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*CDPAP Fiscal Intermediaries Must File an Application for Authorization With DOH or Cease Operations*

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*Update on Home Care Worker Pay Issues*

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**CDPAP Agency Listing – Being Planned, Suggestions Welcome**

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)**.

*We are pilgrims on a journey; we are travelers on the road;  
We are here to help each other walk the mile and bear the load*

Excerpt from - *The Servant Song*- Richard Gillard (1974)

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](mailto: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](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.

**Marcie () on Tuesday, November 28, 2017 at 17:00:10**

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Neighborhood Name: Rego Park

City, Town or Borough: New York

Available Transportation: Subway, Bus,

Phone: 770-532-3178

E-mail: [marciemarcie12@gmail.com](mailto:marciemarcie12@gmail.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, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,

Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

Hours: 24

Description of Schedule: On call HHA needed

Pay Per Day: \$188.00 – \$208.00 Per Shift

Comments: Home Health Aide Wanted: Hiring On Call backup HHAs.

Patient, cheerful, neat, organized, home health aide needed for patient that requires assistance using wheelchair/walker/cane in quiet, clean setting in Queens, NY. Provide total assist with all activities of daily living: bathing, cleaning, laundry, toileting, change diapers, light meal prep, walking, games, and community activities. Must be US citizen or have legal authorization to work in the United States. Job skills for this position include a positive attitude, team player, ability to follow directions, ability to maintain structured environment for patient, read and

write in English, climb stairs, push wheelchair, ride in elevators & change adult diapers. Must be hard working, in good physical health and a great motivator. Flat rate \$143 for 24 hour shift. Must pass background check and register with patient's Home Health Agency.

**Stephanie Kodeck () on Saturday, November 18, 2017 at 20:08:50**

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Neighborhood Name: Ditmas Park  
City, Town or Borough: Brooklyn  
Available Transportation: Subway,, Bus,, Auto,  
Phone: 301-906-6001  
E-mail: [stephanie.kodeck@gmail.com](mailto:stephanie.kodeck@gmail.com)  
Email Authorization: Yes  
Consumer Age: Between 31 and 50  
Consumer Gender: Female  
Payroll Method: Agency  
Type of Candidates: Domestic / Homemaking  
Days: 4  
Description of Schedule: 9 - 3 M- Thursday - For cleaning and organizing home  
Pay Per Hour: 13 – 14

**Aillen Aponte () on Saturday, November 18, 2017 at 14:27:59**

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City, Town or Borough: Bronx  
Phone: 917-392-0940  
E-mail: [aillen.aponte@gmail.com](mailto:aillen.aponte@gmail.com)  
Consumer Age: Between 31 and 50  
Consumer Gender: Male  
Payroll Method: Agency  
Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health  
Candidate Experience: Children,, Quadriplegia,, Wheelchairs,, Languages  
Description of Languages: Spanish  
Preferred Candidate Gender: Female  
Required Documentation: Social Security Number,, Proof of Identity,, Recommendations

**Kyra () on Monday, November 13, 2017 at 18:24:01**

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Neighborhood Name: Upper East Side  
City, Town or Borough: New York, New York  
Available Transportation: Subway, Bus,

Phone: 917-697-4694  
Best Time: 11am  
E-mail: [caryluzelac@gmail.com](mailto:caryluzelac@gmail.com)  
Email Authorization: Yes  
Consumer Age: Between 21 and 30  
Consumer Gender: Female  
Payroll Method: Agency  
Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health  
Candidate Experience: Teens, Young Adults, Visual / Auditory Impairments, Languages  
Description of Languages: English  
Preferred Candidate Gender: Female  
Required Documentation: Social Security Number, Proof of Identity, Recommendations  
Hours: 6  
Days: 3-4  
Start Time: 4.00pm  
Pay Per Hour: 15.00

**Mr. A () on Monday, November 13, 2017 at 17:07:06**

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Neighborhood Name: Brooklyn  
City, Town or Borough: Brooklyn  
Available Transportation: Subway, Bus, Train, Auto,  
Phone: 646 481 4458  
Consumer Age: Between 51 and 70  
Consumer Gender: Male  
Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health  
Description of Schedule: TBD

Comments: Personal care / home health any I can train You no experience: needed I need a person who is reliable, a person who truly understands the importance of their work, a who takes pride in a job. I live in a safe community with excellent transportation. I can train anyone. If you call please leave a message and I will call you back. Required documentation: social security number, proof of identity, good pay and benefits

**Jackie () on Sunday, November 12, 2017 at 11:32:30**

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Neighborhood Name: Whitestone / Flushing  
City, Town or Borough: Queens  
Available Transportation: Subway, Bus, Train,  
Phone: 917 658 7299  
Best Time: any time

E-mail: [creative3ds@nyc.rr.com](mailto:creative3ds@nyc.rr.com)

Email Authorization: Yes

Consumer Age: Between 21 and 30

Consumer Gender: Male

Payroll Method: Agency

Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health

Candidate Experience: Young Adults, Special Diets,

Description of Special Diets: no wheat/milk

Preferred Candidate Gender: Either

Required Documentation: Social Security Number, Proof of Identity,

Hours: 8

Days: 2

Start Time: 12pm

Description of Schedule: needs someone for Sundays and a fill in for during the week

Pay Per Hour: 12.20

Comments: I'm a sweet and cant talk but I understand everything that is being said to me and not behavioral boy. I need someone to help with my ADL skills. I don't mine having a women or a male to help me.

