

January 10, 2014

On September 16th the New York State Department of State accepted the Certificate of Incorporation submitted by **Consumer Directed Services, Inc.** under section 404 of the Not-for-Profit Law. A certificate that included the following statement:

To insure that the corporation remains focused on the empowerment of the people being served, as the service population grows, the corporation will expand the Board of Director Membership to insure that a majority of its seats are held by people with disabilities.

To assist Consumers with the problem of finding new Personal Care Assistants, [Consumer Directed Services](http://www.consumerdirectedservices.com) created a FREE Employment Information Bridge between Consumers and PCA Candidates.

- **[Consumers / Advocates](#)**

- To receive a copy of the weekly Newsletter, a Consumer or Advocate need only send me an email to elitcher@consumerdirectedservices.com and include your name and the text **Newsletter Request**.
- To search for a New Personal Assistant go to the [Consumer Directed Services](http://www.consumerdirectedservices.com) website and complete the form at the following link [Consumer / Advocate - Search for a PCA Candidate](#). When your information is received it will be distributed to all of the PCA Candidates enrolled in the database and a variety of other Employment Resources.

- **[Personal Care Assistant \(PCA\) Candidates](#)**

To include your information in the Newsletter and Database, go to the [Consumer Directed Services](http://www.consumerdirectedservices.com) website and complete the form at the following link: [Look for a PCA Job \(FREE\) - New York City Metro](#).

Previously distributed Newsletters (**from January 12, 2011 to present**) have been archived on the [Consumer Directed Services](http://www.consumerdirectedservices.com) home page. Finally, if you have any questions, comments, or recommendations about this service, or should you wish to remove your address from this list, please contact send an email to elitcher@consumerdirectedservices.com.

Best Regards, Ed Litcher

Notes

Consumers Wanted: *For an Employment Information Bridge to work it requires traffic to flow in both directions. If you are in a Consumer Directed Personal Assistance Program, you will eventually need to find a new Home Care Worker. And up to now you may have relied upon Friends, Family, an Agency or you may have chosen to put your own advertisement on the Internet (See the list of Internet resources on the PCA Employment Agency page of this newsletter). Therefore, to help you find the PCA Candidate of your choice, I urge you, to do everything you ordinarily do, to consider an Internet resource and to try www.ConsumerDirectedServices.com. Finally, if you try Consumer Directed Services, please spread the word. Tell your friends and associates about this **FREE** service.*

Consumers Searching

Should you require additional information
Please Contact the Consumer Directly.

(barbek77@gmail.com) on Wednesday, January 8, 2014 at 10:47:40

Consumer: Barbara
Address1: Bensonhurst, Brooklyn, NY
Phone: 917-817-2033
Best Time: 9am -7pm
Email Authorization: Yes
Consumer Age: Older than 70
Consumer Gender: Female
Payroll Method: Agency
Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health
Description of Languages: English, some Polish, some etc
Preferred Candidate Gender: Female
Required Documentation: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,,
Recommendations
Hours: 10
Days: 2

Start Time: 9am
Pay Per Hour: 11.10

BETTY TOLLIVER on Thursday, December 26, 2013 at 09:17:18

Consumer: BETTY TOLLIVER

Address1: 546 MAIN ST.

Address2: Apt. 1111

Address3: ROOSEVELT. ISLAND. NY. 10044

Phone: 212 593 1882

Best Time: 9am -7pm

Fax: 212 593 1882

Consumer Age: Between 51 and 70

Consumer Gender: Female

Payroll Method: Agency

Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health

Candidate Experience: Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Special Diets,,
Languages

Description of Special Diets: None

Description of Languages: ENGLISH

Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

Required Documentation: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,,
Recommendations

Hours: 12

Description of Schedule: Hours are flexible

Pay Per Hour: 10.or 11

Pay Per Day: 12

Pay Per Week: 24-60

Comments: PLEASE CALL AND TALK MAYBE HOURS COULD BE
CHANGED.

(pa.search.7@gmail.com) on Wednesday, December 11, 2013 at 18:09:59

Consumer: Jo

Address1: Franklin St in Tribeca

Email Authorization: Yes

Consumer Age: Between 21 and 30

Consumer Gender: Female

Payroll Method: Agency

Type of Candidates: Domestic / Homemaking

Required Documentation: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,,
Recommendations

Hours: 4

Days: 2

Description of Schedule: Sunday and Tuesday 11-3

Pay Per Hour: 10.00

Comments: Seeking personal assistant for two mornings a week. Must be able to cook, clean and write well. If interested send cover letter and resume. No smokers.

