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

#### Consumers / Advocates

- To <u>receive</u> a copy of the weekly Newsletter, a Consumer or Advocate need only send me an email to <u>elitcher@consumerdirectedservices.com</u> and include your name and the text **Newsletter Request**.
- To <u>search</u> for a New Personal Assistant go to the <u>Consumer Directed Services</u> website and complete the form at the following link <u>Consumer / Advocate Search for a PCA Candidate</u>. When your information is received it will be distributed to all of the PCA Candidates enrolled in the database and a variety of other Employment Resources.

## • Personal Care Assistant (PCA) Candidates

To include your information in the Newsletter and Database, go to the <u>Consumer Directed Services</u> website and complete the form at the following link: <u>Look for a PCA Job (FREE) - New York City Metro</u>. As of the above date, <u>552 Personal Assistant Candidates</u> have already been enrolled.

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many Consumers / Advocates as possible, previously distributed Newsletters (**from January 12, 2011 to present**) have been archived on the 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

Best Regards, Ed Litcher

## **Notes**

Consumers Wanted: For an Employment Information Bridge to work it requires traffic to flow in both directions. If you are in a Consumer Directed Personal Assistance Program, you will eventually need to find a new Home Care Worker. And up to now you may have relied upon Friends, Family, an Agency or you may have chosen to put your own advertisement on the Internet (See the list of Internet resources on the PCA Employment Agency page of this newsletter). Therefore, to help you find the PCA Candidate of your choice, I urge you, to do everything you ordinarily do, to consider an Internet resource and to try <a href="https://www.ConsumerDirectedServices.com">www.ConsumerDirectedServices.com</a>. Finally, if you try Consumer Directed Services, please spread the word. Tell your friends and associates about this **FREE** service.

## **Consumers Searching**

# Should you require additional information Please Contact the Consumer Directly.

#### (ermaa2001@yahoo.com) on November 25, 2012 at 16:43:15

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Consumer: Mr. Laxman Address1: 1919 24 Ave Address2: Astoria, NY Phone: 347-639-0166 Best Time: afternoon Email Authorization: Yes

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,, Other Equipment,

Preferred Candidate Gender: Male

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

Hours: 12 Days: 7

Start Time: 8 to 8 Pay Per Hour: \$9 - \$10

Comments: CDPAP through ICS concepts program. Consumer is looking four PCA

Candidates to fill his dual shift (2 X 12) 7 day a week authorization.

## (gooney718@aol.com) on Sunday, November 25, 2012 at 16:46:47

Consumer: Alex Elegudin Address1: 1919 24th Avenue

Address2: Astoria, NY Phone: <u>7187576906</u> Best Time: Anytime

Email Authorization: Yes

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,

Preferred Candidate Gender: Male

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

Hours: 8-12 Days: 5-7

Description of Schedule: Day time and night time shifts available.

Pay Per Hour: TBD

Comments: Flexible. Weekday or weekend shifts available. Day and night time shifts available.

Queens residence preferred, not required. Salary to be determined.

#### John Ramireez - Wednesday, November 21, 2012 at 07:01:57

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Consumer: John Ramireez Address1: 65-35 108 St

Address2: Forest Hills NY 11375

Phone: <u>718-530-5025</u> Best Time: Mornings

Consumer Age: Between 31 and 50

Consumer Gender: Male Payroll Method: Self Pay

Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health Candidate Experience: Quadriplegia,, Languages Description of Languages: English, Spanish

Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

Required Documentation: Proof of Identity,

Description of Schedule: Varies mainly Fridays possibly more Comments: Salary will be determined when agreement is in place.

## Mrs. Crosby - Thursday, November 8, 2012 at 17:00:37

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Consumer: Mrs. Crosby

Address1: Brooklyn N.Y. 11207

Phone: <u>718-606-5543</u> Best Time: 9am-7pm

Consumer Age: Younger than 21

Consumer Gender: Male Payroll Method: Agency

Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health

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

Languages

Description of Languages: Eng

Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

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

Hours: 8 Days: 3 Start Time: 3pm-11pm Pay Per Hour: 10-11

Comments: Pca must be patient, dependable, reliable, Must be experience w/ special needs population Must love Cleaning.

