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On September 16, 2013 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.

On November 12, 2015 the United States Internal Revenue Service determined that Consumer Directed Services, Inc. is exempt from Federal Income Tax under Internal Revenue Code **Section 501 (c) (3)**.

To assist Consumers with the problem of finding new Personal Care Assistants, [Consumer Directed Services, Inc.](#) created a FREE Employment Information Bridge between Consumers and Personal Care Assistant (PCA) Candidates.

Consumers / Advocates

To search for a PCA Candidate complete the form at the following link [Consumer / Advocate - Search for a PCA Candidate](#). When your information is received it will be enrolled in the email database, and posted on the website for a month, distributed to all of

the members of the Consumer Directed Services database (Consumers, PCA Candidates, and a variety of other Employment Resources), and published in the Consumer Directed Services Newsletter for a month.

To just add your information to the Consumer Directed Services database, a Consumer or Advocate need only send me an email to elitcher@consumerdirectedservices.com and include your name and the text **Newsletter Request**. When your information is received it will be enrolled in the email database and you will begin receiving future issues of the Consumer Directed Services Newsletter and other emails related to the program's goal.

Personal Care Assistant (PCA) Candidates

To include your information in the Newsletter and email database, complete the form at the following link: [Look for a PCA Job \(FREE\) - New York City Metro](#). When your information is received, your information will be published in the Newsletter for a month, and you will begin receiving future issues of the Consumer Directed Services Newsletter and other emails related to the program's goal.

Also, to access our list of Currently Available Jobs, please use the following link: [JOBS](#)

Previously distributed Newsletters (**from January 12, 2011 to present**) have been archived on the [Consumer Directed Services](#) 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

Consumers Searching

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.*

TT () on Monday, September 19, 2016 at 20:37:20

Neighborhood Name: Sheepshead
City, Town or Borough: Brooklyn
Available Transportation: Subway, Bus, Train, Auto,
Phone: 347 206 6424
E-mail: joev2119@gmail.com
Email Authorization: Yes
Consumer Age: Between 31 and 50
Consumer Gender: Male
Payroll Method: Self Pay
Type of Candidates: Domestic / Homemaking
Required Documentation: Proof of Identity,
Comments: must be a cool down to earth person

Valerie () on Monday, September 19, 2016 at 07:46:21

Neighborhood Name: Gramercy Park
City, Town or Borough: Manhattan
Available Transportation: Subway, Bus, Train,
E-mail: irdmore@aol.com
Email Authorization: Yes
Consumer Age: Older than 70
Consumer Gender: Female
Payroll Method: Agency
Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health
Candidate Experience: Seniors, Visual / Auditory Impairments,
Preferred Candidate Gender: Female
Required Documentation: Social Security Number, Proof of Identity,
Hours: 12
Days: 1-2
Start Time: 9pm
Description of Schedule: Part time, 9pm-9am
Pay Per Hour: 10.00/11.10
Comments: Patient, soft spoken, kind, caring, reliable Must like cats as my mom has a cat.
Experience with elderly- my mom is 104

Ms. Stern () on Friday, September 16, 2016 at 06:47:30

Neighborhood Name: Roosevelt Island

City, Town or Borough: Manhattan

Transportation: Bus (Q102), Subway (F - Roosevelt Island Station) Tramway

Phone: 212-758-9909 or 212-758-1274

Best Time: 4pm - 8pm

E-mail: sstern1008@aol.com

Email Authorization: Yes

Consumer Age: Between 51 and 70

Consumer Gender: Female

Payroll Method: Agency - Concepts

Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health

Candidate Experience: Ventilators, Wheelchairs, Lifters, Languages

Description of Languages: English

Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

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

Hours: 12

Days: 5

Start Time: 8 am/pm

Description of Schedule: Two 12hr shifts per day,

Pay Per Hour: 10

Comments: I am a ventilator dependent quadriplegic – who has been disabled and living independently many years. I am searching for a reliable PCA to work - 12 hours day or night shift. I need a PCA who respects the commitments they make, a PCA who truly understands the importance of their work, a PCA who takes pride in a job well done and a PCA who will not shy away from a complex employment opportunity. I live in a safe community with excellent transportation. The salary and benefits are provided by Concepts. If you are not currently enrolled with Concepts I will help to guide your through their process.