sstern1008@aol.com on Tuesday, December 10, 2013 at 13:29:42

Consumer: Sharon Stern

Address1: 540 Main St #1008

Phone: 212-758-1274 - Best Time: 4pm-8pm

Email Authorization: Yes

Consumer Age: Between 51 and 70

Consumer Gender: Female

Payroll Method: Agency

Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health

Candidate Experience: Quadriplegia,, Ventilators,, Wheelchairs,, Languages

Description of Languages: English - Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

Required Documentation: Social Security Number,

Hours: 12 - Days: 4 - Start Time: 8am

Pay Per Hour: 10/11WkE

**Consumers please submit your information using the
following link:**

[Consumer / Advocate - Search for a PCA Candidate](#)

PCA Candidates

Consumer Directed Services is not an Agency and makes no representation (positive or negative) regarding the appropriateness of any PCA Candidate, or the terms and conditions of any employment relationship. All employment and payment decisions are the exclusive responsibility of the Consumer.

Dear Personal Care Assistant Candidate,

*I would like to thank you for your participation in Consumer Directed Services. If you submitted your **more than one year ago**, please complete and submit a new [Personal Assistant Enrollment Form](#). When the updated information is received, your new profile will be added to the next newsletter. Again thank you for your participation.*

(mwilliams2089@hotmail.com) on Wednesday, January 8, 2014 at 16:54:10

Personal Assistant Candidate: Myesha Williams

Phone: 3026858461

Best Time: anytime

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No

Consumer/Surrogate References Available: No

Enrolled with a CDPAP: No

Experience: Children,, Seniors,, Wheelchairs,

Certificate/License: Driver's License,, Other,

Description of Other Certificate/License: CMA

Hours per Week: 30

Days per Week: 4-5

Preferred Start Time: 9 am

Days I Would Like to Work: M-F

I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: yes

Target Salary Per Hour: 12

Comments: I am a certified medical assistant looking to get my foot in the door within the medical field. I love to assist others in helping with activities of daily living. I have pervious experience working with the elderly as well as children. My educational background has taught me the basics of health care and assistance. With your help I promise to care for you and help you in anyway needed.

(LOVINLIFE512@YMAIL.COM) on Wednesday, January 8, 2014 at 10:11:23

Personal Assistant Candidate: CHEREECE BURRIS

Address1: 65 WEST 192 STREET BRONX, NY
Phone: (646)303-8348
Best Time: ANYTIME
Gender: Female
Type of Position: Other Type of Position
Description of Other Type of Position: MEDICAID PROVIDER
Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No
Consumer/Surrogate References Available: No
Years Employed with a Consumer/Surrogate: N/A
Enrolled with a CDPAP: No
CDPAP Agency Name(s): N/A
Experience: Children,, Teens,, Young Adults,, Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Quadriplegia,, Hemiplegia,, Ventilators,, Lifters,, Other Equipment,, Other,
Description of Languages: ENGLISH
Description of Other: TRACHS AND G-TUBES
Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,, Recommendations
Certificate/License: LPN or PN,, Driver's License,
Hours per Week: 12
Days per Week: 3
Preferred Start Time: ASAP
Days I Would Like to Work: EVERY OYHER WEEKEND & MON/WED/FRI
I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: NOT AT THE TIME
Target Salary Per Hour: NEG
Target Salary Per Day: NEG
Target Salary Per Week: NEG
Comments: IM A LOVING,COMPASSIONATE AND CARING LPN WITH G-TUBE, TRACH AND VENT EXPERIENCE

stephlove86@aol.com on Tuesday, January 7, 2014 at 22:38:39

Personal Assistant Candidate: Stephanie Minette
Address1: 2101A Pacific St
Address2: Brooklyn NY 11233
Address3: 1st floor
Phone: 3473565143
Best Time: any
Gender: Female
Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health
Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No
Enrolled with a CDPAP: No
Experience: Children,, Teens,, Young Adults,, Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Quadriplegia,,

Hemiplegia,, Amputation,, Ventilators,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Other Equipment,, Visual / Auditory Impairments,, Special Diets,
Description of Special Diets: tube feed, choke precautions
Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,
Certificate/License: Driver's License,, Other,
Description of Other Certificate/License: CAN for 9 years and patient care technician for 2 years
Hours per Week: 30
Days per Week: 5
Preferred Start Time: 9 am
Days I Would Like to Work: Mon to Fri
I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: yes
Target Salary Per Week: 500
Comments: Experience in hospital and nursing home i am also experienced as a student nurse