#### (luisluciano824@yahoo.com) on Friday, October 26, 2012 at 20:09:13

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Consumer: Luis Luciano Address1: 39 Nicole Place

Address2: West Babylon, NY 11704

Phone: <u>631-559-1013</u>

Consumer Age: Between 31 and 50

Consumer Gender: Male Payroll Method: Agency

Type of Candidates: Personal Care / Home Health

Candidate Experience: Young Adults,, Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Quadriplegia,, Hemiplegia,,

Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Languages

Description of Languages: English, Spanish

Preferred Candidate Gender: Female

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

Days: 5 Start Time: 9am Description of Schedule: live-in

## **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.

## (astaciojj29@hotmail.com) on Thursday, November 29, 2012 at 16:08:27

Personal Assistant Candidate: jhulisa astacio

Address1: 1938 prospect ave

Phone: 917-259-7665
Best Time: morning
Gender: Female

Type of Position: Domestic / Homemaking

Experience: Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Other Equipment,

Description of Languages: spanish and inglish

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

Hours per Week: 40 Days per Week: 8

Preferred Start Time: 9

Days I Would Like to Work: 24/7

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

Target Salary Per Hour: 9

Comments: i can perform range of motion exercise, utilize mechanical lift, measure & record

intake, feed residents

#### (necey56@yahoo.com) on Thursday, November 29, 2012 at 10:14:01

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Personal Assistant Candidate: Carolyn Taylor

Address1: 1295 Amsterdam Ave

Address2: apt. 11 h Phone: 646-633-8592

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Other Type of Position

Description of Other Type of Position: personal assistant

Experience: Seniors,, Quadriplegia,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Other Equipment,, Visual /

Auditory Impairments,, Special Diets,

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

Days per Week: 5-6

Preferred Start Time: 8am

Days I Would Like to Work: mon-sat

Target Salary Per Hour: 10.30

Comments: Have been working as a personal assistant 17 years. Also have a nursing assistant

certificate

## (tweetybearluv52@yahoo.com) on Wednesday, November 28, 2012 at 14:06:39

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Personal Assistant Candidate: ALECIA

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

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

Disease,, Languages

Description of Languages: english

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

Hours per Week: 40 Days per Week: 12

Preferred Start Time: anytime Target Salary Per Hour: 12 Target Salary Per Day: 125 Target Salary Per Week: 500

#### (nicolesmith3181@yahoo.com) on Wednesday, November 28, 2012 at 12:56:51

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Personal Assistant Candidate: Nicole Smith

Address1: 853 Halsey St

Address2: Apt 4 Phone: 3473143059 Best Time: Anytime Gender: Female

Type of Position: Domestic / Homemaking

Experience: Children,, Teens,, Young Adults,, Seniors,, Wheelchairs,, Mental Impairments /

Alzheimer's Disease,, Special Diets,

Description of Special Diets: LO salt diets, Description of Languages: English, Spanish

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

Hours per Week: 35-4 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: 10 Target Salary Per Week: 300

Comments: I Been in the home care setting for 9 years i worked with infants to teens while doing homemaking for a agency assisted with ACS and i worked with seniors as well with A

few Home Health Aide Agencies.

## (lena\_bivens@yahoo.com) on Wednesday, November 28, 2012 at 12:19:56

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Personal Assistant Candidate: LENA A. BIVENS

Address1: 239 PATCHOGUE AVE.

Phone: <u>(631)</u> 504-2903

Best Time: 5PM Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Experience: Children,, Teens,, Young Adults,, Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Amputation,, Wheelchairs,,

Lifters,, Other Equipment,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,, Visual / Auditory

Impairments,

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

Hours per Week: 40 Days per Week: 7

Preferred Start Time: 11/20012

Days I Would Like to Work: any days

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

Target Salary Per Hour: 12.85

Comments: I have worked in healthcare for over 20 years. I am also a medical assistant as well. I have worked in the cdpap program for over 3 years now. I am always available if needed, I

am reliable and trustworthy.