Lori Casola () on Tuesday, September 13, 2016 at 23:23:20

Neighborhood Name: Country Pointe

City, Town or Borough: Manorville , NY

Available Transportation: Auto,

Phone: 631 816 4333

Best Time: after 4pm

E-mail: lori33cas@optonline.net

Email Authorization: Yes
Consumer Age: Younger than 21
Consumer Gender: Male
Payroll Method: Agency
Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health
Candidate Experience: Young Adults, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,
Preferred Candidate Gender: Female
Required Documentation: Proof of Identity,
Description of Schedule: 15 hours a week, after 5 and weekend flexible schedule when no
school add hours 6:30 am to 230
Comments: Nick is severely autistic.

Mr. Wheels () on Monday, September 12, 2016 at 13:53:23

Neighborhood Name: Brooklyn Heights
Available Transportation: Subway, Bus, Auto,
Phone: 347.875.7126
Best Time: anytime
E-mail: teek11201@yahoo.com
Email Authorization: Yes
Consumer Age: Between 51 and 70
Payroll Method: Agency
Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health
Candidate Experience: Ventilators, Lifters,
Preferred Candidate Gender: Male
Required Documentation: Social Security Number, Proof of Identity, Recommendations
Pay Per Day: 120
Comments: Weekday and weekend shifts coming available soon. Typically, each shift is 12
hours, 8 AM-8 PM, 8 PM-8 AM. Ideally I am looking for Personal Assistants that also have a
drivers license.

Kenneth Grauer () on Saturday, September 10, 2016 at 09:23:50

Neighborhood Name: Blue Point
Available Transportation: Auto,
Phone: 631 363 5312
E-mail: kennygrauer@hotmail.com
Email Authorization: Yes
Consumer Age: Between 51 and 70

Consumer Gender: Male
Payroll Method: Agency
Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health
Candidate Experience: Languages
Description of Languages: English
Preferred Candidate Gender: Female
Required Documentation: Proof of Identity, Recommendations
Hours: 8
Days: 7
Start Time: 9:00 AM

Description of Schedule: 2 aides needed, Monday thru Friday and Saturday thru Sunday.

Pay Per Hour: 13.50

Comments: Needs a valid NY-driver's license to drive my vehicle.

Ellie () on Thursday, September 8, 2016 at 10:10:23

Neighborhood Name: Upper East Side

City, Town or Borough: Manhattan, New York

Available Transportation: Subway, Bus,

Phone: 917-282-6247

E-mail: joelarosa6@hotmail.com

Email Authorization: Yes

Consumer Age: Older than 70

Consumer Gender: Female

Payroll Method: Agency

Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health

Candidate Experience: Seniors, Wheelchairs, Other Equipment, Visual / Auditory Impairments,

Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

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

Hours: 24 Hours

Days: 2

Start Time: 9am

Description of Schedule: 2 weekends a month, every-other weekend.

Pay Per Day: 160

Comments: Looking for a female aide for kind elderly woman. Require English speaking, kind and caring and interested in being a friend and companion. Aide must be able to lift and assist with transfers and incontinence.

Victor Marti () on Wednesday, September 7, 2016 at 00:36:09

Neighborhood Name: 2050 Frederick Douglass Blvd. apt#501

City, Town or Borough: New York, NY 10026

Available Transportation: Subway,

Phone: 646 755-5583

E-mail: lcamchong@yahoo.com

Email Authorization: Yes

Consumer Age: Older than 70

Consumer Gender: Male

Payroll Method: Agency

Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health

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

Description of Special Diets: Low sodium, Low fat diet

Description of Languages: fluent in Spanish but knowledge of English

Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

Required Documentation: Proof of Identity,

Hours: 5

Days: 5

Start Time: 8am

Comments: My Grandpa is 86y and has mild dementia. I need help with his cooking, laundry, doc appointments, and housekeeping. He needs some assistance mobilizing. I need someone who is compassionate and has patience in working with senior patients.