(ag3585@nyu.edu) on Tuesday, January 7, 2014 at 04:00:43

Personal Assistant Candidate: Andrea Garcia
Address1: 1763 2nd Ave
Address2: 39J
Address3: NY, NY 10128
Phone: 646-532-7211
Gender: Female
Type of Position: Other Type of Position
Description of Other Type of Position: Nursing, PCA, HHA (I'm an RN)
Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No
Consumer/Surrogate References Available: No
Enrolled with a CDPAP: No
Experience: Children,, Young Adults,, Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Quadriplegia,, Hemiplegia,, Amputation,, Wheelchairs,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,, Visual / Auditory Impairments,, Special Diets,, Languages, Other,
Description of Special Diets: Tube feeding, dysphasia precautions
Description of Languages: First language is English, Spanish-fluent
Description of Other: Produced Hartford Institute senior care guide
Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,, Recommendations
Certificate/License: RN,, Driver's License,, Other,
Description of Other Certificate/License: BLS/CPR
Days I Would Like to Work: I am completely flexible
I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: Sorry, I am unable to.
Target Salary Per Hour: flexible
Target Salary Per Day: flexible

Target Salary Per Week: flexible

Comments: Externship

NYU-Langone Medical Center's Hospital for Joint Diseases

Demonstrated Skills

Blood drawing · IV insertion · EKG recording and interpretation · Telemetry initiation and analysis · Interpretation of lab values · Foley insertion and removal · Drug administration via IV, IM, SQ, PO, rectal, inhalation, and transdermal routes · PICC line care and dressing change · Wound care and dressing change · Blood transfusion · Thorough understanding of medication side effects, adverse effects, interactions, and contraindications · Full physical assessment and targeted assessment · Post-op patients : transfer methods, physical therapy, rehab, pain management · PEG tube care and use · Participation in interdisciplinary rounds · Patient admission and discharge · Medical Response Team Protocol · Spanish Fluency · Epic Clinical Systems proficiency

jasminenicole563@yahoo.com on Monday, January 6, 2014 at 18:11:53

Personal Assistant Candidate: Jasmine Massie

Address1: 201 West 93rd Street

Phone: 347 847 4091

Best Time: morning

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No

Enrolled with a CDPAP: No

Experience: Children,, Seniors,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Other Equipment,, Languages

Description of Languages: English

Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,

Certificate/License: Personal Care,

Hours per Week: n/a

Days per Week: n/a

Preferred Start Time: n/a

Days I Would Like to Work: Monday-Friday every other weekend

I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: Yes

JalenAndux@gmail.com on Monday, January 6, 2014 at 16:50:53

Personal Assistant Candidate: Jalen Andux

Address1: 60 Amsterdam Avenue

Address2: apartment 5D

Phone: 347 372 2527

Best Time: evening

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No

Consumer/Surrogate References Available: No

Enrolled with a CDPAP: No

Experience: Seniors,, Ventilators,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Other Equipment,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,, Visual / Auditory Impairments,, Special Diets,

Description of Special Diets: gastric tube feeding, low salt, diabetics

Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,, Recommendations

Certificate/License: Personal Care,, Driver's License,

Hours per Week: 28+

Days per Week: 3-5

Preferred Start Time: any

Days I Would Like to Work: Monday-Thursday

I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: yes

Target Salary Per Hour: 13

Target Salary Per Day: 150

Target Salary Per Week: 500

erabajante1964@gmail.com on Monday, January 6, 2014 at 12:59:36

Personal Assistant Candidate: Edwin Rabajante

Address1: 4827 91 Pl

Phone: 347 303 7514

Best Time: 7 A - 10P

Gender: Male

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No

Consumer/Surrogate References Available: Yes

Enrolled with a CDPAP: No

Experience: Seniors,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,, Special Diets,, Other,

Description of Special Diets: G Tube

Description of Languages: English, Tagalog

Description of Other: Suprapubic Catheter

Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,, Recommendations

Certificate/License: Driver's License,, Other,

Description of Other Certificate/License: CNA, NYS Security Guard License & Certificate

Hours per Week: 60

Days per Week: 5

Preferred Start Time: ASAP

Days I Would Like to Work: Mon - Fri

I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: If possible no for I have a 16 month little girl.

Target Salary Per Hour: 15

Comments: I always work to the best of my ability to satisfy my client.