#### (nataki3@gmail.com) on Monday, November 26, 2012 at 12:40:20

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Personal Assistant Candidate: michelle franklin Address1: 79 amboy street bklyn ny 11212

Phone: 347 264 1690 Best Time: 10am Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Experience: Young Adults,, Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Amputation,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Mental

Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,, Visual / Auditory Impairments,

Description of Special Diets: hypertension, diabetic etc

Description of Languages: English

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

Hours per Week: 50 Days per Week: 5

Preferred Start Time: 9am

Days I Would Like to Work: Mondays to Fridays some Saturdays

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

Target Salary Per Week: \$650

Comments: i believe i would bee the right candidate for this positions you are offering. i have been working as a home health for the past 12 years. i have various experience with different clients i have worked with diabetic, high blood pressure,, mentally disabled, dementia Alzheimer's etc. i also do light house cleaning, doctors appointment, grocery shopping and occasionally go for walks with my clients.

## (Tajada9@hotmail.com) on Monday, November 26, 2012 at 22:48:12

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Personal Assistant Candidate: Tahra Daniels

Address1: 1783 Pitman Avenue

Phone: 347 299 2279 Best Time: 10:00am Gender: Female

Type of Position: Other Type of Position Description of Other Type of Position: LPN Experience: Children, Young Adults, Seniors, Amputation, Ventilators, Wheelchairs,

Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,, Special Diets,

Description of Special Diets: G tube feeding

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

Hours per Week: 40 Days per Week: 5

Preferred Start Time: 4pm

Days I Would Like to Work: Flexible

Target Salary Per Day: 200.00

Comments: I have worked in the Health care industry since 2008 after gaining my certification as LPN. Prior to my training, I have had the opportunity work as a Special education teacher and briefly as a Case Worker. The experience that I have gleaned from teaching young adults, assisting families in crisis and providing individualized care to seniors is sobering and will guide me in motivating others.

#### (daegon84@gmail.com) on Monday, November 26, 2012 at 20:30:08

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Personal Assistant Candidate: stephen perez

Address1: brooklyn ny Phone: <u>3472406630</u> Best Time: anytime

Gender: Male

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Experience: Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Wheelchairs,, Languages

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

Hours per Week: 84 Days per Week: 7

Preferred Start Time: 8am

Days I Would Like to Work: sunday through saturday I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: no

Target Salary Per Hour: 10/11

Comments: hard working, quick learner, takes direction well, several years in the army

## (<u>heliadora@gmail.com</u>) on Monday, November 26, 2012 at 19:48:03

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Personal Assistant Candidate: Heliadora Sanchez

Address1: Brooklyn Phone: 3473162618 Best Time: anytime Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Experience: Young Adults,, Paraplegia,, Quadriplegia,, Hemiplegia,, Amputation,,

Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Languages

Description of Languages: english and spanish

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

Hours per Week: 60 Days per Week: 5

Preferred Start Time: 8pm/9pm

Days I Would Like to Work: monday to friday

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

Target Salary Per Hour: 10/11

Comments: Registered Pca, Pca certified

#### (coreysandra33@yahoo.com) on Monday, November 26, 2012 at 12:21:11

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Personal Assistant Candidate: sandra johnson

Address1: 1015 boynton ave apt 5f Address2: 615 east 104th st 4d Address3: 316 west 95th st 314

Phone: 347-658-2548 Best Time: 7pm

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Other Type of Position

Description of Other Type of Position: mantiances

Experience: Young Adults, Description of Special Diets: no Description of Languages: english

Description of Other: none

Documentation Available: Social Security Number,

Hours per Week: 40hr Days per Week: 7

Preferred Start Time: 9am

Days I Would Like to Work: all seven days

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

Target Salary Per Hour: 12.00 hr

Target Salary Per Day: yes

Comments: I have my pca license and i worked with it be fore and I am looking to work doing

that a again

## (tarapryce@yahoo.com) on Monday, November 26, 2012 at 14:37:30

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Personal Assistant Candidate: Tara Pryce

Address1: 210-10 grand central pkwy

Address2: apt3A Phone: 3478691246 Best Time: anytime Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Experience: Children,, Seniors,, Lifters,

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

Hours per Week: 40+ Days per Week: 5-6

Preferred Start Time: ASAP

Days I Would Like to Work: open availability

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

Target Salary Per Hour: 10+

Comments: I am a people oriented person. I love to work with people and by myself.

