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On September 16<sup>th</sup> 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](mailto: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](#) 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](#) 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Previously distributed Newsletters (**from January 12, 2011 to present**) have been archived on the [Consumer Directed Services](#) home page.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](mailto: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](http://www.ConsumerDirectedServices.com). Finally, if you try Consumer Directed Services, please spread the word. Tell your friends and associates about this **FREE** service.

**Ms. Stern () on Wednesday, November 15, 2014 at 10:15:00**

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Neighborhood Name: Roosevelt Island

City, Town or Borough: Manhattan

Nearest - Bus Stop, Subway Station and Line or Train Station: Subway - F  
(Roosevelt Island Station)

Phone: 212-758-1274

Best Time: 4pm - 8pm

Email: [sstern1008@aol.com](mailto:sstern1008@aol.com)

Email Authorization: Yes

Consumer Age: Between 51 and 70

Consumer Gender: Female

Payroll Method: Agency

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: Consumer is searching for PCAs to work 4 or 5 days per week during the day or night shift. The final schedule will be developed as the Consumer and PCA develop a working relationship.

**Alexandra McArthur () on Friday, October 24, 2014 at 10:24:41**

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Neighborhood Name: East Village/Alphabet City

City, Town or Borough: Manhattan, NY

Available Transportation: Subway,, Bus,, Train,, Auto,

**E-mail: [acmcarthur@gmail.com](mailto:acmcarthur@gmail.com)**

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,

Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

Required Documentation: Recommendations

Hours: 2

Days: 4

Start Time: 9:00pm

Description of Schedule: Assisting with shower, dressing and getting in to bed

Pay Per Hour: 15

Pay Per Day: 30

Comments: I am a young woman who uses a motorized wheelchair and requires assistance, including a full-lift into the shower. I am positive and flexible and am looking for a kind and reliable personal care attendant. I look forward to hearing from you!

**Michael Ciravolo () on Thursday, October 23, 2014 at 13:39:36**

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Neighborhood Name: Broadway Knolls

City, Town or Borough: Holbrook Long Island

Available Transportation: Auto,

**Phone: 631-393-2685**

Best Time: after 5 pm

Consumer Age: Between 31 and 50

Consumer Gender: Male

Payroll Method: Agency

Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health

Candidate Experience: Young Adults,, Quadriplegia,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Other  
Equipment,, Languages

Description of Languages: English

Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

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

Description of Schedule: I receive 80 service a week. 40 have already been filled.  
Wed night from 6-11pm is a MUST.

Pay Per Hour: 13.12

Comments: I am a high functioning active C5-6 quadriplegic. I have a colostomy, a suprapubic catheter and an electric ceiling lift for transfers. Experience preferred but not necessary, will train right person. I am seeking a female aide who speaks fluent English, loves dogs and treats this like a Real Job. I need to have my colostomy changed when necessary, my catheter irrigated when necessary, light housekeeping to include my bedroom, my bathroom and my laundry, my medical supplies inventoried and restocked as necessary, and my back, legs and feet massaged and stretched when I am in bed. I receive 80 service hours per week and 40 hours have already been filled. Wednesday night from 6pm - 11pm is a MUST.

The rest of the schedule can be negotiated, however I am primarily looking for evening hours. I am registered on the CDPAP program through South Shore Home Health in Oakdale NY. I am flexible and reasonable when it comes to holidays; however once you commit to a schedule and I have accommodated you, PLEASE KEEP IT DON'T Change it Every Week!!

**Shawn Linkh () on Sunday, October 19, 2014 at 20:01:44**

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Neighborhood Name: Western Suffolk  
City, Town or Borough: Huntington

Available Transportation: Train,, Other Transportation,  
Description of Other Transportation: LIRR - Transportation To and From

**E-mail: [cc287@aol.com](mailto:cc287@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,, Wheelchairs,, Languages

Description of Languages: English

Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

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

Recommendations

Hours: 13

Days: 4

Start Time: 7:30am

Description of Schedule: P/T Live In /Mon am - Fri am/ Every other Week

Pay Per Hour: 13,10 hr

Comments: Seeking a Mature Female. A Reliable Caregiver, with the ability to work in harmony with the Family and other Caregivers, follow a schedule/diet and add a personal touch. This is a Long Term Assignment. Paid working holidays and yearly raises. Work hours adjustable, as working relationship develops.