(Domonickking@aol.com) on Sunday, January 5, 2014 at 21:44:21

Personal Assistant Candidate: Domonick King

Address1: 433 Beach 40th Street Apt3K

Phone: 347 776-4654

Best Time: 9-5

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No

Enrolled with a CDPAP: No

Experience: Children,, Teens,, Young Adults,, Seniors,

Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,, Recommendations

Certificate/License: Personal Care,, Driver's License,, Other,

Description of Other Certificate/License: CNA

Hours per Week: 40

Days per Week: 5

Preferred Start Time: 9am

Days I Would Like to Work: Monday- Friday

I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: Yes

Target Salary Per Hour: Open

Target Salary Per Day: Open

Target Salary Per Week: Open

REFERENCES: Available upon request

(rildapcrossley@gmail.com) on Sunday, January 5, 2014 at 15:41:01

Personal Assistant Candidate: Rilda Royal

Address1: 776 North Oak Drive 2nd floor

Address2: Bronx NY

Address3: 10467

Phone: 646 286 1777

Best Time: any time

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: Yes

Consumer/Surrogate References Available: Yes
Years Employed with a Consumer/Surrogate: 2008
Enrolled with a CDPAP: Yes
CDPAP Agency Name(s): Concepts of Independence
Experience: Children,, Teens,, Young Adults,, Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Quadriplegia,, Hemiplegia,, Amputation,, Ventilators,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Other Equipment,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,, Visual / Auditory Impairments,, Special Diets,
Description of Special Diets: low fat -low salt
Description of Languages: English
Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,, Recommendations
Certificate/License: Personal Care,, Home Health Aid,
Hours per Week: 40+
Days per Week: 4 days
Preferred Start Time: 8 to 8
Days I Would Like to Work: Mon to Thurs
I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: yes
Target Salary Per Hour: 10to12
Target Salary Per Week: week
Comments: Experienced home health aid that has provided quality personal care to elderly and mental disabilities patient's ability to communicate with all type of people certified home health aid provided patients and families with emotional support and instruction in areas such as preparing healthy meals independent living and adaptation to disability and illness.

Jeankelly1984@gmail.com on Sunday, January 5, 2014 at 13:11:04

Personal Assistant Candidate: Jean Kelly
Address1: 27 E. 89 Street
Address2: Brooklyn NY 11236
Address3: PO Box 30102, Brooklyn 11203
Phone: 7183451726
Best Time: 8-10am
Gender: Female
Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health
Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: Yes
Consumer/Surrogate References Available: Yes
Years Employed with a Consumer/Surrogate: 7 years
Enrolled with a CDPAP: Yes
CDPAP Agency Name(s): Concept of. Independence
Experience: Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Languages
Description of Languages: English
Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,, Recommendations

Description of Other Certificate/License: Certified nursing assistant certificate

Hours per Week: 40

Days per Week: 5

Preferred Start Time: 2/2014

Days I Would Like to Work: Monday-Friday

I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: Yes

Target Salary Per Hour: 12.00

Comments: I am a quick learner with the ability to adapt quickly to a challenging situation. I have worked with bed and wheel chair bound individuals.

tashagaymiller@yahoo.com on Sunday, January 5, 2014 at 11:08:52

Personal Assistant Candidate: Tasha Gay Miller

Address1: 165-17

Address2: 120 Avenue

Address3: Jamaica NY 11434

Phone: 347 869 7555

Best Time: anytime

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No

Enrolled with a CDPAP: No

Experience: Children,, Teens,, Young Adults,, Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Quadriplegia,, Hemiplegia,, Amputation,, Ventilators,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Other Equipment,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,, Visual / Auditory Impairments,, Special Diets,

Description of Special Diets: diabetic and strictly fluid

Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,, Recommendations

Certificate/License: Personal Care,, Other,

Description of Other Certificate/License: certified nursing assistant and patient care technician

Hours per Week: 50

Days per Week: 5-6

Preferred Start Time: 2/6/14

Days I Would Like to Work: Mon - Fri or weekend

I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: yes

Target Salary Per Hour: 15-20

Comments: I have 2 1/2 years of experience working with disabled elderly and 1 year working in nursing home, I have experience with hover lifts wheel chair, visually impaired, paralysis and people with a tracheotomy. I am a very loving, kind and extremely patient you won't regret hiring me.

mariemoroselpn@gmail.com on Sunday, January 5, 2014 at 09:50:19

Personal Assistant Candidate: Marie Morose

Address1: 214-33A Hillside Ave

Address2: Queens Village NY 11427

Phone: (347) 676-9114

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No

Enrolled with a CDPAP: No

Experience: Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Amputation,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,, Visual / Auditory Impairments,

Description of Special Diets: diabetic, hypertensive

Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,

Certificate/License: Home Health Aid,, LPN or PN,

I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: yes

Target Salary Per Hour: 10-20

Tracyrat@gmail.com on Saturday, January 4, 2014 at 20:07:19

Personal Assistant Candidate: Tracy Rattigan

Address1: 55 Oakmont Ave

Address2: Hempstead

Address3: NY 11550

Phone: 410 624 9060

Gender: Female

Description of Other Type of Position: LPN

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No

Consumer/Surrogate References Available: No

Enrolled with a CDPAP: No

Experience: Children,, Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Hemiplegia,, Amputation,, Wheelchairs,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,, Visual / Auditory Impairments,, Special Diets,, Languages

Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,, Recommendations

Certificate/License: LPN or PN,, Driver's License,

Hours per Week: 60

Days per Week: 5

Preferred Start Time: ASAP

Days I Would Like to Work: Monday to Friday

Comments: I worked at Johns Hopkins Hospital and cared for a variety of patients with different diagnosis. I take my position and the deliverance of my care very seriously.