**Rachel () on Saturday, November 11, 2017 at 18:32:29**

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Neighborhood Name: Uniondale

City, Town or Borough: Nassau County

Available Transportation: Bus, Train,

Description of Other Transportation: LIRR to Hempstead or N6 Bus Jamaica to Hempstead

Phone: 516-978-7683

Best Time: 9AM-8PM

E-mail: [james@jamesjkeefepc-law.com](mailto:james@jamesjkeefepc-law.com)

Email Authorization: Yes

Consumer Age: Older than 70

Consumer Gender: Female

Payroll Method: Agency

Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health

Candidate Experience: Hemiplegia, Wheelchairs, Lifters,

Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

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

Hours: 13

Days: 3

Start Time: 8:00 AM

Description of Schedule: You must be present 24 hours, but there is free time for meals and sleep

Pay Per Hour: \$14  
Pay Per Day: \$182.00  
Pay Per Week: \$546.00

Comments: Transportation by Bus (N6 from Jamaica to Hempstead Terminal, then N16 or N27 toward Glen Cove/Garden City (approx. 8 minutes); by Train LIRR to Hempstead, then N16 or N 27 as above. I am 84 years old, hemiparetic due to a birth injury, and require a Hoyer lift to transfer from bed to wheelchair and back; need assistance with bathing and toileting; laundry, meal preparation and light housekeeping. Agency is Recco. If you are not currently enrolled with Recco I will help you through the process of applying.

**Marcie () on Tuesday, November 28, 2017 at 17:00:10**

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Neighborhood Name: Rego Park  
City, Town or Borough: New York  
Available Transportation: Subway, Bus,  
Phone: 770-532-3178

E-mail: [marciemarcie12@gmail.com](mailto:marciemarcie12@gmail.com)

Email Authorization: Yes

Consumer Age: Older than 70

Consumer Gender: Female

Payroll Method: Agency

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**Lavern () on Tuesday, November 7, 2017 at 16:01:43**

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Neighborhood Name: Fordham  
City, Town or Borough: Bronx  
Available Transportation: Subway, Bus,  
E-mail: [bct19204@gmail.com](mailto:bct19204@gmail.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, Special Diets,  
Description of Special Diets: low sodium  
Description of Languages: English  
Preferred Candidate Gender: Female  
Required Documentation: Social Security Number, Proof of Identity,  
Hours: 6  
Description of Schedule: flexible schedule  
Pay Per Hour: 11.00  
Comments: Looking for non-smoker. Must be willing to register with agency for CDPAP program.

**Nancy () on Sunday, November 5, 2017 at 14:32:03**

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Neighborhood Name: Sag Harbor / Southampton  
Available Transportation: Auto,  
Phone: 631-680-3894  
Best Time: any time  
E-mail: [ndee-garnold@gmail.com](mailto:ndee-garnold@gmail.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, Wheelchairs, Other Equipment,  
Description of Special Diets: low sodium  
Description of Languages: English  
Required Documentation: Social Security Number, Proof of Identity,  
Description of Schedule: 8 or 12 hour shifts, care needed 24 x 7  
Pay Per Hour: 13.69  
Comments: Willing to go through CDPAP program at Recco Home Care. Experience and/or certified Home Health Care Aid to take care of 97 year old male.



**Sharon () on Monday, October 31, 2017 at 15:25:20**

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Neighborhood Name: Roosevelt Island

City, Town or Borough: NYC

Available Transportation: Subway (F), Bus (Q102), Tramway, and Ferry from Long Island City, Astoria and Manhattan.

Phone: 212-758-1274

Best Time: Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Weekend

E-mail: [sstern1008@aol.com](mailto:sstern1008@aol.com)

Consumer Age: Between 51 and 70

Payroll Method: Agency

Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health

Candidate Experience: Quadriplegia, Ventilators, Wheelchairs,

Description of Languages: English

Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

Required Documentation: Social Security Number,

Description of Schedule: flex

Pay Per Hour: Determined by Agency

Comment: Although the salary and full benefit program is provided by Concepts of Independence. The Consumer paid salary bonus will depend upon the PCA's willingness to remain on the job and their ability to do their job effectively.

**Susan () on Tuesday, October 31, 2017 at 15:11:03**

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Neighborhood Name: Noyac

City, Town or Borough: Sag Harbor

Available Transportation: Other Transportation,

Description of Other Transportation: own

Phone: 516-581-4584 / 631-680-3894

E-mail: [susanapeler@gmail.com](mailto:susanapeler@gmail.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, Wheelchairs, Other Equipment, Visual / Auditory Impairments, Languages

Description of Languages: English

Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

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

Description of Schedule: 8-12 hour shifts plus back up for 24 hour care

Pay Per Hour: \$13.69

Comments: Immediate assignment in private home. Building team to support my father for 24\*7 care, self sufficient mother also in the home. Familiar with medication administration and 24/7 oxygen use. Proficient in all aspects of home care, Meal preparation, laundry and light housekeeping. Must be non-smoker; experienced with elderly and compassionate. Must be enrolled or willing to enroll with CDPAP (Medicaid payroll service, CDPAP registered with Recco a plus. Proof of citizenship / immigration status required and must be willing to submit to full background check.