## **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.*

***Rayna Beale () on Friday, November 14, 2014 at 16:59:51***

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*Address 2816 west 36th Street*

*Phone: 347 775 1769*

*E-mail: [beale92@gmail.com](mailto:beale92@gmail.com)*

*Gender: Female*

*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: Ventilators,, Wheelchairs,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,, Special Diets,*

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

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

*Hours per Week: 40*

*Days per Week: 6*

*Preferred Start Time: 8*

*Days I Would Like to Work: anytime*

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

*Target Salary Per Hour: 10*

***Dorothy Adobea () on Wednesday, November 12, 2014 at 22:14:03***

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*Address: 1052 East 232nd Street Apt. 6 Bronx NY 10466*

*Phone: 347 963 3414*

*Best Time: Anytime*

*E-mail: [addodott@yahoo.com](mailto:addodott@yahoo.com)*

*Email Authorization: Yes*

*Gender: Female*

*Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health*

*Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: Yes*

*Enrolled with a CDPAP: No*

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

*Description of Special Diets: low fat, low sodium, vegetarian, pureed diet.*

*Description of Languages: English*

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

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

*Hours per Week: 40+*

*Days per Week: 7*

*Preferred Start Time: ASAP*

*Days I Would Like to Work: Monday - Sunday*

*Target Salary Per Hour: open*

*Target Salary Per Day: open*

*Target Salary Per Week: open*

*Comments: I have been a home health Aide for 6 years now. I'm CPR certified and I'm specialized in caring for the depressed and people with Dementia or Alzheimer's, Diabetes, Parkinson's disease, ALS, Stroke, hypertension, cancer, and also transferring either manually or using transfer equipments. I am a compassionate, respectful, honest, hardworking and an intelligent young lady with a significant educational background. Microsoft Office applications, Internet, power-point, excel .*

***Ruth Soriano () on Monday, November 10, 2014 at 11:01:27***

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*Address: 66-31 Clinton Avenue, Maspeth, Queens, New York 11378*

*Phone: 3474470740*

*E-mail: [ruthsoriano0418@yahoo.com](mailto:ruthsoriano0418@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: 1 year*

*Enrolled with a CDPAP: No*

*Experience: Seniors,*

*Description of Special Diets: low salt diet*

*Description of Languages: English, Tagalog*

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

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

*Hours per Week: 40*

*Days per Week: 3*

*Days I Would Like to Work: Monday-Tuesday - Wednesday*

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

*Target Salary Per Hour: 11*

*Target Salary Per Day: 136.50*

*Comments: I worked as Home Attendant for a year, then I took a training as Home Health Aid last Sept.,2014. I am also a Licensed/Registered Pharmacist in my native country, Philippines.*

**Carolyn Taylor () on Thursday, November 13, 2014 at 18:52:39**

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Phone: 212-865-1876

Best Time: 9 to 9

E-mail: [necey56@yahoo.com](mailto:necey56@yahoo.com)

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: Yes

Consumer/Surrogate References Available: Yes

Experience: Children,, Paraplegia,, Quadriplegia,, Amputation,, Lifters,, Other Equipment,, Visual / Auditory Impairments,, Special Diets,

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

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

Description of Other Certificate/License: nursing assistant

Hours per Week: 40hr

Days per Week: 5, 6

Preferred Start Time: anytime

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

Target Salary Per Hour: 10.30

Comments: Have been Concepts worker for 20 years.

**Stephanie Rodriguez () on Sunday, November 9, 2014 at 21:33:37**

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Address: 269 Pulaski Ave Staten Island NY 10303

Phone: 551-404-6629

E-mail: [s.Rodriguez0084@gmail.com](mailto:s.Rodriguez0084@gmail.com)

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: 4years

Enrolled with a CDPAP: Yes

CDPAP Agency Name(s): concepts of independence

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

Description of Special Diets: complex modified diets

Description of Languages: English/ Spanish

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: 45hour dementia

Hours per Week: 35

Days per Week: 5-6

Preferred Start Time: 9am



*Days I Would Like to Work: Monday- -Saturday*

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

*Target Salary Per Hour: 10.00*

**Pamela Trill () on Tuesday, November 4, 2014 at 19:40:34**

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Address: 144-34 183 Street Springfield Gardens Queens NY 11413

