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To assist Consumers with the problem of finding new Personal Care Assistants, Consumer Directed Services offers the following Newsletter, which will be published weekly, whenever the names of potential Personal Assistants, new PCA Employment Agencies, or CDPAP related articles become available. If you have any questions, comments or recommendations, please contact me at elitcher@consumerdirectedservices.com, also should you choose to remove your address from this list, please send an email to the above address.

Reminder: to receive this Newsletter, a Consumer or Advocate need only complete the top portion of the [Consumer - Enrollment Form](#). Should a new or previously enrolled Consumer complete both portions of this form, Consumer Directed Services will automatically share their Employment Opportunity information with the list of PCA Employment Agencies.

Finally, to insure that this Newsletter will be available to as many Consumers / Advocates as possible, previously distributed Newsletters have been archived on the [Consumer Directed Services](#) home page.

Best Regards, Ed Litcher

Notes

PCA Candidates

To add a Personal Care Assistant (PCA) Candidate, please complete and submit the [PCA Candidate Enrollment Form](#). As soon as your information is received it will be added to the next Newsletter. To consider the employment of a PCA Candidate, please contact the Candidate directly.

(patrilla101@hotmail.com) on Thursday, July 28, 2011 at 16:59:26

Personal Assistant Candidate: cindy clarke

Address1: 469 e 98 st,2b

Phone: [7185066116](tel:7185066116)

Experience: Domestic/Homemaking,, Personal Care / Home Health,, Seniors,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,

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

Hours: 12

Days: 5

Start Time: any

jefferson templecogic@yahoo.com on Tuesday, July 26, 2011 at 12:06:22

Personal Assistant Candidate: Eric McPherson

Address1: 10 Brown Street, Riverhead NY

Phone: [631-484-9341](tel:631-484-9341)

Experience: Domestic/Homemaking,, Personal Care / Home Health,, Children,, Teens,, Young Adults,, Seniors,, Amputation,, Ventilators,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,

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

Hours: 12

Days: 7

Start Time: any

Comments: Hi, my name is Eric. I'm a 21year old male, who has 3 years of Home Care

Experience. I am a certified Home Health Aide, and certified Personal care Aide. I'm looking for live in, or overnight position, but I'm open to work any schedule

h207020@aol.com on Tuesday, July 26, 2011 at 12:02:14

Personal Assistant Candidate: Laura McPherson

Address1: 10 Brown Street, Riverhead NY

Phone: [631-591-3938](tel:631-591-3938)

Experience: Domestic/Homemaking,, Personal Care / Home Health,, Children,, Teens,, Young Adults,, Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Quadriplegia,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,

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

Hours: 8 Days: 5

Start Time: 9am

Comments: Hi, my name is Laura McPherson. I am well known in my town (Riverhead). I was licensed to do Home Day Care, and did it for over 20 years. I've also had many years of work experience as a Home Health Care Aide. I am looking for full time. Shifts may vary, but prefer work times between 9am-6pm

soroyarhudd07@yahoo.com on Sunday, July 24, 2011 at 21:21:27

Personal Assistant Candidate: soroya rhudd

Address1: 115-84 233rd street

Address2: jamaica ny 11411

Phone: [631-782-7051](tel:631-782-7051)

Experience: Domestic/Homemaking,, Personal Care / Home Health,, Children,, Young Adults,, Seniors,, Quadriplegia,, Amputation,, Ventilators,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,, Visual / Auditory Impairments,, Special Diets,

Special Diets: low sodium , diabetic

Languages: english

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

Hours: 12 Days: 2

Start Time: 7pm

Comments: only weekends

dominicanbaby9@hotmail.com on Saturday, July 23, 2011 at 08:16:09

Personal Assistant Candidate: mayra martinez

Address1: 105-22 77th street

Address2: 1fl

Address3: ozone park, ny 11417

Phone: [7184153195](tel:7184153195)

Experience: Domestic/Homemaking,, Personal Care / Home Health,, Wheelchairs,, Other Experience, Special Diets,, Languages