T. P. () on Tuesday, September 6, 2016 at 19:10:34

City, Town or Borough: HUNTINGTON STATION

Available Transportation: Auto,

E-mail: mtjmtj250@gmail.com

Consumer Age: Older than 70

Consumer Gender: Female

Payroll Method: Agency

Type of Candidates: Domestic / Homemaking

Candidate Experience: Seniors,

Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

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

Hours: 5.5

Days: 6

Start Time: 9-5-16

Pay Per Hour: 13.13

Frances & Service K-9 () on Monday, September 5, 2016 at 19:18:53

Neighborhood Name: Southampton
City, Town or Borough: NY
Description of Other Transportation: Applicant needs vehicle
Phone: 631 725 9601
Best Time: 7pm - 9:30pm
E-mail: realigned@optonline.net
Consumer Age: Between 51 and 70
Consumer Gender: Female

Judy () on Saturday, September 3, 2016 at 19:08:57

City, Town or Borough: Mount Sinai, NY
Available Transportation: Auto,
Phone: 917-657-7500
Best Time: am
Consumer Age: Older than 70
Consumer Gender: Female
Payroll Method: Agency
Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health
Candidate Experience: Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease, Special Diets,
Description of Special Diets: low sodium
Preferred Candidate Gender: Female
Required Documentation: Proof of Identity, Recommendations
Hours: 20
Days: 5
Start Time: 8 am
Comments: Experience with the elderly, activities of daily living

Edith Tarabolus () on Tuesday, August 30, 2016 at 17:22:55

City, Town or Borough: Brooklyn
Available Transportation: Bus,
E-mail: rkiperman@gylawny.com
Consumer Age: Between 51 and 70
Consumer Gender: Female

Payroll Method: Agency
Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health
Candidate Experience: Seniors,
Preferred Candidate Gender: Female
Required Documentation: Social Security Number, Proof of Identity, Recommendations

Andrew Heller () on Monday, August 29, 2016 at 19:45:57

Neighborhood Name: Valley Stream, NY
City, Town or Borough: Valley Stream, NY
Available Transportation: Bus, Train, Auto,
Phone: 305-903-3051
Best Time: anytime

E-mail: andrew.heller@yucaroo.com

Email Authorization: Yes

Consumer Age: Older than 70

Consumer Gender: Female

Payroll Method: Self Pay

Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health

Candidate Experience: Seniors, Wheelchairs, Lifters, Other Equipment,

Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

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

Hours: flex

Days: flex

Description of Schedule: emergency on-call backup care

Pay Per Hour: 15.00

Comments: Humble family seeking compassionate, dedicated home health aide for bed bound patient in her private home.

We are looking emergency on-call backup care for the following shifts:

Monday - Friday (Day / Evening)

9am - 7pm (flex)

9am - 3pm (flex)

3pm - 7pm (flex)

Monday - Sunday (Overnight)

8pm - 8pm (flex)

Weekends (Saturday / Sunday)

9am - 7pm (flex)

9am - 3pm (flex)

3pm - 7pm (flex)

(please include availability when applying)

Minimum Requirements

*** this is a CDPAP payroll service position ***

- Non smoker
 - High School Graduate
 - Comfortable with cats
- Qualifications / Experience
- HHA or CNA
 - bed bound patient experience
 - patient transfer (sliding board and/or hooyer lift)
- diabetic management, blood sugar tests, insulin injections (training available)
- medication management
- Other
- light cooking
 - light house cleaning
 - companionship

