoys the beach, pool, gardening, traveling, wine making, walking the dog . . . and shopping!!

Welcome Penney!



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Michael Gelinas works for Barry Isett & Associates as a code specialist. As a Building Code Official in Pennsylvania Mike performs plan reviews and new construction inspections for residential and commercial properties. These inspections ensure building code compliance for accessibility, health, fire and life safety for multiple municipalities. Mike is a 2008 graduate of York College and interned at Easterseals for a semester.

"I believe that my professional and academic experiences enable me to make a strong contribution to Easterseals by expanding awareness and access to all the programs, events and gatherings."

Welcome Mike!



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Casi Babinchak lives in York with her husband, Mike, and Great Pyrenees, Wilson. Casi is a graduate of Susquehannock High School, Elizabethtown College and Loyola University of Maryland. She is a Senior Facilities Manager with Warfel Construction, but her education and previous experience in behavioral health led her to want to donate some free time in the not-for-profit human services arena by volunteering with Easterseals. Otherwise, in her spare time, Casi enjoys many outdoor activities, including hiking, biking, and Penn State tailgates, as well as traveling to, among other places, Denver, CO, to visit her 25-year-old daughter, Alex, and Pittsburgh, PA, to visit her 23-year-old son, Luke. She also enjoys reading and writing and is the author of a children's book based on the true story of her son's plant which was left behind at Penn State during the pandemic.

Welcome Casi!



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Matt is a 2008 York College graduate. He became involved with Easterseals and the Advisory Council through his exposure to the programs through his wife and a close family friend who has benefited from the programs. "Community involvement and any support I can provide is an important value I've been taught over the years."

Welcome Matt!