**Daphne () on Tuesday, October 31, 2017 at 05:30:10**

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Best Time: Evening

Email Authorization: Yes

Public E-mail: [masonan@gmail.com](mailto:masonan@gmail.com)

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,

Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

Required Documentation: Proof of Identity,

Hours: 12

**Healthylife723 () on Sunday, October 29, 2017 at 12:25:18**

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Neighborhood Name: Mastic Beach

City, Town or Borough: Brookhaven, Suffolk County

Available Transportation: Auto,

Phone: 631 478 2455

Best Time: Day

E-mail: [Healthylife723@gmail.com](mailto:Healthylife723@gmail.com)

Email Authorization: Yes

Consumer Age: Younger than 21

Consumer Gender: Female

Payroll Method: Agency

Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health

Candidate Experience: Children, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease, Visual / Auditory Impairments, Special Diets, Languages

Description of Special Diets: Soft

Description of Languages: English  
Preferred Candidate Gender: Female  
Required Documentation: Social Security Number, Proof of Identity, Recommendations  
Hours: Evening  
Days: 5  
Pay Per Hour: 13.56  
Comments: 2 shifts. After school from 315pm to 8 and over night hours

**Bonner () on Saturday, October 28, 2017 at 16:49:42**

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Neighborhood Name: Upper East Side/East Harlem

City, Town or Borough: Manhattan

Available Transportation: Subway, Bus,

Phone: 917-763-3639

Best Time: evening

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

Email Authorization: Yes

Consumer Age: Younger than 21

Consumer Gender: Female

Payroll Method: Agency

Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health

Candidate Experience: Teens, Young Adults, Quadriplegia, Wheelchairs, Special Diets,

Description of Special Diets: G-TUBE

Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

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

Hours: 48

Days: 4

Start Time: 8pm

Description of Schedule: overnight Position

Pay Per Hour: 11

Pay Per Week: 580

Comments: Manhattan family seeking an overnight caregiver for 15 year-old girl with cerebral palsy. This is an overnight position, hours 8pm-8am, 4 week day nights. Sunday - Friday with Mondays and Thursdays off. Experience working with disabled children who are wheelchair users. Duties include basic living needs such as toileting and bathing. There is a fully accessible bathroom with roll-in shower and lift. However, caregiver must feel comfortable physically transferring the child. Compensation is \$572 per week gross (before taxes). Legal to work in the U.S. Compensation is provided by a fiscal intermediary (agency) and may increase in 2018. Health insurance as a benefit from the agency. Start date November 15th. Please send resume and 3 references.

**Andrew Heller () on Wednesday, October 25, 2017 at 16:19:22**

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City, Town or Borough: Valley Stream, NY

Available Transportation: Bus, Train, Auto,

Phone: 516-350-8191

Best Time: anytime

E-mail: [andrewhheller@gmail.com](mailto:andrewhheller@gmail.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, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease, Special Diets,

Description of Special Diets: swallowing difficulty

Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

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

Pay Per Hour: 15-20

Comments: Hospice Home Health Aides Needed (On-Call Backups)

Humble family seeking professional, compassionate home aides for bed bound hospice patient in her safe and comfortable private home. Building team to support my mother for 24\*7 care.

#### REQUIREMENTS

\*\*\* LOCAL candidates only: Long Island, Queens, Brooklyn

\*\*\* 2-3 references

\*\*\* Must be enrolled or willing to enroll with CDPAP (Medicaid payroll service - on the books with family supplemental private pay)

- current valid HHA, CNA or LPN license
- original proof of employment eligibility
- original proof of citizenship / immigration status
- must be willing to submit to full background check
- current or readiness to obtain physical, MMR and PPD test

\*\*\*\*\* this is a rare very stable position with friendly senior and kind family \*\*\*\*\*

#### STEADY POSITION

Every other Monday day 9:00am - 7:30pm (flex)

Every other Tuesday overnight 8:00pm - 8:00am

#### ON-CALL BACKUP POSITIONS NEEDED (flex hours)

Weekdays 9:00am - 2:00pm, 3:00pm - 7:00pm, 9:00am - 7:00pm

Weekends 9:00am - 7:00pm

Overnights 8:00p. - 8:00am

#### Requirements

- female aide only
- non smoker
- comfortable with cats

#### Profile

- compassionate care for dementia
- ability to work with team of home aides and family
- companionship with patient

#### Education

- high school diploma
- CHHA, CNA or equivalent experience

#### Experience

- bed bound patient (200 pounds)
- dementia care
- hospice care

#### Medication Management

- administer and log medications

#### Other

- swallowing difficulty

We're looking for:

High school graduate

Non-smoker

Comfortable with pets

Feeding

Bathing / Dressing

Companionship

Meal Preparation

Errands / Shopping

Light Housekeeping

Medication Management

**Suzanne Grieco () on Wednesday, October 25, 2017 at 13:51:43**

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Neighborhood Name: Aquebougue  
City, Town or Borough: Riverhead NY  
Available Transportation: Train, Auto,  
Phone: 1-646-584-1961

Best Time: any

E-mail: [griecos1@aetna.com](mailto:griecos1@aetna.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, Hemiplegia, Wheelchairs, Other Equipment, Mental  
Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,

Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

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

Hours: 13

Days: 7

Start Time: 8am

Description of Schedule: live in for 7 days every other week

Pay Per Week: 750

Comments: would prefer a female aide in her 50's or older

# ***PCA Information***

*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.*

**Note: If you are seeking employment from a Consumer who is receiving their service authorization from a New York State Medicaid funded Consumer Directed Personal Assistance Program, the Consumer is permitted to consider your employment only if you can pass ALL of the following New York State reviews.**

1. You are an adult of at least 18 years of age.
2. The Consumer is not your spouse or (if the Consumer is younger than 21) is not your child.
3. You do not live in the home of the Consumer (unless their service requires it).
4. You are not the Designated Representative (Surrogate) of the Consumer.
5. You do not have any financial control over the Consumer.
6. Your information must pass a Federal and State Government Exclusion List Review.
- 7 You have a verifiable Social Security number and the qualified documents needed to prove that you are eligible to work in the United States.

**The State of New York also requires each Personal Care Assistant to complete a Health Assessment BEFORE you begin work.**

The Health Assessment includes:

- A basic physical exam - blood pressure, height, weight, etc.
- A TB (Tuberculosis) Screen (PPD) or a chest x-ray if the test is positive or if the test would not be appropriate
- A Measles and Rubella Screen or Vaccine
- A drug test of Urine (forensic toxicology)
- Documentation of vaccination against influenza, or wearing of a surgical or procedure mask during the influenza season

**In addition to the above New York State requirements,** the municipality in which the Consumer lives may also impose additional health assessments or legal reviews. The Consumer Directed Personal Assistance Program your Consumer chooses will require the completion of a Memorandum of Understanding (Consumer / Personal Care Assistant Agreement) to clarify the employment relationship, and they may require other documents to help them effectively complete their role as the Consumers Fiscal Intermediary.

# *PCA Candidates*

**Robert Arnold () on Monday, November 27, 2017 at 12:39:51**

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Address: 152 Maida Ave Deer Park NY 11729

Phone: 631 357 9341

Best Time: ASAP

E-mail: [Robertarnold1991@gmail.com](mailto:Robertarnold1991@gmail.com)

Email Authorization: Yes

Gender: Male

Type of Position: Other Type of Position

Description of Other Type of Position: Any

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: Yes

Consumer/Surrogate References Available: Yes

Years Employed with a Consumer/Surrogate: 1

Enrolled with a CDPAP: Yes

CDPAP Agency Name(s): RECCO

Experience: Young Adults,, Other,

Description of Other: Autism

Can pass the New York State Review: Yes

Had a Health Assessment in the past 12 months: Yes

Have or can get a copy of my recent Health Assessment: Yes

Other Documentation Available: Proof of Identity,, Recommendations

Certificate/License: Driver's License,

Hours per Week: 35

Days per Week: 5

Preferred Start Time: 9pm

Days I Would Like to Work: Any

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

Target Salary Per Hour: 14

**Danielle Artist () on Monday, November 27, 2017 at 12:30:21**

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Address: 5995 Shore Parkway Brooklyn, Ny 11236

Phone: 7187813179

Best Time: 3pm -10pm

E-mail: [d.artist81@gmail.com](mailto:d.artist81@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  
Years Employed with a Consumer/Surrogate: Since 2011  
Enrolled with a CDPAP: Yes  
CDPAP Agency Name(s): Concepts of independence  
Experience: Children,, Seniors,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Other Equipment,  
Can pass the New York State Review: Yes  
Had a Health Assessment in the past 12 months: Yes  
Have or can get a copy of my recent Health Assessment: Yes  
Other Documentation Available: Proof of Identity,, Recommendations  
Certificate/License: Personal Care,, Driver's License,  
Hours per Week: 40  
Days per Week: 5  
Preferred Start Time: ASAP  
Days I Would Like to Work: Open  
I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: Yes weekends only  
Target Salary Per Hour: \$11  
Comments: I have 16 years plus in this field. I worked with people with different health problems so I am experienced

**Danielle Rossi () on Friday, November 24, 2017 at 15:47:10**

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Address: 154 Broome Street Apt 9A New York NY 10002  
Phone: 917-723-3286  
Best Time: Anytime  
E-mail: [Daniellerossi38@gmail.com](mailto:Daniellerossi38@gmail.com)  
Email Authorization: Yes  
Gender: Female  
Type of Position: Domestic / Homemaking  
Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: Yes  
Consumer/Surrogate References Available: Yes  
Years Employed with a Consumer/Surrogate: 6months  
Enrolled with a CDPAP: Yes  
CDPAP Agency Name(s): Concepts of independence  
Experience: Children, Young Adults, Paraplegia, Wheelchairs,  
Can pass the New York State Review: Yes  
Had a Health Assessment in the past 12 months: Yes  
Have or can get a copy of my recent Health Assessment: Yes  
Other Documentation Available: Proof of Identity, Recommendations  
Hours per Week: 40