Phone: 718-210=7801

Best Time: 8am-8pm

E-mail: [camo77@live.com](mailto:camo77@live.com)

Email Authorization: Yes

Gender: Female

Description of Other Type of Position: Personal Care

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: Yes

Years Employed with a Consumer/Surrogate: 2yrs

Enrolled with a CDPAP: Yes

CDPAP Agency Name(s): All Metro/ Concept

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

Description of Special Diets: Diabetic

Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,, Recommendations Certificate/License: Other,

Description of Other Certificate/License: CNA

Hours per Week: 60

Days per Week: 5day

Preferred Start Time: ASPS

Days I Would Like to Work: Monday-Friday

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

Target Salary Per Hour: 15.00

Comments: for 10 years working in the home as a Home Attendant for a Consumer with Alzheimer's

**Melissa. A () on Thursday, October 30, 2014 at 23:37:02**

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Best Time: 7185765876

E-mail: [gist.dominique77@gmail.com](mailto:gist.dominique77@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,, Ventilators,, Wheelchairs,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,, Visual / Auditory Impairments,  
Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,  
Certificate/License: Personal Care,, LPN or PN,, Driver's License,  
Hours per Week: 40+  
Target Salary Per Hour: 13

**Maybelline Serphy () on Tuesday, October 28, 2014 at 09:54:57**

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E-mail: [maybelline.serphy@gmail.com](mailto:maybelline.serphy@gmail.com)

Email Authorization: Yes

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Other Type of Position

Description of Other Type of Position: Licensed Practical Nurse

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,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,

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

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

Hours per Week: Any Days per Week: 5

Preferred Start Time: 9AM

Days I Would Like to Work: Mon-Fri

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

Target Salary Per Hour: 25

Comments: Over 8 years experience as a Licensed Practical Nurse. Flexible schedule and reliable transportation.

**Kim Taylor () on Monday, October 27, 2014 at 20:18:56**

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Address: 6405 Alderton St Rego Park NY

Phone: (347) 531-6367

Best Time: any

E-mail: [lifeisabeach1128@yahoo.com](mailto:lifeisabeach1128@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: 4

Enrolled with a CDPAP: Yes  
CDPAP Agency Name(s): Chinese American Planning Council  
Experience: Children,, Wheelchairs,, Other Equipment,, Visual / Auditory Impairments,,  
Special Diets,  
Description of Special Diets: ketogenic  
Description of Other: g-tubes  
Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,  
Certificate/License: Driver's License,  
Hours per Week: 40 Days per Week: 5  
Preferred Start Time: early  
Days I Would Like to Work: m-f  
I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: yes  
Target Salary Per Hour: 15  
Comments: I have over 7 years experience working with children with cerebral palsy.

**Yvelande Enelus () on Sunday, October 26, 2014 at 08:08:08**

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Address: 1198 East 96th Street  
Phone: 347-500-8320  
E-mail: [eyvelande@yahoo.com](mailto:eyvelande@yahoo.com)  
Gender: Female  
Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health  
Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No  
Enrolled with a CDPAP: No  
Experience: Seniors,  
Documentation Available: Social Security Number,  
Certificate/License: Home Health Aid,  
Preferred Start Time: 11/10/14

**Norha Mejia () on Thursday, October 23, 2014 at 00:22:05**

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Address: 93 Fulton St. Brentwood NY 11717  
Phone: 6313834966  
Best Time: Am  
E-mail: [Newworld14@hotmail.com](mailto:Newworld14@hotmail.com)  
Email Authorization: Yes  
Gender: Female  
Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health  
Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: Yes  
Consumer/Surrogate References Available: No  
Enrolled with a CDPAP: No

Experience: Children,, Seniors,, Quadriplegia,, Wheelchairs,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,, Special Diets,, Languages  
Description of Special Diets: Low salt, kosher  
Description of Languages: Spanish, English  
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: 3  
Preferred Start Time: 7am  
Days I Would Like to Work: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday.  
I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: Yes , I am  
Target Salary Per Hour: 15.00  
Target Salary Per Day: 360.00  
Target Salary Per Week: 900.00  
Comments: I am patience, caring, & compassionate HHA , with a lot if TLC to give to those who need it the most. Focused on patient's care. Trustworthy Caregiver experienced in home and Hospital settings.

