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iCanConnect, Website Evaluations

Access Technology Center staff are involved with two exciting projects:

The iCanConnect project, launched in July 2012, can provide telecommunications equipment, including computers, to people who meet hearing, vision and income guidelines of the iCanConnect grant. You do not have to be totally deaf or totally blind to qualify for assistance through this program. For more information, please contact Spero Pipakis at 412-368-4400 ext. 3415.

In cooperation with National Industries for The Blind, we have begun a program to test websites for compliance to section 508 and WCAG AA standards. As part of the testing, we ask people who use assistive technology to evaluate websites and complete specific tasks. After completing the tasks, the evaluator completes a brief report. We are compiling a list of website evaluators to help with this project. If you are interested in helping with this website testing program, contact Spero Pipakis at 412-368-4400 ext. 3415.

Wishing all of you a prosperous New Year.