Days per Week: 5  
Preferred Start Time: 9am  
Days I Would Like to Work: Monday -Friday  
I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: No  
Target Salary Per Hour: 13

**Janine Furline Corley () on Tuesday, November 21, 2017 at 10:48:07**

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Address: 172 Lincoln Avenue Roosevelt, New York 11575  
Phone: 516-499-2762  
Best Time: 9-6  
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 1/2  
Enrolled with a CDPAP: Yes  
CDPAP Agency Name(s): Concepts of Independence llc  
Experience: Young Adults, Seniors, Paraplegia, Amputation, Wheelchairs, Lifters, Other  
Equipment, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease, Visual / Auditory Impairments, Special  
Diets, Other,  
Can pass the New York State Review: Yes  
Had a Health Assessment in the past 12 months: Yes  
Have or can get a copy of my recent Health Assessment: Yes  
Other Documentation Available: Proof of Identity,  
Certificate/License: Driver's License,  
I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: 8 to 8  
Target Salary Per Hour: \$13.5  
Target Salary Per Day: \$160

**Annmarie Mangra () on Monday, November 20, 2017 at 14:38:51**

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Address: 164-30 Hillside Ave APt#8H Jamaica, NY 11432  
Phone: 516-547-3113  
Best Time: Anytime  
E-mail: [AM7879@aol.com](mailto:AM7879@aol.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: Seniors, Other Equipment, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease, Visual / Auditory Impairments,  
Description of Languages: English  
Description of Other: Diabetes, hypertension, etc.  
Can pass the New York State Review: Yes  
Had a Health Assessment in the past 12 months: Yes  
Have or can get a copy of my recent Health Assessment: Yes  
Other Documentation Available: Proof of Identity,  
Certificate/License: Personal Care, Home Health Aid, Driver's License, Other,  
Description of Other Certificate/License: Medical Assistant  
Days I Would Like to Work: Monday to Friday  
I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: Yes

**Jeselle Charles Veloz () on Monday, November 13, 2017 at 22:41:22**

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Address: 426 East 22nd St Brooklyn New York 11226  
Phone: 347 440 8443  
Best Time: Any Time  
E-mail: [Jcharlesveloz@yahoo.com](mailto:Jcharlesveloz@yahoo.com)  
Gender: Female  
Type of Position: Other Type of Position  
Description of Other Type of Position: Phlebotomy and EKG Technician  
Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: Yes  
Consumer/Surrogate References Available: Yes  
Years Employed with a Consumer/Surrogate: 2 Years  
Enrolled with a CDPAP: Yes  
CDPAP Agency Name(s): Concept Of Independence  
Experience: Wheelchairs, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease, Special Diets, Languages  
Description of Languages: English Only  
Can pass the New York State Review: Yes  
Had a Health Assessment in the past 12 months: Yes  
Have or can get a copy of my recent Health Assessment: Yes  
Other Documentation Available: Proof of Identity,  
Certificate/License: Personal Care,  
Description of Other Certificate/License: Certified Phlebotomist & EKG Technician currently doing CNA to be Licensed PCA/PCT  
Hours per Week: 36  
Days per Week: 4  
Preferred Start Time: ASAP

Days I Would Like to Work: Friday sat sun  
I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: No  
Target Salary Per Hour: 14  
Target Salary Per Day: 150  
Target Salary Per Week: 580  
Comments: Currently employed with a Concepts client

**Teresa Williams-Green () on Saturday, November 11, 2017 at 22:49:03**

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Address: 255 East 93rd St., Brooklyn, NY 11212  
Phone: 917-627-5282  
Best Time: EVENINGS  
E-mail: no emails at the moment.  
Gender: Female  
Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health  
Description of Other Type of Position: Companion Care  
Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: Yes  
Consumer/Surrogate References Available: Yes  
Years Employed with a Consumer/Surrogate: 2+ years  
Enrolled with a CDPAP: Yes  
CDPAP Agency Name(s): Concept of Independence  
Experience: Children, Young Adults, Seniors, Paraplegia, Quadriplegia, Amputation, Ventilators, Wheelchairs, Lifters, Other Equipment, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease, Special Diets, Languages  
Description of Special Diets: low sodium, puree  
Description of Languages: English  
Description of Other: no  
Can pass the New York State Review: Yes  
Had a Health Assessment in the past 12 months: Yes  
Have or can get a copy of my recent Health Assessment: Yes  
Other Documentation Available: Proof of Identity, Recommendations  
Certificate/License: Personal Care,  
Hours per Week: 3-4  
Days per Week: wk  
Preferred Start Time: 8am-8pm  
Days I Would Like to Work: Mondays, Tuesdays, Fridays and Saturdays  
I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: yes  
Target Salary Per Hour: \$15  
Target Salary Per Day: \$160  
Comments: Experienced in many different types of care. 8years of working with Diabetic,

Paraplegia, Amputation, Alzheimer's, Stroke, Ventilator, Bed-ridden and more Patients. A non smoker, so I prefer non smoking clients. Efficient and prompt worker.