shanequa.donovan@yahoo.com on Saturday, January 4, 2014 at 18:10:30

Personal Assistant Candidate: Shanequa Donovan
Address1: 133-35 149street Jamaica NY
Phone: 3473037967
Best Time: Anytime
Gender: Female
Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health
Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No
Consumer/Surrogate References Available: No
Enrolled with a CDPAP: No
Experience: Children,, Teens,, Young Adults,, Seniors,, Wheelchairs,
Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,
Certificate/License: Personal Care,, Home Health Aid,, Driver's License,
Hours per Week: 40
Days per Week: 5
Days I Would Like to Work: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday
I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: Yes
Target Salary Per Hour: 10
Target Salary Per Day: 120
Target Salary Per Week: 500
Comments: I have 2 years of HHA experience

g.asirifi@yahoo.com on Saturday, January 4, 2014 at 15:55:38

Personal Assistant Candidate: GEORGE A ASIRIFI
Address1: 301 E 193RD ST
Address3: 10458
Phone: 347-998-5863
Best Time: Anytime
Gender: Male
Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health
Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No
Consumer/Surrogate References Available: No
Enrolled with a CDPAP: No
Experience: Children,, Young Adults,, Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Quadriplegia,, Hemiplegia,,
Amputation,, Ventilators,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Other Equipment,, Mental Impairments /
Alzheimer's Disease,, Visual / Auditory Impairments,, Special Diets,
Description of Special Diets: Diabetic Diet
Description of Languages: English
Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,, Recommendations

Certificate/License: Home Health Aid,

Hours per Week: 60hr

Days per Week: 5

Preferred Start Time: Anytime

I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: Yes

Target Salary Per Hour: \$12/hr

Comments: I am Civil Engineering Technician from Africa but I have 7 years experience in Home Health Aide job. My Resume and References will be available when you call me for an interview.

zorabedianm@gmail.com on Saturday, January 4, 2014 at 13:16:56

Personal Assistant Candidate: Marlene Zorabedian

Address1: 3039 Wilson Avenue

Address2: Apartment #2

Address3: Bronx, NY 10469

Phone: (718) 753-2094

Best Time: anytime

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Other Type of Position

Description of Other Type of Position: Registered Nurse

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No

Enrolled with a CDPAP: No

Experience: Children,, Teens,, Young Adults,, Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Quadriplegia,, Hemiplegia,, Amputation,, Ventilators,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Other Equipment,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,, Visual / Auditory Impairments,, Special Diets,

Description of Special Diets: peg tube feedings

Documentation Available: Social Security Number,

Certificate/License: Driver's License,

Description of Other Certificate/License: New York State RN License/ACLS/PALS/BLS

Hours per Week: 40

Days per Week: 7

Preferred Start Time: ASAP

Days I Would Like to Work: anytime day or night shift

I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: if needed

Target Salary Per Hour: 35-45

Job Function: Healthcare & Medical

Highest Education: 4-Year College Degree

Portfolio: <http://www.beyond.com/REGISTERED-NURSE-10469>

tbedeau25@gmail.com on Saturday, January 4, 2014 at 08:50:54

Personal Assistant Candidate: Tamika Bedeau

Address1: 35 Marcy Pl 7h

Address2: Bronx NY 10452

Phone: 6469028177

Best Time: 6469028177

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No

Consumer/Surrogate References Available: No

Years Employed with a Consumer/Surrogate: n/a

Enrolled with a CDPAP: No

Experience: Children,, Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Hemiplegia,, Amputation,, Wheelchairs,, Other Equipment,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,, Visual / Auditory Impairments,

Description of Special Diets: no salt, regular and low calorie diabetic

Documentation Available: Social Security Number,

Certificate/License: Personal Care,, Home Health Aid,

Hours per Week: 40+

Days per Week: 8

dap.etienne@gmail.com on Saturday, January 4, 2014 at 02:59:58

Personal Assistant Candidate: Daphney Etienne

Address1: 481 Wales Ave

Address2: Bronx NY 10455

Phone: 7187156498

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Other Type of Position

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No

Consumer/Surrogate References Available: No

Enrolled with a CDPAP: No

Experience: Children,, Teens,, Young Adults,, Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Amputation,, Ventilators,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Other Equipment,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,, Visual / Auditory Impairments,, Special Diets,

Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,, Recommendations

Certificate/License: Home Health Aid,, Driver's License,

Hours per Week: 60

Days per Week: 6

Preferred Start Time: open

Days I Would Like to Work: open

I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: no

Target Salary Per Hour: 11

Target Salary Per Day: 130

Target Salary Per Week: 600

Comments: I have a extended experience working with a license agency. I have the proper training to do to any position from companionship to personal care or private care. I never take a position for its pay because I personally think it would not work; you have to want to do this deep down to help patient who can't do for themselves. I love to help people are in need or just need a companion or someone to listen help a little it's passion of mine not just a job.