Special Diets: low salt, low carbs, low fat

Languages: spanish/english

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

Hours: 12 Days: 5

Start Time: 8:00 pm

nskinner003@gmail.com on Thursday, July 21, 2011 at 19:05:05

Personal Assistant Candidate: Natalie skinner

Address1: 548 Fox Street

Address3: Bronx, New York 10455

Phone: [646-474-2258](tel:646-474-2258)

Experience: Personal Care / Home Health,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,, Visual / Auditory Impairments,

Special Diets: low sodium, cholesterol, salt, diabetic

Languages: English

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

Reminder: Consumer Directed Services makes no representation (positive or negative) regarding the appropriateness of any PCA Candidate the Consumer may consider. Therefore, a Consumer's consideration of any of the PCA Candidates listed above or any of the Candidates referred by a PCA Employment Service does not in any way reduce or modify the Consumer's exclusive responsibility to manage the PCA evaluation and employment process.

Articles Related to the CDPAP

Look for a Home Care (CDPAP) Job (Free) (New York City Metro) Date: 2011-07-11

Visit www.consumerdirectedservices.com - add your information to the FREE weekly email Newsletter. Go to the link - (LOOK FOR A PCA JOB (FREE) - NEW YORK CITY METRO) - Complete the Form and Submit

The Newsletter is submitted to hundreds of Home Care Consumers and Advocates. Consumers are People with Disabilities or Seniors who independently hire, train and supervise the Home Care Worker (Personal Care Assistant - PCA) of their choice.

Although a few Consumers pay for their own home care services, most Consumers pay for their services through Medicaid funded Consumer Directed Personal Assistance Programs. Within the Consumer Directed Personal Assistance Program, the Consumer can hire as many PCA's as they deem necessary to accommodate their lifestyle within the hours authorized by the Local Department of Social Services.

The services required by the Consumer can include basic Housekeeping, Personal Care (bathing, dressing, toileting, assistance with mobility, meal preparation, meal assistance, etc.) and a variety of higher level Consumer trained and supervised nursing level services ventilator support, tracheal suctioning, dressing care, etc.).

NOTE: ALTHOUGH CONSUMERS USE A VARIETY OF SCHEDULES, 12-HOUR NIGHT AND 24-HOUR SLEEP-IN SCHEDULES ARE IN GREAT DEMAND.

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](#).

Fifth Avenue Committee
Aaron Shiffman
621 DeGraw Street, Brooklyn, New York 11217
ashiffman@fifthave.org
718-237-2017

Northern Manhattan Improvement Corp
Alba Silva
76 Wadsworth Ave, New York, NY 10033
albasilva@nimic.org
212-822-8300

Queens Community House
Ana Lopez-Betancourt
108-25 62nd Drive, Forest Hills, NY 11375
abetancourt@queenscommunityhouse.org
718-898-7461 x 19

YWCA of NYC
Anne Alfred
50 Broadway, New York, NY 10004
aalfred@ywcanyc.org
718-723-6170

Center For Family Life Employment
Denise Serrato
443 39th St, Brooklyn, New York 11232
dserrato@cflsp.org
718-633-4823

Eugenio María de Hostos Community College
Greg Ventura
500 Grand Concourse, Bronx, New York 10451
gventura@hostos.cuny.edu
(718) 518-4444

El Barrio's Operation Fight
Gustavo Rosado
413 E 120th St # 403 New York, NY 10035-3602
ebobf413@aol.com
212-410-7900

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

Brooklyn Bureau of Community Service
Leslie Klein
285 Schermerhorn St, Brooklyn, NY 11217
lklein@bbcs.org
718-310-5600

Our Planet Management Institute
Lisa Ying
116 John Street, #200, New York, NY 10038
lisa@opmi.org
212-269-4000

Kingsborough Community College
Marisa Joseph
2001 Oriental Blvd, Brooklyn, NY 11235
marisa.joseph@kbcc.cuny.edu
718-368-5563

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

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

Blessed Healthcare Staffing Agency
Tisha Thomas
1 Belvedere Ave, Suite A, Farmingdale, NY 11735
tithomas@bhcsa.com
(631) 390-8646

Konedu Home Care, LLC
Carie Jones Smith
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West Haven, CT 06516
helpingfamilies@koneduhomecare.com
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Fax: [888 281-6525](tel:8882816525)
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