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To assist Consumers with the problem of finding new Personal Care Assistants, <u>Consumer Directed Services</u> created a FREE Employment Information Bridge between Consumers and PCA Candidates.

• Consumers / Advocates

- To <u>receive</u> a copy of the weekly Newsletter, a Consumer or Advocate need only send me an email to <u>elitcher@consumerdirectedservices.com</u> and include your name and the text **Newsletter Request**.
- To <u>search</u> for a New Personal Assistant go to the <u>Consumer Directed Services</u> website and complete the form at the following link <u>Consumer / Advocate Search for a PCA Candidate</u>. 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 <u>Consumer Directed Services</u> website and complete the form at the following link: <u>Look for a PCA Job (FREE) - New York City Metro</u>. As of the above date, 603 <u>Personal Assistant Candidates</u> have already been enrolled.

To insure that this Newsletter will be available to as many Consumers / Advocates as possible, previously distributed Newsletters (**from January 12, 2011 to present**) have been archived on the <u>Consumer Directed Services</u> home page. Finally, if you have any <u>questions</u>, <u>comments</u>, or <u>recommendations</u> about this service, or should you wish to <u>remove your address</u> from this list, please contact send an email to <u>elitcher@consumerdirectedservices.com</u>.

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.

Kathleen Boziwick on Thursday, June 27, 2013 at 14:50:06

Consumer: Kathleen Boziwick Address1: 146 West 95th St.

Address2: 1B

Address3: New York, NY 10025

Phone: 212-222-0500
Best Time: 9AM to 5PM
Email Authorization: No
Consumer Age: Older than 70

Consumer Gender: Female Payroll Method: Self Pay

Type of Candidates: Domestic / Homemaking

Candidate Experience: Seniors,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,, Languages

******Description of Languages: Italian*****

Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

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

Hours: 8 Days: 3 Start Time: 9AM Pay Per Hour: 13

Comments: Candidate must speak Italian. Two people needing care are located in Bayside and Flushing, respectively. I think they will each do 20 hours/week and one Consumer will use an AM shift and the other a PM shift. So it might be a full time job equivalent.

(tnr73@outlook.com) on Saturday, June 22, 2013 at 11:35:06

Consumer: T. Reese Email Authorization: Yes

Consumer Age: Between 31 and 50

Consumer Gender: Female Payroll Method: Agency

Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health

Candidate Experience: Paraplegia,, Quadriplegia,, Wheelchairs,

Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

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

Hours: >10 Days: 3 Start Time: 8 am Description of Schedule: Mon-Tue-Wed 8 am - 6pm, some days up till 8pm Pay Per Hour: 10.30

Comments: I am a 39 year old female, living in Brooklyn. I am a wheelchair user. I am in search of a highly professional PCA with a personable touch. I need complete care with bathing, dressing and light housekeeping. I need someone with great attention to detail and an understanding a job needs to be done. I enjoy outdoor activities in the warm seasons, so being able to enjoy the weather is a plus. The schedule is Mon-Tue-Wed, 8am-6pm. Some days until 8 pm. Only serious candidates will be considered. You will have to register with Concepts of Independence, if not already.

Suzanne Page on Friday, June 21, 2013 at 11:43:01

Consumer: Suzanne Page

Address1: 620 east 13 street apt.10E

Address2: new york

Address3: new york, 10009

Phone: 212-877-7888

Best Time: 7:30pm-10

Email Authorization: No

Consumer Age: Between 31 and 50

Consumer Gender: Female Payroll Method: Agency

Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health

Candidate Experience: Wheelchairs,, Other Equipment,, Special Diets,, Languages

Description of Special Diets: vegetarian

Description of Languages: English Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

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

Hours: 12 Days: 2-3 Start Time: 7:00am

Description of Schedule: day or night depending on vacation schedules etc.

Pay Per Hour: \$10

Comments: Initially the position is for an alternate, to fill in for vacations, holidays, sickness, emergencies.

(jopersonalassistantsearch@gmail.com) on Friday, June 14, 2013 at 13:27:38

Consumer: Jo Brand

Address1: Franklin St.