T. P. () on Monday, August 29, 2016 at 09:57:58

City, Town or Borough: HUNTINGTON STATION

Available Transportation: Auto,

E-mail: mtjmtj250@gmail.com

Consumer Age: Older than 70

Consumer Gender: Female

Payroll Method: Agency

Type of Candidates: Domestic / Homemaking

Candidate Experience: Seniors, Languages

Description of Special Diets: diabetic

Description of Languages: Farsi or English

Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

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

Hours: 5

Days: 7

Start Time: 9-5-16

Description of Schedule: 40 hours a week

Pay Per Hour: 13.25

Anna K. Scalzo () on Tuesday, August 23, 2016 at 18:29:13

Available Transportation: Other Transportation,

Description of Other Transportation: need personal vehicle

E-mail: weimarbrudder@gmail.com

Consumer Age: Older than 70

Consumer Gender: Female

Payroll Method: Agency

Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health

Candidate Experience: Seniors, Visual / Auditory Impairments, Languages

Description of Languages: English

Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

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

Hours: 12

Days: varied

Start Time: 8/am or 8/pm

Description of Schedule: Two 12/hr shifts per day. Maximum of 36 hrs p/wk (3 shifts)

Pay Per Hour: \$12

Comments: Looking for experienced, compassionate and patient individuals who will follow our care plan and provide safe, respectful, dependable care to a bedridden 91 yr old female. She is fully cognizant and needs assistance with several ADL's as well meal preparation, medications, light laundry and housekeeping. We are looking for individuals who have a passion for the aging population and understand their needs.

Jennifer Gerber () on Monday, August 22, 2016 at 14:57:35

Neighborhood Name: Upper West Side

City, Town or Borough: Manhattan

Available Transportation: Subway, Bus,

Phone: 646-342-4375

E-mail: jennifer.gerbstein@gmail.com

Consumer Age: Younger than 21

Consumer Gender: Female

Payroll Method: Agency

Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health

Candidate Experience: Children, Wheelchairs,

Description of Languages: English

Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

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

Hours: 5

Days: 5

Start Time: 2:00

Description of Schedule: will also need flexibility on school vacations/holidays

Pay Per Hour: 20

Comments: Upper West Side family looking for bright & conscientious caregiver for adorable, non-verbal, medically fragile & developmentally delayed nine-year-old girl. Position Mon-Fri, 2pm-7pm with greater availability needed during school vacations. \$20/per hour. Professionalism, promptness & organizational abilities are essential, as are a warm & friendly nature, a can-do spirit, & an openness to learning.

Caregiver responsibilities include playing, reading & cuddling with child, transferring out of wheelchair (child is 35lbs), diapering, & learning to use child's feeding pump. Caregiver will also keep track of & organize supplies for child & household, do light housekeeping, and help run a busy home.

Experience with special needs children is preferred but not required. Must be legal to work in the U.S. Commitment of at least one year is necessary.
Flexible September start date.

Please send letter of interest and references

Tracy () on Saturday, August 20, 2016 at 14:32:57

Neighborhood Name: Eastern Suffolk County

City, Town or Borough: Moriches

Available Transportation: Auto,

Phone: 631 998 0502

E-mail: Fergie97x7@gmail.com

Consumer Age: Younger than 21

Consumer Gender: Male

Payroll Method: Agency

Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health

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

Description of Languages: ASL

Preferred Candidate Gender: Male

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

Days: 6

Description of Schedule: Monday-Friday 7-10pm; Sunday 9am-6pm

Pay Per Hour: \$11.00

Comments: Prior experience with & a passion for children with Down Syndrome & Autism, flexibility, honesty, & reliability.