(rshaquaysha@gmail.com) on Friday, January 3, 2014 at 23:10:27

Personal Assistant Candidate: Shaquayaha

Address1: 2085 Rockaway parkway

Address2: 2b

Phone: 3477136905

Best Time: 3:00pm

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No

Consumer/Surrogate References Available: No

Enrolled with a CDPAP: No

Experience: Children,, Seniors,

Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,

Description of Other Certificate/License: none

Hours per Week: 3

Days per Week: 5

Preferred Start Time: 7:30am

Days I Would Like to Work: Monday to Friday

I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: yes

Target Salary Per Hour: 6

Target Salary Per Day: 2

Target Salary Per Week: 8

(Charmainetalbert24@gmail.com) on Friday, January 3, 2014 at 21:07:09

Personal Assistant Candidate: Charmaine Talbert

Address1: 1168 Stratford Ave Bronx NY

Phone: 347 598 1575

Best Time: Any

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health
Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No
Enrolled with a CDPAP: No
Experience: Children,, Teens,, Young Adults,, Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Quadriplegia,,
Amputation,, Ventilators,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Visual / Auditory Impairments,, Special Diets,
Description of Special Diets: Diabetic
Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,, Recommendations
Certificate/License: Personal Care,
Hours per Week: 40+
Days per Week: 7
Preferred Start Time: Any
Days I Would Like to Work: Any
I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: Yes
Target Salary Per Day: 125
Comments: I am looking to pursue my career as a LPN . This would be a great start.

(Contessanicole1984@yahoo.com) on Friday, January 3, 2014 at 20:36:35

Personal Assistant Candidate: Nicolette DiCaprio
Address1: 80 Osborn st.
Phone: 347-627-9939
Best Time: 5pm-11pm
Gender: Female
Type of Position: Domestic / Homemaking
Experience: Children,, Teens,, Young Adults,, Seniors,, Wheelchairs,, Mental Impairments /
Alzheimer's Disease,, Visual / Auditory Impairments,
Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,
Hours: 8
Days: 5
Start Time: 9am
Pay Per Hour: 12

(lisajones_2013@hotmail.com) on Friday, January 3, 2014 at 20:13:01

Personal Assistant Candidate: Lisa Jones
Address1: 455 east 94 St, Brooklyn, NY
Phone: 347-393-7914
Best Time: 3473937914
Gender: Female
Type of Position: Domestic / Homemaking
Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No

Enrolled with a CDPAP: No

Experience: Children,, Seniors,, Lifters,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,, Special Diets,

Description of Special Diets: diabetic, low sodium, diet

Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,, Recommendations

Certificate/License: Personal Care,, Home Health Aid,

Hours per Week: 40+

Days per Week: 7dys

Preferred Start Time: anytime

Days I Would Like to Work: open

I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: yes

Target Salary Per Hour: open

Target Salary Per Day: open

Target Salary Per Week: open

(swanholder@gmail.com) on Friday, January 3, 2014 at 14:50:58

Personal Assistant Candidate: Swan Rodriguez

Address1: 400 Convent Ave

Address2: New York, NY 10031

Phone: 3477921594

Best Time: anytime

Type of Position: Domestic / Homemaking

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No

Enrolled with a CDPAP: No

Experience: Young Adults,, Seniors,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,

Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,

Certificate/License: Personal Care,, Home Health Aid,, Driver's License,

Hours per Week: 40

Days per Week: 5

Days I Would Like to Work: anytime

Target Salary Per Hour: open

(nettie.peterkin@hptmail.com) on Friday, January 3, 2014 at 14:49:23

Personal Assistant Candidate: Nettie Peterkin

Address1: 1196 Eastern Parkway Apt B1

Address2: Brooklyn, NY 11213

Phone: 3478382071

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health
Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: Yes
Consumer/Surrogate References Available: Yes
Years Employed with a Consumer/Surrogate: 1.5 years
Enrolled with a CDPAP: Yes
CDPAP Agency Name(s): Concepts of Independence
Experience: Seniors,, Quadriplegia,, Ventilators,, Lifters,
Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,, Recommendations
Certificate/License: RN,, Driver's License,
Hours per Week: 36
Days per Week: 3
Days I Would Like to Work: any
I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: no
Target Salary Per Hour: 20-30
Comments: I am an RN in NY and also work as a PCA with a client in Manhattan. I am BLS certified.