**Kamala Singh () on Saturday, November 4, 2017 at 04:06:07**

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Address: 8676 208th St

Phone: 3475484087

Best Time: 7 pm

E-mail: [kamala1931@live.com](mailto:kamala1931@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

Enrolled with a CDPAP: Yes

CDPAP Agency Name(s): Concepts of Independence

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

Description of Special Diets: Diabetic

Description of Languages: English

Can pass the New York State Review: Yes

Had a Health Assessment in the past 12 months: Yes

Have or can get a copy of my recent Health Assessment: Yes

Other Documentation Available: Proof of Identity,

Hours per Week: 24

Days per Week: 2

Preferred Start Time: 8 am/8pm

Days I Would Like to Work: Friday night, Saturday night or Sunday night

Target Salary Per Hour: 12/13

Comments: I have many years experience working with different type of cases. Adult, Seniors, Paraplegia, Quadriplegia, Stroke, Heart, Ventilators, Lifters, Wheelchairs and other equipment. Also, meal preparation, personal care, appointments, recreation activities, grocery shopping, laundry and light housekeeping. I am currently working for a 91 years old Alzheimer Consumer. However, I need more hours. I am willing to work two or three 12 hours shifts on the weekend. Day or night.

**Astrid Van Vlaanderen () on Thursday, November 2, 2017 at 16:52:42**

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Address: 1199 Park Ave

Phone: 917-868-0600

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

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Domestic / Homemaking

Worked with a CDPAP Consumer/Surrogate: No

Experience: Children, Teens, Young Adults, Seniors, Wheelchairs, Other Equipment, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,

Can pass the New York State Review: Yes

Had a Health Assessment in the past 12 months: Yes

Have or can get a copy of my recent Health Assessment: Yes

Other Documentation Available: Proof of Identity, Recommendations

Hours per Week: 40

Days per Week: 5

Preferred Start Time: 9am

Days I Would Like to Work: M-F

Target Salary Per Hour: 15-20

**Gloria Jones () on Wednesday, November 1, 2017 at 17:53:38**

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Address: 275 West144th. Street#7

Phone: 347-820-0073

Best Time: Anytime

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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 yrs.

Enrolled with a CDPAP: Yes

CDPAP Agency Name(s): Concepts of independence

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

Can pass the New York State Review: Yes

Had a Health Assessment in the past 12 months: Yes

Have or can get a copy of my recent Health Assessment: Yes

Other Documentation Available: Proof of Identity,

Certificate/License: Home Health Aid,

Hours per Week: 40 h

Days per Week: 5 days

Preferred Start Time: 8pm

Days I Would Like to Work: Sat-Wed

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

Target Salary Per Hour: 11.00 /h

Target Salary Per Day: 150.00

Comments: I have many yrs of experience with working n this field love doing my job I am very committed.

**Jessica D. () on Saturday, October 28, 2017 at 12:33:42**

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Address: Bronx

Phone: 347-273-7277

Best Time: Anytime

E-mail: [Jessicad15@hotmail.com](mailto:Jessicad15@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: Yes

Enrolled with a CDPAP: Yes

CDPAP Agency Name(s): Concepts of Independence

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

Can pass the New York State Review: Yes

Had a Health Assessment in the past 12 months: Yes

Have or can get a copy of my recent Health Assessment: Yes

Other Documentation Available: Proof of Identity,

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

Description of Other Certificate/License: CCMA, CNA

Days I Would Like to Work: M-F

# *Articles Related to the CDPAP*

## *CDPAP Fiscal Intermediaries Must File an Application for Authorization With DOH or Cease Operations*

Mon, Nov 20, 2017 at 12:07 PM

Written by: Ford Harrison - November 17, 2017

**Executive Summary.** On November 1, 2017, the NYS DOH issued its "Application for Fiscal Intermediary Authorization" and implementation guidelines. Significantly, DOH imposed a very short timeframe, stating: "As of November 1, 2017, all existing FIs will have thirty (30) days to submit their FI Authorization application to the Department." If no filing is made, the FI must cease operating under CDPAP. Those who wish to begin operating an FI may also want to file by this date. A copy of the application can be obtained at

[https://www.health.ny.gov/health\\_care/medicaid/redesign/mrt\\_10003.htm](https://www.health.ny.gov/health_care/medicaid/redesign/mrt_10003.htm)

**The Application.** The application is designed to obtain complete information about the entity operating under CDPAP -- its corporate documents, ownership, leadership, organizational structure, and any related organization that will have the ability to direct or cause direction of actions, management or policies of the FI. The application filing is made under penalty of perjury. DOH may request additional information.