Sue Anclam () on Thursday, August 18, 2016 at 10:13:37

City, Town or Borough: 3993 State Route 9 Apt 1
Available Transportation: Auto, Other Transportation,
Description of Other Transportation: own transportation
Phone: 518 310 3201
Best Time: any
E-mail: sweetcharityomine@gmail.com
Consumer Age: Between 21 and 30
Consumer Gender: Female
Payroll Method: Agency
Type of Candidates: Other Employees
Description of Other Type of Candidates: Both Domestic, Personal Care
Candidate Experience: Young Adults, Paraplegia, Wheelchairs, Lifters, Mental Impairments /
Alzheimer's Disease, Special Diets,
Description of Special Diets: Gastric Bypass
Preferred Candidate Gender: Female
Required Documentation: Social Security Number, Proof of Identity, Recommendations
Hours: 8
Days: Monday, Tuesday, Friday
Start Time: 8:00am
Description of Schedule: up to 28 hours a week through CDPAP / Concepts - 24 normally
Pay Per Hour: 12.00
Comments: Concepts for disabled young adult.

Teresa () on Thursday, August 18, 2016 at 01:55:28

Neighborhood Name: Connetquot
City, Town or Borough: Bohemia
Available Transportation: Auto,
Phone: 631-988-8484
Best Time: Any
E-mail: Senakids@gmail.com
Consumer Age: Younger than 21
Consumer Gender: Female
Payroll Method: Agency
Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health
Candidate Experience: Children, Teens, Other Equipment, Special Diets,
Description of Special Diets: GFCCF – (Gluten-Free Casein-Free)
Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

Required Documentation: Social Security Number, Proof of Identity, Recommendations
Description of Schedule: Monday- Friday 3-9 and weekend varies. Approximately 6 hrs daily
Pay Per Hour: \$13.58

Comments: Special needs experience. A non-smoker is a must.

Jack Hofsiss () on Tuesday, August 16, 2016 at 15:39:33

Neighborhood Name: Mid town of Manhattan on the west side

Available Transportation: Subway, Bus, Train, Auto,

Phone: 732. 86. 4155

E-mail: Jackhofsiss@hotmail.com

Email Authorization: Yes

Consumer Age: Between 51 and 70

Consumer Gender: Male

Payroll Method: Agency

Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health

Candidate Experience: Quadriplegia, Wheelchairs, Lifters,

Preferred Candidate Gender: Male

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

Hours: 7pm-7am

Description of Schedule: 7pm-7am- mom night thru Thursday

Pay Per Hour: 10 to start

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.*

Bonnie Fear () on Wednesday, September 21, 2016 at 10:16:08

Address: 54 Bellwood Ave

Phone: 631 751 4940

E-mail: grgebon8@optonline.net

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No

Enrolled with a CDPAP: No

Experience: Young Adults, Seniors,

Documentation Available: Social Security Number, Proof of Identity,

Certificate/License: Driver's License,

Hours per Week: 20

Days per Week: 3

Preferred Start Time: ASAP

Days I Would Like to Work: Monday Thursday and Friday and possible Saturday

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

Target Salary Per Hour: \$13.00

Comments: I am looking for a positron during the day from either 9:00 to 2:00 or 8:00 to 1:00 . I have been a home companion and I absolutely love helping the seniors with their daily needs and keeping them company. I have references that I can provide to you. Thanks.

Biruta Sidlauskas () on Monday, September 19, 2016 at 15:36:27

Address: 11 Franklin Drive, Smithtown NY 11787

Phone: 631-672-1313

Best Time: 12pm

E-mail: Lsidlauskas@aol.com

Email Authorization: Yes

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: 3 years

Enrolled with a CDPAP: Yes

CDPAP Agency Name(s): Recco

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

Impairments,, Special Diets,, Languages

Description of Languages: Polish, Lithuanian and Russian

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

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

Hours per Week: 40

Days per Week: 5

Days I Would Like to Work: Week days

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

Target Salary Per Hour: 25

Maria Naro-Antiquera () on Saturday, September 17, 2016 at 09:50:48

Address: Bay Ridge Brooklyn

Phone: 646.804.1467

E-mail: marianaro14@live.com

Email Authorization: Yes

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: Two

Enrolled with a CDPAP: Yes

CDPAP Agency Name(s): Concepts of Independence

Experience: Seniors, Other Equipment, Visual / Auditory Impairments, Special Diets, Languages, Other,