sheldeankirby@aol.com on Friday, January 3, 2014 at 14:45:40

Personal Assistant Candidate: Sheldean Kirby
Address1: 125 east 93rd St
Address2: Brooklyn NY
Address3: 11212
Phone: 1347 506 7220
Gender: Female
Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health
Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: Yes
Consumer/Surrogate References Available: Yes
Years Employed with a Consumer/Surrogate: 4
Enrolled with a CDPAP: Yes
CDPAP Agency Name(s): concept of independence
Experience: Young Adults,, Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Wheelchairs,
Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,, Recommendations
Certificate/License: Personal Care,, Home Health Aid,
Hours per Week: 40
Days per Week: 5
Preferred Start Time: anytime
Days I Would Like to Work: Monday to Friday every other weekend
I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: yes
Target Salary Per Hour: 10-15
Target Salary Per Day: 100-150

Comments: I've been a HHA for over 12 years and a PCA for over 5. I'm very experienced and I'm a caring worker

mkoenig@sunyrockland.edu on Friday, January 3, 2014 at 14:41:26

Personal Assistant Candidate: Marilyn Koenig

Address1: 150 West 179 street Bronx NY 1

Phone: 845-637-0176

Best Time: any time

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No

Enrolled with a CDPAP: No

Experience: Children,, Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Quadriplegia,, Hemiplegia,, Amputation,, Ventilators,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,, Visual / Auditory Impairments,, Special Diets,, Other,

Description of Special Diets: thickened, bolus feeding PEG tube, NG tube

Description of Other: Catheters, Vital signs, wound care

Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,, Recommendations

Certificate/License: Personal Care,, Home Health Aid,, Driver's License,, Other,

Description of Other Certificate/License: RN degree in progress

Hours per Week: 30

Days per Week: 5

Days I Would Like to Work: any day excluding Tuesday and Thursday (class)

I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: occasionally

Target Salary Per Hour: \$10

Comments: I have much experience working with elderly patients in various health care settings as well as in the home. I take great pride in providing quality care for those I work with. I am enrolled in an RN program, I nursing is my passion. I have various skills and personality, from past work with agencies I can ensure only the best feedback from health care consumers regarding the level of care they receive.

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DOH clarifies process of becoming an FI

Consumer Directed Personal Assistance is growing...fast. This fact has not gone unnoticed by many in the field and CDPAANYS receives numerous questions about how agencies can become a Fiscal Intermediary and offer CDPA. In an effort to provide clarification, CDPAANYS sought specific guidance from the Department of Health. We were pointed to a 2006 Questions and Answers document that we are informed is still in effect.

The document, entitled [Consumer Directed Personal Assistance Program \(CDPAP\) Questions and Answers 2006](#) and available on the Department's MRT website, details the process as follows:

13. Q. How does an individual or agency become a CDPAP Fiscal Intermediary?

A. The initial step in the process is to contact the local department of social services (LDSS) in order to determine whether or not the LDSS wants to pursue a contract/memorandum of understanding (MOU) with the individual or the agency. If the LDSS determines that they wish to pursue a contract/MOU with the entity, they must follow the guidelines delineated in 98 OCC LCM-003. The agency/individual must contact the Bureau of Long Term Care Reimbursement at [\(518\) 474-1057](tel:5184741057). A Health Provider Network (HPN) account will be established. **The HPN can be contacted at [518-473-1809](tel:5184731809) (ask for Commerce Trainers).** The agency/individual will access their HPN and complete the required cost report(s) in order to establish rates. If the agency/individual is not already a Medicaid provider, they must also contact the **Division of OHIP Operations, Bureau of Provider Enrollment at [\(518\) 473-6075](tel:5184736075)** in order for the Department to establish a provider ID number.

We were informed that the phone numbers may not be valid anymore. However, contact information for all Department of Health divisions can be obtained from their website at health.ny.gov.

To reinforce, the steps, as outlined by the Department of Health, are:

1. If you are not already enrolled as a Medicaid provider, contact the Bureau of Provider Enrollment to become one.
2. Obtain a contract with a Local Department of Social Services.
3. Contact the Bureau of Long Term Care Reimbursement to establish a Health Provider Network account and complete required cost reports to establish a rate.

It is important to note that DOH maintains that these steps must be followed BEFORE an entity may enter into an Administrative Agreement to Provide Fiscal Intermediary Services with a managed care or managed long term care company.

CDPAANYS recognizes the difficulty that contracting with LDSS's will pose to individuals and agencies that are wishing to begin offering CDPA services.

Therefore, we are actively advocating for the creation of a certification process that will allow a more streamlined process for becoming a FI.

<http://cdpaanys.org/doh-clarifies-process-of-becoming-an-fi/>

SAVE THE DATE! CDPAANYS/NYAIL 2014 LEGISLATIVE DAY – TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2014

CDPAANYS will join with the New York Association on Independent Living in the Well of the Legislative Office Building at 10 AM on Tuesday, February 25, 2014.

