


out-of-school youth aged 14-21 receive tutoring, job readiness and retention training, and both paid and unpaid work experiences with local businesses. We provide at least 12 months' individualized guidance, targeting graduation or GED/HSED completion, and full-time, stable employment or secondary education.


 In 1999, Renewal Unlimited was chosen to replicate the **Wisconsin Fresh Start** program's nearly three decades of success in Dane County. Eligible Columbia County youth aged 17-24 who have had difficulty in a traditional academic setting will receive individualized tutoring to complete a GED/HSED -- while learning general workplace skills and construction techniques as they remodel or build a single family house! Participants are *paid* Renewal employees, and are eligible for a significant grant toward further education or training.


For Employment & Training information in Sauk Co., call (608) 356-2912; in Columbia or Dodge, call (608) 742-5329 or 1-800-344-7543

## Family Services and Housing Assistance

Renewal's mission is to provide meaningful support for families, individuals, and children to live happy, healthy, more independent lives in our rural communities. Two more ways we help:



 The HCRI/Home programs: opportunities for qualified, low-income families to successfully find, finance, and maintain a home of their own... or to get help in an emergency. These grants provide home-ownership training, consultation, and support, and make financial assistance available for down payments, closing, and other costs. Other families in difficult, short-term situations may qualify for help with security deposits, utilities, rent, or taxes. Available in Adams, Columbia, Juneau, & Sauk counties.

 Renewal offers a variety of prevention-based programs in Sauk and Columbia counties through a collaboration with Hope House and other partnerships, including parenting workshops, the Nurturing Program, the Family Mentoring Program. Offered at a variety of convenient sites, these programs provide support for families,

positive parenting techniques, and information about special concerns such as intimate partner violence.

Call (608) 742-5329 for general information. **VOLUNTEERS** needed -- make a difference!

## Professional Speakers, Training & Consultation

Renewal Unlimited's experience in providing human services for children, women, young adults, and families spans four decades and two millennia -- we'd like to share our expertise and up-to-date information with your professional or private group! Whether you need a speaker on early childhood issues for a luncheon, training on building Developmental Assets in your church congregation, or the highly-evaluated "Alcohol and Other Drug Abuse Core Group Training" for your school district, Renewal professionals can custom-design a program to meet your needs. Our dedication to providing high-quality services to rural South Central Wisconsin means practical, cutting-edge training based on *local* issues and needs!

Call 1-800-344-7543 for more information.

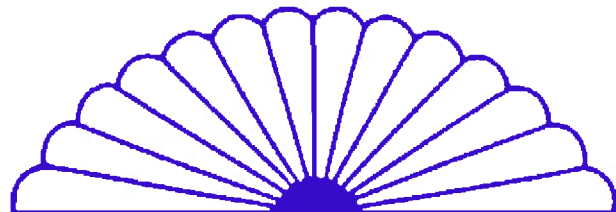


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