Description of Special Diets: Diabetes

Description of Languages: English

Description of Other: Oxygen, Trach Suctioning

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

Certificate/License: Home Health Aid,

Description of Other Certificate/License: Associate and Bachelor Degree

Days per Week: 2

Days I Would Like to Work: Any Two Days

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

Target Salary Per Hour: 12.00

Comments: Experience: Seniors Who Can Ambulate, Administer Medication, Household Management

Miyona Fields () on Sunday, September 11, 2016 at 15:12:34

Address: 33 Sparkill Ave
Phone: 518-898-5881
E-mail: Miyonafields@yahoo.com
Email Authorization: Yes
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, Paraplegia, Quadriplegia, Ventilators, Wheelchairs, Lifters,
Documentation Available: Social Security Number, Proof of Identity,
Certificate/License: Personal Care,
Target Salary Per Hour: 11.00

Leslie Paul () on Friday, September 9, 2016 at 13:10:02

Address: 1264 union Brooklyn
Phone: 6469248888
E-mail: Lesliepaul4102@yahoo.com
Email Authorization: Yes
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
Enrolled with a CDPAP: Yes
Experience: Teens, Young Adults, Seniors, Paraplegia, Quadriplegia, Hemiplegia, Amputation, Ventilators, Wheelchairs, Lifters, Other Equipment, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease, Special Diets,
Documentation Available: Social Security Number, Proof of Identity, Recommendations
Certificate/License: Home Health Aid,
Hours per Week: 10
Days per Week: 12
Target Salary Per Hour: 10
Target Salary Per Day: 12

Nicole Schober () on Friday, September 9, 2016 at 00:02:18

Address: 18 Bruce Dr

Phone: Manorville NY

Best Time: 631 394 7252

E-mail: Nicolebella89@gmail.com

Email Authorization: Yes

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: Yes

Consumer/Surrogate References Available: Yes

Enrolled with a CDPAP: Yes

CDPAP Agency Name(s): South Shore and RECCO

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

Documentation Available: Social Security Number, Proof of Identity,

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

Hours per Week: 30

Days per Week: 5

Preferred Start Time: Any

Days I Would Like to Work: Monday thru Friday

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

Target Salary Per Hour: 13.58

Ismatara A Tarafder () on Wednesday, September 7, 2016 at 09:26:31

Address: 375 East 205th Street, #2J Bronx, NY 10467

Phone: 860-328-0756

E-mail: 786mohi@gmail.com

Email Authorization: Yes

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, Young Adults, Seniors,

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

Hours per Week: 40

Days per Week: 5

Days I Would Like to Work: Monday - Friday
I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: No
Target Salary Per Hour: \$10.00

Brian Lobaton () on Sunday, September 4, 2016 at 14:20:22

Address: 160 Chase Ave
E-mail: Brianlobaton@gmail.com
Email Authorization: Yes
Gender: Male
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 yr
Enrolled with a CDPAP: Yes
CDPAP Agency Name(s): Concepts of Independence
Experience: Young Adults, Seniors, Paraplegia, Quadriplegia, Wheelchairs, Lifters,
Description of Languages: English
Documentation Available: Social Security Number, Proof of Identity, Recommendations
Certificate/License: Personal Care, Home Health Aid,
Hours per Week: 36
Days per Week: 3
Preferred Start Time: Any
Days I Would Like to Work: Wed, Thurs and Fri
I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: No
Target Salary Per Hour: 13.00
Comments: I currently work for a quadriplegic every weekend.

Patricia Taylor () on Tuesday, August 30, 2016 at 09:35:41

Phone: 2901 Ford Ave Rotterdam, NY 12306
Best Time: 518 878 3037
E-mail: Tricki3086@gmail.com
Email Authorization: Yes
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, Wheelchairs, Lifters, Mental Impairments

/ Alzheimer's Disease, Languages

Description of Languages: English

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

Certificate/License: Driver's License,

Hours per Week: 60+

Days per Week: 7

Preferred Start Time: 9/6/16

Days I Would Like to Work: Mon-sun

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

Target Salary Per Hour: 11+

Comments: I'm great with people. Home health aide, cleaning experience.