**Floyd M Snively () on Wednesday, October 22, 2014 at 13:35:47**

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Phone: 347-849-9808

Best Time: 9 - 5

E-mail: [msdisciple@hotmail.com](mailto:msdisciple@hotmail.com)

Email Authorization: Yes

Gender: Male

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No

Enrolled with a CDPAP: No

Experience: Young Adults,, Seniors,, Quadriplegia,, Amputation,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,, Visual / Auditory Impairments,, Languages

Description of Languages: English, Spanish

Documentation Available: Proof of Identity,, Recommendations

Certificate/License: Home Health Aid,

Hours per Week: 40 Days per Week: 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: (for consideration)

Target Salary Per Hour: 12-15

Comments: Providing compassionate care with the highest integrity for client needs, combined with extensive on the job experience and respect for particular cultural/familial sensitivities.

**George San Roman () on Tuesday, October 21, 2014 at 10:58:33**

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E-mail: [gsggeo@aol.com](mailto:gsggeo@aol.com)

Email Authorization: Yes

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: Young Adults,, Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Quadriplegia,, Hemiplegia,, Amputation,, Ventilators,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Other Equipment,, Visual / Auditory Impairments,

Documentation Available: Social Security Number,

Certificate/License: LPN or PN,

Hours per Week: 20

Days I Would Like to Work: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday

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

Target Salary Per Hour: 18+

Target Salary Per Day: 200

Comments: I have 25 years of Nursing experience in all phases of care.

Worked in hospitals, LTC, in the home, and more.

**DOMINIC EWUSI () on Monday, October 20, 2014 at 22:31:59**

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Address: 36 NAPOLI DRIVE. WHEATLEY HEIGHTS. NEW YORK.11798

Phone: 516 707 0294

Best Time: ANY TIME

E-mail: [ewusidominic@yahoo.com](mailto:ewusidominic@yahoo.com)

Email Authorization: Yes

Gender: Male

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No

Enrolled with a CDPAP: No

Experience: Young Adults,, Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Quadriplegia,, Hemiplegia,, Wheelchairs,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,

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

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

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

Target Salary Per Hour: 13.00

Comments:

Professional Summary

H.H.A with current New York Department of Health Certificate. Four years experience with

physically disable client. Monitored vital signs, assisted with feeding, bathing/grooming, positioning and range of motion exercises .Looking for a long term care position.

Licenses

New York Department of Health Certificate

New York State driver's license.

Skill Highlights - Understands mobility assistance needs, Trained in grooming and bathing assistance, General house keeping ability.

**Elma Brereton () on Monday, October 20, 2014 at 19:50:48**

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Address: 647 Albany Ave. apt. 4k Brooklyn N.Y.11203

Phone: 1347-586-2905

Best Time: 8 am-10pm

E-mail: [doribryan51@yahoo.com](mailto:doribryan51@yahoo.com)

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 years

Enrolled with a CDPAP: Yes

CDPAP Agency Name(s): concept of independence

Experience: Seniors,, Quadriplegia,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,

Description of Languages: English

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

Certificate/License: Home Health Aid,

Hours per Week: 70 Days per Week: 4-7

Preferred Start Time: 8-8

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

Target Salary Per Hour: 10 up

**Candace Alexis Zdebski () on Monday, October 20, 2014 at 16:33:56**

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Address: 2485 Loft ave Baldwin NY 11510

Phone: 516 974 8552

Best Time: Afternoon

E-mail: [candace.zdebski@yahoo.com](mailto:candace.zdebski@yahoo.com)

Email Authorization: Yes

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Other Type of Position

Description of Other Type of Position: childcare

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No

Enrolled with a CDPAP: No

Experience: Children,, Seniors,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Other Equipment,, Languages  
Description of Languages: English  
Description of Other: certified direct care worker  
Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,, Recommendations  
Certificate/License: Driver's License,  
Description of Other Certificate/License: Certified direct care worker  
Hours per Week: 40 Days per Week: 5  
Preferred Start Time: 9 am  
Days I Would Like to Work: Monday-Friday  
I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: No  
Target Salary Per Hour: 13  
Comments: : Finger printed  
: Willing to learn  
: hard working  
: reliable  
: Honest and trustworthy