Address3: New York, NY 10013 Consumer Age: Between 21 and 30 Consumer Gender: Female Payroll Method: Agency

Type of Candidates: Domestic / Homemaking Candidate Experience: Special Diets,, Languages

Description of Special Diets: No gluten, dairy, corn, soy, nuts, seeds

Description of Languages: English

Required Documentation: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,, Recommendations Description of Schedule: Hours to be determined

Pay Per Hour: 10

Comments: Looking for a personal assistant for 29 year old patient with chronic pain/fibromyalgia. Needs assistance preparing meals and snacks, light cleaning, reminder to take medications, shopping for groceries, laundry, small errands in the neighborhood (post office, etc.), personal business (filling out forms, writing emails, calling doctor's offices, bookkeeping, etc.), and assistance going out (getting to doctors appointments, etc.). Schedule and hours to be determined. Pay is \$10/hr plus health insurance and pension. Payment is through an agency. References will be required.

(belladona1313@gmail.com) on Wednesday, June 12, 2013 at 01:30:13

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Consumer: Cecilia Borcherding Address1: Huntington Station, NY Consumer Age: Between 31 and 50 Consumer Gender: Female

Payroll Method: Agency

Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health

Candidate Experience: Seniors,, Wheelchairs,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,,

Special Diets,, Languages

Description of Special Diets: Diabetic

Description of Languages: Clearly Spoken English

Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

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

Hours: 13

Description of Schedule: one week on, one week off

Pay Per Hour: 13.+

Comments: RELIABLE Adult Female needed to "assist" in caring for 89 year old female. Must be able to follow a schedule, write clearly, and handle a wheel chair. Will train on Hoyer. Prefer applicant have no small/school age children as reliability is imperative. Must be well kept, no long nails or bare feet. Must wear Scrubs. Located in Western Suffolk, will describe details to candidates. Clean, quiet, serene home, w/2 small very friendly lap dogs (hypo-allergenic). Family atmosphere. Must be able to work "with" us. Only Upbeat, responsible, candidates will be considered. This is a long term assignment in a very relaxed atmosphere. No shopping,

doctor's appointments to arrange, just light housekeeping in your area of the home. Please do not apply if you cannot meet these requirements. Thank You

(acmcarthur@gmail.com) on Friday, June 7, 2013 at 16:25:39

Consumer: Alexandra McArthur

Address1: 532 East 5th St Address2: Between Ave A and B

Phone: 9192156002
Best Time: After 5pm
Email Authorization: Yes

Consumer Age: Between 21 and 30

Consumer Gender: Female Payroll Method: Self Pay

Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health Candidate Experience: Young Adults,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,

Required Documentation: Proof of Identity,

Hours: 1 Days: 3

Start Time: 9:00pm

Description of Schedule: Ahower assistance, getting changed and into bed Pay Per Hour: 10.00

(jee193@gmail.com) on Wednesday, June 5, 2013 at 10:38:35

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Consumer: Jan Ellis

Address1: 527 West 47th Street

Address2: Apt 5E Phone: (212) 489-9320 Email Authorization: Yes

Consumer Age: Between 31 and 50

Consumer Gender: Female

Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health

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

Description of Special Diets: vegetarian Description of Languages: English Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

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

Hours: 12 Days: 2 Start Time: 8 Pay Per Hour: \$11.10

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.

(drosemarie44@gmail.com) on Thursday, June 27, 2013 at 16:55:09

Personal Assistant Candidate: Rosemarie Davis Address1: 225 Rockaway ave, Brooklyn NY

Phone: 3478670273 Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health Consumer/Surrogate References Available: Yes

Years Employed with a Consumer/Surrogate: months

Experience: Seniors,

Description of Languages: English

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

Certificate/License: Other,

Description of Other Certificate/License: Cna

Days per Week: 3

Days I Would Like to Work: sunday tuesday

Target Salary Per Hour: 10 Target Salary Per Day: 110

(kaitybattle@yahoo.com) on Monday, June 24, 2013 at 12:41:43

Personal Assistant Candidate: Kaity battle Address1: 2088 pitman ave bronx ny 10466

Phone: 3472454286 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,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,

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

Hours per Week: 40t Days per Week: 5

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 Hour: 10 Target Salary Per Day: 150 Target Salary Per Week: 400

Comments: Friendly reliable an sweet

(amsalas20@gmail.com) on Friday, June 21, 2013 at 18:09:28

Personal Assistant Candidate: Amanda Salas

Address1: 262 Feller Dr. Phone: 631 664 6117 Best Time: 11am-4pm

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: Yes

CDPAP Agency Name(s): South Shore Home Health

Experience: Teens,, Young Adults,, Seniors,, Quadriplegia,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Languages

Description of Languages: English and Spanish Documentation Available: Social Security Number,