Indranie Sohanlal () on Thursday, August 25, 2016 at 19:48:40

Address: 3350 Barker Avenue

Phone: 646 271 7994

Best Time: 10am-7pm

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No

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

Documentation Available: Social Security Number, Proof of Identity,

Certificate/License: Personal Care, Home Health Aid,

Hours per Week: 40

Days per Week: 6

Preferred Start Time: 8 am

Days I Would Like to Work: Mon-Sat

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

Target Salary Per Hour: \$12-13

Comments: I have worked with many senior citizens before and I am used to helping them and caring for them. Personal care is something I am passionate about because I love helping those in need and whom I am capable of helping for as long as I can.

Gregj C Johnson () on Thursday, August 25, 2016 at 17:22:13

Address: 10 Richman Plaza

Phone: 1 718 583 6877

E-mail: Ms.GJohnson725@gmail.com

Email Authorization: Yes

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No

Enrolled with a CDPAP: Yes

CDPAP Agency Name(s): Concepts of independence

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

Documentation Available: Social Security Number,

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

Hours per Week: 40+

Days per Week: 5-6

Preferred Start Time: Any

Days I Would Like to Work: Any

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

Target Salary Per Hour: \$15.00

Target Salary Per Day: \$120.00

Comments: my grandmother passed when I was a teenager. Before she passed, I assisted my mother with total care. When I turned 19, I became a home health aide. I thrive in helping seniors and those with internal and mental illnesses. As per the direction of my patient's physician, I cared for my patient all while remembering that my job was to help them become more independent. After 3 years, obtaining an associates degree and credits towards my bachelor degree in Nursing, I became a direct support counselor. My job consisted of me caring for individuals with developmental disabilities. All in all I plan on returning to school to finish my degree. I feel my purpose in life is to help people and I would welcome the opportunity to help you and your family member.

Patricia Wilson () on Tuesday, August 16, 2016 at 12:40:50

Phone: 718 940-7949

E-mail: wilsonpatricia3@gmail.com

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No

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

Description of Special Diets: patients with diabetes

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

Certificate/License: Personal Care, Home Health Aid,

Hours per Week: 40

Preferred Start Time: anytime

Target Salary Per Hour: 13

Comments: I have very good Recommendations have been working in home health care for over 20 years and also have references

Articles Related to the CDPAP

Protect CDPA - Stabilize wages and reimbursement

Fri, Sep 16, 2016 at 6:00 AM

Recently, managed long term care plans have dramatically cut reimbursements to fiscal intermediaries. With so much reimbursement going to wages and other costs related to workers, there is no place for FIs to absorb these cuts except in worker wages. These reductions are resulting in a crisis in care, with workers having no choice but to leave consumers who, in many instances, they have worked for years.

This has created a crisis. People with disabilities and seniors who have been thriving in their homes are facing the loss of independence and a nursing home.

The state must take immediate action to reverse these cuts.

For years, the State has maintained that they cannot get involved in the private negotiations between third parties. But, we have reached the crisis of which CDPAANYS has been warning. These "negotiations" have led to a point where the nominal wages that have been paid cannot be sustained. If allowed to continue unchecked, the system will collapse. People will go to nursing homes. CDPA will cease to exist.

What is worst is that last year, the State gave all managed care companies money to supplement the reimbursements of fiscal intermediaries to pay for the new overtime requirements. It is a joke to think that supplement can accomplish anything if the plans just cut the base by up to TEN TIMES the supplement!

Let that sink in. A plan gave a \$0.34 per hour supplement and CUT the base wage over \$3.00 per hour.

We must tell the state that this is **unacceptable!**

To stop this crisis, we are demanding that the State tell plans they have to, at a minimum hold reimbursement equal to what it was on October 1, 2015 when the supplement took effect.