The New York Association on Independent Living (NYAIL) is a statewide, not-for-profit membership association created by and composed of Independent Living Centers across New York State. NYAIL's mission is improving the quality of life, safeguarding the rights, and ensuring equal opportunities for all people with disabilities, as well as promoting the Independent Living philosophy both within the disability community and to the public. NYAIL provides programs in three interlocking areas: public policy and systems change, technical assistance and membership programs to strengthen New York State's Independent Living Centers, and public education about Independent Living and the services and supports needed by people with disabilities to live in the community. NYAIL seeks in all its activities to remove barriers to the independence, inclusion, and integration of people with disabilities in New York.

[Click here to go to NYAIL's website, from which the above paragraph was taken.](#)

An online registration form for Legislative Day will be made available soon. Please check back frequently for updates.

[Access CDPAANYS' 2014 Budget and Legislative Agenda by clicking here.](#)

For consumers who are interested in attending but do not live locally: please let us know ASAP by phone (518.813.9537) or email (info@cdpaanys.org) if you wish to attend. We may be able to assist with transportation!

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- Bronx Independent Living Services, Inc. (BILS)
4419 Third Ave, #2C, Bronx, NY 10457
TEL [718 515-2800 x 116](tel:7185152800) / TTY [718 515-2803](tel:7185152803) / FAX [718 515-2844](tel:7185152844)
- Brooklyn Center for Independence of the Disabled (BCID)
27 Smith St, #200, Brooklyn, NY 11201
TEL [718 998-3000](tel:7189983000) / TTY [718 998-7406](tel:7189987406) / FAX [718 998-3743](tel:7189983743)
- Center for Independence of the Disabled in NY (CID-NY) (Manhattan)
841 Broadway, #301, New York, NY 10003
TEL [212 674-2300](tel:2126742300) V / TTY [212-674-5619](tel:2126745619) / FAX [212-254-5953](tel:2122545953)
- CID-NY/Queens
137-02A Northern Blvd, Flushing, NY 11354
Phone: [646-442-1520](tel:6464421520) / Sorenson VP [866-948-1064](tel:8669481064) / TTY [718-886-0427](tel:7188860427) / Fax 718-886-0428
- Harlem Independent Living Center (HILC) (Manhattan)
289 St. Nicholas Ave, #21 Lower Level, New York, NY 10027
TEL 212-222-7122 / Sorenson VP 646-755-3092 / Relay 866-326-5876 / FAX 212-222-7199
info@hilc.org
- Staten Island Center for Independent Living (SIILC)
470 Castleton Ave, Staten Island, NY 10301
TEL 718-720-9016 / TTY 718-720-9870 / FAX 718-720-9664
- Long Island Center for Independent Living (LICIL) (Nassau Co)
3601 Hempstead Turnpike, #208, Levittown, NY 11756
TEL 516-796-0144 / TEL (Español) 516-796-6176 / TTY 516-796-0135 / FAX 516-796-0529 licil@aol.com
- Self Initiated Living Options, Inc. (SILO) (Suffolk Co)
2111 Lakeland Ave, Ronkonkoma, NY 11779
TEL (31-880-7929 / TTY 631-654-8076 / FAX 631-946-6377
contact@siloinc.org
- Westchester Independent Living Center (WILC) (Westchester/White Plains)
200 Hamilton Ave, White Plains, NY 10601
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- Westchester Disabled on the Move, Inc. (WDOM) Westchester/Yonkers)
984 No. Broadway, #L-10, Yonkers, NY 10701
TEL 914-968-4717 V & TTY / FAX 914-968-6137

PCA Employment Agencies

If your Personal Care Assistant (PCA) Employment Service assists Self-Pay and CDPAP Consumers in the NYC Metro Area, you can have your agency information added to the following list by completing the [Employment Service Enrollment Form](#).

Bronxwork Inc, Kedon Wilson
391 E 149th St, Bronx, NY 10455
kwilson@bronxworks.org
(718) 993-8880 ext. 237

Center For Family Life Employment, Maria Ferreira
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mferreira@cflsp.org
718-633-4823

El Barrio's Operation Fight, Gustavo Rosado
413 E 120th St # 403 New York, NY 10035-3602
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Fifth Avenue Committee, Aaron Shiffman
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Goldenhearts Elderly Care Services, Geanette Browder
244 5th Avenue, suite G256 New York, NY 10001
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Phone: (866) 531-4620

Kingsborough Comm. College, Marisa Joseph
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Konedu Home Care, LLC, Carie Jones Smith
140 Captain Thomas Blvd West Haven, CT 06516
helpingfamilies@koneduhomecare.com
Phone: [800 418-3299](tel:8004183299)

Mercy Center, Mary Ellen Gianino
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