

## Overview of Keystone Apprenticeship Alliance

The **Keystone Apprenticeship Alliance (KAA)** is a cross-organizational coalition of practitioners and partners dedicated to promoting and expanding the use of apprenticeship programs across the state of Pennsylvania. The Alliance is made up of a diverse range of stakeholders, including labor unions, training providers, employers, community organizations, and government agencies.

Through the **community of practice model**, the KAA provides a platform for members to **collaborate**, **share best practices**, **and advocate for apprenticeship programs** to policy makers, employers, and community leaders.

## KAA Activities include:

- Monthly Statewide Meetings with the ATO.
- Monthly Working Group Meetings focused on specific sectors and stakeholders.
- In-person Meetings in coordination with PWDA events.
- Technical Assistance (TA) for developing and managing RA and Pre-RA programs.
- PA Apprenticeship and Training Council (PATC)
  Debriefs following each PATC meeting.

## **KAA Working Groups**

- Agriculture
- Healthcare
- Information Technology
- Manufacturing
- Public Workforce
- Training Providers

By continuing to offer professional development and a community of support to apprenticeship practitioners from a wide range of industries and sectors, the KAA builds the entire professional field where registered apprenticeship sits – at the intersection of workforce, education, labor, and government.