This simple and common sense approach will not address the long term problems that have caused wages to remain too long; but, it will address the immediate crisis and help us get through it so we can fight for higher wages another day.

Please take a minute and send a message to Governor Cuomo demanding that he take this action. I don't like to over-dramatize, but the future of CDPA could very well rely on it.

<http://cdpaanys.org/action-center/>

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Home Attendants Call On First Chinese Presbyterian to Pay for All Hours They Worked

Posted on September 7, 2016 by [National Mobilization Against Sweatshops](#)

FCP workers will invite all home attendants to join them in demanding stolen wages, and ending mandatory 24-hour shifts

When: Thursday, September 8, 2016, 11 a.m.

Where: In front of 30 Broad Street (location of FCP office), Manhattan, 10002

Home attendants who have worked as many as two decades for First Chinese Presbyterian Community Affairs Home Attendant Corp. (FCP) caring for elderly and ill patients in their homes, filed a lawsuit against FCP. Most of these workers were forced to work 24-hour shifts

for as many as seven days a week, but paid for only 12 or 13 of these hours. The workers were also denied overtime pay.

The patients of these home attendants have been approved by Medicaid to receive 24-hour care because of the acuteness of their needs. Many need to have their pampers changed, be turned over in their beds, given water or medication, or taken to the bathroom. Many are at risk for falling. Others have Alzheimer's and wander. The home attendants are on call all night and most cannot sleep.

Despite this around-the-clock work, the FCP home attendants are paid only \$10 or \$11 an hour, and, despite being members of 1199, have not received a raise in eight years. When workers decline to work 24-hour shifts, they are told there is no work, or given few hours. Many workers have also suffered debilitating injuries on the job.

Joined by workers from Chinese American Planning Council and workers from other agencies, the FCP home attendants will demand that FCP resolve their case immediately by paying the workers their owed wages. They will invite home attendants from all agencies to join them in recouping stolen wages, and in demanding that workers be paid for all the hours that they work and not be obligated to work 24-hour shifts.

<http://www.nmass.org/from-the-aint-i-a-woman-campaign-press-conference-thursday-98-11am/>

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August 2016

Tue, Aug 30, 2016 at 2:16 PM

http://www.icontact-archive.com/1-xV4bIuEzA8X-8A2gYLTx4pTce4z_DH?w=4

DIA meeting dates for 2015

Meetings are held monthly.

at ICS Brooklyn in Downtown Brooklyn:

25 Elm Place, Fifth Floor

(between Livingston & Fulton Sts, Brooklyn)

Board Meeting 1PM - Program Meeting 1:30-4PM

Sunday, September 18, 2016

Sunday, October 16, 2016

Sunday, November 20, 2016

Sunday, December 11, 2016

Inclement Weather: Cancelations will be announced on Saturdays 30 minutes after sundown on our web site www.disabledinaction.org and answering machine 718-261-3737

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- 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
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289 St. Nicholas Ave, #21 Lower Level, New York, NY 10027
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info@hilc.org
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TEL 516-796-0144 / TEL (Español) 516-796-6176 / TTY 516-796-0135 / FAX 516-796-0529 licil@aol.com
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984 No. Broadway, #L-10, Yonkers, NY 10701
TEL 914-968-4717 V & TTY / FAX 914-968-6137

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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](#).

All American Home Care Agency

www.allamericanny.com

718-717-8800

Attentive Care Of Albany Inc.

Consumer Direct Fiscal Intermediary

www.attentivecareservices.com

518-438-6271

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www.bronxworks.org

(718) 993-8880

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www.cflsp.org

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www.ebofb.org

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www.fifthave.org

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www.goldenelderlycare.com

(866) 531-4620

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www.homeinstead.com

212-614-8057

Kingsborough Comm. College, Marisa Joseph

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718-368-5563

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www.koneduhomecare.com

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New York Health Care Inc

www.nyhc.com

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