Certificate/License: Personal Care,

Hours per Week: 20 Days per Week: 3

Preferred Start Time: 8am

Days I Would Like to Work: Sun, Mon, and Tuesday I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: Yes

Target Salary Per Hour: 14.00/hr Target Salary Per Week: \$500

(bsmsanneh@hotmail.com) on Thursday, June 20, 2013 at 09:23:15

Personal Assistant Candidate: BANNA SANNEH

Address1: 866 E 175 STREET

Address2: APT 3

Address3: BRONX NY 10460

Phone: 347 867 4624

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

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Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No

Enrolled with a CDPAP: No

Experience: Seniors,

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

Certificate/License: Personal Care,

Hours per Week: yes

Days I Would Like to Work: all week

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

Target Salary Per Hour: 10

Comments: I had PCA training with first care of New York. I had worked with private care

Articles Related to the CDPAP



Request: If you have any experience with **Comprehensive Geriatric Medicine P.C. Doctors on Call** (Brooklyn, New York) and you would like to share your opinionplease send me an email with your experience and impression of this service.

Local Independent Living Centers

- Bronx Independent Living Services, Inc. (BILS)
 4419 Third Ave, #2C, Bronx, NY 10457
 TEL 718 515-2800 x 116 / TTY 718 515-2803 / FAX 718 515-2844
- Brooklyn Center for Independence of the Disabled (BCID)
 27 Smith St, #200, Brooklyn, NY 11201
 TEL 718 998-3000 / TTY 718 998-7406 / FAX 718 998-3743
- Center for Independence of the Disabled in NY (CID-NY) (Manhattan)
 841 Broadway, #301, New York, NY 10003
 TEL 212 674-2300 V / TTY 212-674-5619 / FAX 212-254-5953
- CID-NY/Queens
 137-02A Northern Blvd, Flushing, NY 11354
 Phone: 646-442-1520 / Sorenson VP 866-948-1064 / TTY 718-886-0427 / 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 (Espanol) 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
 TEL 914-682-3926 / TTY 914-682-0926 / Sorenson Video Phone 866-933 5390 / FAX 914-682-8518
- 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.

Blessed Healthcare Staffing Agency, Tissha Thomas

1 Belvedere Ave, Suite A, Farmingdale, NY 11735 tithomas@bhcsa.com (631) 390-8646

Bronxwork Inc, Kedon Wilson

391 E 149th St, Bronx, NY 10455 <u>kwilson@bronxworks.org</u> (718) 993-8880 ext. 237

Center For Family Life Employment, Maria Ferreira

443 39th St, Brooklyn, New York 11232 mferreira@cflsp.org
718-633-4823

El Barrio's Operation Fight, Gustavo Rosado

413 E 120th St # 403 New York, NY 10035-3602 ebofb413@aol.com 212-410-7900

Fifth Avenue Committee, Aaron Shiffman

621 DeGraw Street, Brooklyn, New York 11217 ashiffman@fifthave.org 718-237-2017

Goldenhearts Elderly Care Services, Geanette Browder

244 5th Avenue, suite G256 New York, NY 10001 contact@GoldenElderlyCare.org
Phone: (866) 531-4620

Griswold Home Care, Kathleen Boziwick

CDPAP Staffing Resource for Self-Pay Consumers
146 West 95th Street, Suite 1B New York, NY 10025
kathleen.boziwick@griswoldhomecare.com
Phone: 212-222-0500

Kingsborough Comm. College, Marisa Joseph

2001 Oriental Blvd, Brooklyn, NY 11235 marisa.joseph@kbcc.cuny.edu 718-368-5563

Konedu Home Care, LLC, Carie Jones Smith

140 Captain Thomas Blvd West Haven, CT 06516 helpingfamilies@koneduhomecare.com

Phone: 800 418-3299

Mercy Center, Mary Ellen Gianino

377 East 145th Street, Bronx NY 10454-1006 meg@mercycenterbronx.org (718) 993-2789

Reliable Homecare Solutions LLC

Contact: Reshmi Maharaj, Director 104-28 117 St, 2E, Richmond Hill New York 11419 917 378 5769 caresolutions09100@gmail.com

New York City College of Technology

NYC Technical College Placement Office 300 Jay St, Brooklyn, NY 11201 employmentsvc@citytech.cuny.edu (718) 260-5050

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Our Planet Management Institute, Lisa Ying

116 John Street, #200, New York, NY 10038 lisa@opmi.org, 212-269-4000

YWCA of NYC, Anne Alfred

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