**[kimeshabrown91@gmail.com](mailto:kimeshabrown91@gmail.com) on Thursday, October 16, 2014 at 17:33:24**

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Personal Assistant Candidate: Kimesha Brown  
Address1: 855 east 223 street, apt 2  
Gender: Female  
Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health  
Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: Yes  
Experience: Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Quadriplegia,, Hemiplegia,, Amputation,, Wheelchairs,,  
Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,, Special Diets,, Languages  
Description of Special Diets: puree, thickened liquids  
Description of Languages: English  
Documentation Available: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,  
Certificate/License: Personal Care,, Home Health Aid,  
Hours per Week: 40 Days per Week: 5  
Preferred Start Time: any  
Days I Would Like to Work: any days  
I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: yes.  
Target Salary Per Hour: 12  
Target Salary Per Day: 100  
Target Salary Per Week: 600  
Comments: I was trained at Stone Academy. I am a super professional, courteous, and  
compassionate PCA that has the patience, skill, and empathy to take care of your personal  
needs.

## **Articles Related to the CDPAP**

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## **DISABLED IN ACTION of Metropolitan New York MEETING**

**Sunday, December 07, 2014 - 1:30-4:00 PM**

**Holiday Party**

**at Selis Manor, 1st Floor Auditorium**

**135 West 23rd Street (bet. 6th and 7th Ave)**

## Medicare patients need more intensive care

BY DAN COOK

November 12, 2014

The cost of caring for the most expensive patients to treat can be cut through a more focused approach to providing care. But it will take a shift in medical care strategy to realize gains across the [Medicare](#) patient population.

An analysis of data from a Medicare pilot program found that a patient-centered care model applied to high-use patients returned \$1.82 on every dollar spent. Mercer performed the analysis, with results published in a white paper, "[Integrated Patient-Centered Care Management in the Medicare Supplement Population](#)," available on the consulting firm's website.



Mercer used data from a three-year pilot program (2009-12) that involved Medicare Supplement patients covered by UnitedHealthcare. In part, the report said the patient-centered care model “improved health outcomes, reduced care fragmentation and lowered costs for both Medicare and patients ... By providing intensive case management to patients with complex care needs, the pilot achieved a Return on Investment of \$1.82 per dollar invested, 81 percent of which directly benefits Medicare.”

Such results are beginning to build a strong case for a more intensive process for treating the high-cost Medicare patients. Another pilot program, Independence At Home, authorized by Congress, is in its third year of studying what happens when homebound patients on Medicare receive treatment in their homes and have special advocates (transition teams) to reduce emergency room visits and 30-day hospital readmissions.

While final results haven’t been released, early returns suggest the combination of home medical visits and advocates can substantially lower the costs of treatment for this group.

The Mercer analysis reviewed data from more than 28,000 AARP Medicare Supplement Plan beneficiaries with multiple diagnoses, all insured through UnitedHealthcare. The plan members were under the care of a multi-disciplinary team of nurses, social workers, behavioral health specialists and medical directors.

“The objective of the initiative was to gain a better understanding of the characteristics, needs and general health of AARP Medicare Supplement Plan patients, while preserving freedom of choice, enhancing care coordination and managing costs in the current fee-for-service environment. The pilot tested various care management approaches to determine how best to support the health and needs of this population,” Mercer said in its report.

Among the major outcomes:

- Participants who received interventions that included a component of remote monitoring by nurses experienced a significant reduction in hospital readmissions.
- Participants who received face-to-face case management were more likely to keep up with [recommended annual office visits](#) and laboratory tests and avoid drugs not suitable for the elderly — and they demonstrated better understanding of how to better manage their conditions after participating.
- Participants in the face-to-face case management program experienced a reduction in hospital readmissions and were more compliant with office visits.
- Clinical support for depression resulted in an average reduction in overall depression symptoms.

“This pilot project shows that a patient-centered approach is a win-win situation for patients and their families, insurers and Medicare,” said Charlotte Yeh, chief medical officer of AARP Services Inc. “Focusing on patients’ individual health and home care needs improves outcomes, enables people to continue living independently and saves everyone money.”

<http://www.benefitspro.com/2014/11/12/medicare-patients-need-more-intensive-care?t=regulatory>

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