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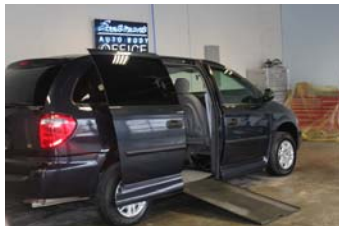
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Paying It Forward: UCP of Suffolk Receives Accessible Van Donated Accessible Van From State Farm



Hauppauge, NY - UCP of Suffolk received a wheelchair accessible van and two motorized wheelchairs donated from State Farm. The organization was presented with the van at a ceremony at Scotsman's Collision in Mount Sinai on March 26, 2015.

The van will be used by UCP of Suffolk's Residential Program to transport individuals with disabilities to appointments and community events. The two motorized wheelchairs will be used at UCP of Suffolk's Health Center in Central Islip.

State Farm originally donated the van to Little Sisters of the Poor and the organization in turn donated the van back to State Farm for UCP of Suffolk. Working with the Long Island Auto Body Repairmen's Association (LIABRA), National Auto Body Council (NABC), Scotsman Collision, and State Farm the vehicle was transported from Pennsylvania to Long Island and refurbished for donation.

"We are so appreciative of this wonderful donation which will greatly benefit our individuals in many ways," Stephen H. Friedman, President, CEO of UCP of Suffolk said. "It is through the generosity and support of all parties involved that we can continue to provide Life Without Limits for people with disabilities."

United Cerebral Palsy Association of Greater Suffolk, Inc. (UCP of Suffolk) For over 60 years, UCP of Suffolk has been committed to advancing the independence, productivity, and full citizenship of people with disabilities by creating *Life Without Limits*. UCP of Suffolk provides programs and services to almost 3,500 children and adults with a variety of disabilities annually. The Children's Center at UCP of Suffolk offers early intervention, preschool and school aged programs. The agency provides Adult Day services which include Day Treatment, Day Habilitation and Respite programs, and job training and placement services. In addition, UCP of Suffolk owns and operates 31 residences throughout Suffolk County, a twelve unit apartment complex, and a comprehensive, fully accessible Health Center.

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