Schedule 1 to the application requires detailed personal information from each principal stockholder or LLC member and managing member, officers and Board members of the FI and any related organizations and relatives of any person submitting, which information includes, among other things, 5 year employment histories, any criminal, civil or administrative actions against them or state enforcement actions against facilities they or their relatives were affiliated with, and



personal associations for the past 10 years with any licensed or certified health care entities in or outside New York State, including documentation to show that any associated out-of-state entity was in substantial compliance with that state's applicable codes, rules and regulations.

In addition the application requires submission of numerous documents, among which are (i) a certified copy of a Board resolution authorizing submission of the application and confirming the FI's corporate authority to operate under CDPAP; (ii) the FI's policies and procedures, including any contracts or other documents used in communications with Consumers; (iii) all marketing and outreach materials; and (iv) plans to solicit and consider input from Consumers and other interested parties about the FI's services.

**Observations.** The application is clearly intended (i) to obtain detailed information about the bona fides of all individuals who own, serve in decision-making roles or manage an FI, or seek to do so, and any entities, parent or otherwise, that can influence any decisions, policies or practices of the FI; (ii) to allow DOH to review an FI's marketing and outreach materials and any contracts or other documents used in communications with Consumers to determine whether these materials are consistent with NYS guidance on CDPAP; and (iii) to reiterate what Fiscal intermediaries are prohibited from engaging in. Indeed, the application contains the specific admonition: "activities in which an FI should not be engaged, such as recruiting and hiring personal assistants, [are] as set forth in the Consumer-Directed regulations under Title 18 NYCRR §505.28. It has never been, nor will it ever be, appropriate for an FI to participate in such activities."

<https://www.jdsupra.com/legalnews/cdpap-fiscal-intermediaries-must-file-92454/>

## ***Update on Home Care Worker Pay Issues***

*Mon, Nov 13, 2017 at 11:23 AM*

An update to the news below about the recent [NYS Appellate Division decisions](http://www.wnyc.com/health/news/78/#Home%20care%20aide%20wages) ([http://www.wnyc.com/health/news/78/#Home care aide wages](http://www.wnyc.com/health/news/78/#Home%20care%20aide%20wages)) that allow

lawsuits to go forward by home care aides challenging a [2010 NYS Dept. of Labor policy \(RO-09-0169 Live-In Companions\)](#)

([https://labor.ny.gov/legal/counsel/pdf/Other/RO-09-0169 - Live-In](https://labor.ny.gov/legal/counsel/pdf/Other/RO-09-0169 - Live-In Companions.pdf)

[Companions.pdf](#)) that allows live-in aides to be paid only 13 hours/day. The courts found that the 2010 policy is contrary to the state labor regulations that require that the minimum wage be paid for every hour worked, unless the worker actually resides in the consumer's home.

On Oct. 25, 2017, the NYS Dept. of Labor published an "[emergency regulation](#)" (<https://docs.dos.ny.gov/info/register/2017/oct25/rulemaking.pdf>) (p. 5 of link) that amends the NYS minimum wage regulations in a way that appears to attempt to undermine the recent appellate court decisions. Those decisions found that the 2010 NYS Dept. of Labor policy [RO-09-0169 Live-In Companions](#) that allowed live-in aides to be paid 13 hours for a 24-hour day, if they do not actually live with the consumer, conflicted with the actual state minimum wage regulations. Now the State amended the minimum wage regulations to state that live-in aides need not be paid for the 3 1-hour meal periods and 8 hours of sleep time (totaling 11 hours/day) that are excluded from hours worked under the federal minimum wage regulations as amended by the Obama administration. The amendments appear to be intended to adopt the 2010 policy guidance [RO-09-0169 Live-In Companions](#) and allow payment of 13 hours/day.. If the Court of Appeals accepts review of the Appellate Division cases, the impact of the regulatory amendments will no doubt be disputed. In the meantime, it is not clear what is the impact of the amendment to the regulations.

- **Appellate Division decisions strike down state rule that allows 24-hour live-in aides to be paid only 13 hours/day.** Decisions state that 24-hour case home care workers must be paid for all 24 hours if they are “nonresidential,” meaning they do not exclusively reside in the consumer's home. The decisions were based, in part, on rejecting a 2010 state Dept. of Labor policy guideline [RO-09-0169 Live-In Companions](#) as in conflict with state minimum wage regulations. [Tokhtaman v. Human Care, LLC](#) (<https://law.justia.com/cases/new-york/appellate-division-first-department/2017/3671-151268-16.html>) (1st Dept. 2017 NY Slip Op 02759); [Andreyeva v. NY Home Att. Agency](#) (<https://law.justia.com/cases/new-york/appellate-division-second-department/2017/2014-09087.html>); [Moreno v](#)

[Future Care Health Serv](https://law.justia.com/cases/new-york/appellate-division-second-department/2017/2016-03709-0.html) (<https://law.justia.com/cases/new-york/appellate-division-second-department/2017/2016-03709-0.html>). (2nd Dept.)

The million (or billion?) dollar question is how State will fund the additional pay for live-in workers in MLTC, mainstream managed care, CHHA, and in fee-for-service home care authorized by local Medicaid districts as "immediate need" services or for people excluded or exempt from MLTC or managed care.

Consumers are seeing ripple effects of the ruling in home care agencies refusing to accept new "live in" cases. While rulings may be appealed, the decisions are not "stayed" and are arguably the binding interpretation of the law in NYC and the entire metro area covering about 12 other counties.

Meanwhile, it remains difficult for consumers to obtain authorizations from MLTC plans for split shift or 2-12 hour shifts/day, despite helpful [clarification of the standard for split shift "continuous" care in state regulations](#),

(<http://www.wnylc.com/health/index.php?View=entry&EntryID=7#standards> 24

hour care) and despite helpful [MLTC Policy 16.07](#)

([https://www.health.ny.gov/health\\_care/medicaid/redesign/mrt90/mltc\\_policy/16-07.htm](https://www.health.ny.gov/health_care/medicaid/redesign/mrt90/mltc_policy/16-07.htm)).

[http://www.wnylc.com/health/news/78/#Home care aide wages](http://www.wnylc.com/health/news/78/#Home%20care%20aide%20wages)

## ***DIA meeting dates for 2017***

General Membership Meetings are held monthly.

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

135 West 23rd Street (between 6th and 7th Avenues)

New York City

1:30 PM to 4:00 PM

***Sunday, January 21, 2018***

*Sunday, February 18, 2018*

*Sunday, March 18, 2018*

*Sunday, April 15, 2018*

*Sunday, May 27, 2018*

*Sunday, June 10, 2018*  
*Sunday, July 15, 2018*  
*Sunday, August 19, 2018*  
*Sunday, October 21, 2018*  
*Sunday, November 18, 2018*

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- Bronx Independent Living Services, Inc. (BILS)  
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TEL [718 515-2800 x 116](tel:7185152800) / TTY [718 515-2803](tel:7185152803) / FAX [718 515-2844](tel:7185152844)
- Brooklyn Center for Independence of the Disabled (BCID)  
27 Smith St, #200, Brooklyn, NY 11201  
TEL [718 998-3000](tel:7189983000) / TTY [718 998-7406](tel:7189987406) / FAX [718 998-3743](tel:7189983743)
- Center for Independence of the Disabled in NY (CID-NY) (Manhattan)  
841 Broadway, #301, New York, NY 10003  
TEL [212 674-2300](tel:2126742300) V / TTY [212-674-5619](tel:2126745619) / FAX [212-254-5953](tel:2122545953)
- CID-NY/Queens  
137-02A Northern Blvd, Flushing, NY 11354  
Phone: [646-442-1520](tel:6464421520) / Sorenson VP [866-948-1064](tel:8669481064) / TTY [718-886-0427](tel:7188860427) / Fax 718-886-0428
- Harlem Independent Living Center (HILC) (Manhattan)  
289 St. Nicholas Ave, #21 Lower Level, New York, NY 10027  
TEL: 212-222-7122 / Sorenson VP 646-755-3092 / Relay 866-326-5876 / FAX 212-222-7199  
[info@hilc.org](mailto: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](mailto:licil@aol.com)
- Self Initiated Living Options, Inc. (SILO) (Suffolk Co)  
2111 Lakeland Ave, Ronkonkoma, NY 11779  
TEL 631-880-7929 / TTY 631-654-8076 / FAX 631-946-6377  
[contact@siloinc.org](mailto: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

# *Alternative Resources*

*The following resources MAY help Consumers find new Personal Care Assistant (PCA) Candidates and manage the CDPAP. (Suggestions Welcome)*

## *Employment*

**Kingsborough Comm. College, Marisa Joseph**  
2001 Oriental Blvd, Brooklyn, NY 11235  
[marisa.joseph@kbcc.cuny.edu](mailto:marisa.joseph@kbcc.cuny.edu)  
718-368-5563

**NYC Technical College Placement Office**  
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(718) 260-5050

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Phone: 516-939-2253 [www.ablenews.com](http://www.ablenews.com)

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<http://newyork.backpage.com/MedicalHealthJobs/>

**Classified Ads, Cost Free**  
<http://www.classifiedads.com/post.php>

**Craigslist, Cost \$45.00 (30 days)**  
<http://newyork.craigslist.org/>

## *System Navigation*

**Homecare Planning Solutions**  
<http://www.hpsny.org/learning-center/home-care/enroll-in-cdpap/>  
718-215-0926

Assistance with enrolling in a CDPAP, or questions about CDPAP,  
Call to speak with a specialist. Never any charge for their help,

**Independent Consumer Advocacy Network (ICAN)**  
ICAN helps people in New York's Managed Care Plans  
Call (844) 614-8800 TTY Relay Service: 711  
<http://icannys.org/>

**Evelyn Frank Legal Resources Program**  
Focus - Medicaid, Medicare, home care services, and public benefits issues affecting older adults & people with disabilities  
212.613.7310 Monday through Friday 9:00 am – 5:00 pm  
[EFLRP@nylag.org](mailto:EFLRP@nylag.org)

**Plan: a data entry form and page for CDPAP agencies, suggestions welcome.**