#### (shakurahinckson@aol.com) on Monday, November 26, 2012 at 13:28:28

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Personal Assistant Candidate: Shakura Hinckson

Address1: 770 Remsen Avenue

Phone: <u>347-239-0409</u>

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Experience: Children,

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

Hours per Week: 40 Days per Week: 5

Preferred Start Time: 8:00 am

Days I Would Like to Work: monday-friday

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

Target Salary Per Hour: 11.00

Objective: To obtain a challenging position that utilizes my prior education, data entry,

customer service, and telephone skills

## (Leezatenell@optonline.net) on Monday, November 26, 2012 at 13:16:24

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Personal Assistant Candidate: Qulynda Wilson

Address1: 949 Herkimer St

Address2: Apt #3

Address3: Brooklyn, NY 11233

Phone: 3472476754

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

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

Description of Languages: English

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

Days I Would Like to Work: Saturdays

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

Target Salary Per Hour: \$9.00

#### (debragopie@yahoo.com) on Monday, November 26, 2012 at 12:54:15

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Personal Assistant Candidate: debra gopie

Address1: 55 norwood ave

Address2: brooklyn Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health Experience: Children, Seniors, Wheelchairs,

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

Hours per Week: 40 Days per Week: 5 Preferred Start Time: 6

Days I Would Like to Work: mon tru friday

Target Salary Per Week: 500.00

## (allen.nakeisha@yahoo.com) on Monday, November 26, 2012 at 10:52:54

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Personal Assistant Candidate: Nakeisha Allen

Address1: 1098 Franklin ave

Phone: <u>917-474-8933</u> Best Time: after 9am

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health Experience: Children,, Seniors,, Wheelchairs,

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

Hours per Week: 40 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: \$14.00

Comments: Aossicate degree in Medical Assistant, CNA Certification, CPR, Residential

**Habilitation Counselor** 

#### (flocornell@gmail.com) on Monday, November 26, 2012 at 10:00:23

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Personal Assistant Candidate: FLORANTE CORONEL

Address1: 219A Beach 11th St

Address2: Far Rockaway, NY 11691

Phone: 6038580516 Best Time: anytime

Gender: Male

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Experience: Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Quadriplegia,, Hemiplegia,, Amputation,, Ventilators,,

Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Other Equipment,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,, Visual /

Auditory Impairments,, Special Diets,, Languages

Description of Languages: English, Filipino, Spanish (basic)

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

Hours per Week: 50++ Days per Week: 6+

Preferred Start Time: 12/04/12

Days I Would Like to Work: all weekdays/weeknights, weekends

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

Target Salary Per Hour: 18 Target Salary Per Day: 250 Target Salary Per Week: 1200

Comments: College grad with degrees in business; CNA license-holder; ore than 10 yrs. experience in elderly care; certified Dementia caregiver; mental health caregiver; certified DD caregiver; exp. in end-of-life care; fluency in English; plays guitar, sings; cooks; with own car + comp. ins.; extensive driving experience; no wife/children around (liberal and very flexible with schedule)

## (Dominiquep.8564@gmail.com) on Monday, November 26, 2012 at 09:47:17

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Personal Assistant Candidate: Dominique R. Payne

Address1: 118-12 199th Street

Address2: Queens Address3: New York Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Experience: Teens,, Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Amputation,, Wheelchairs,, Other Equipment,,

Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,, Special Diets,, Languages

Description of Special Diets: Low Sodium, Diabetes, Kosher

Description of Languages: English, Basic Spanish

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

Hours per Week: 24 Days per Week: 02

Preferred Start Time: 12/12

Days I Would Like to Work: Mondays Thursdays or Fridays.

Target Salary Per Hour: 10

Target Salary Per Week: 200-300

Comments: Looking to expand my skill within healthcare. With previous client experience with your company and medical background of 5 yrs I feel I would be a good Assistant for the right client. Professionalism and attention to detail have always been skills that I have been successful at using within this field. I look forward to hearing from you -Thank you!

Regards,

Dominique R. Payne

## (mssexydm@yahoo.com) on Monday, November 26, 2012 at 09:21:10

Personal Assistant Candidate: Donniece masterson

Address1: 54 East 179th street apt 2 c Address2: 1128 findlay ave apt bb

Phone: 347 734 4214

Best Time: any Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health Experience: Children,, Young Adults,, Seniors,

Description of Other: medical assistant

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

Hours per Week: 40 Days per Week: 5

Preferred Start Time: 900

Days I Would Like to Work: any day is good

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

Target Salary Per Hour: 12-14

## (shaquaysha.rembert@yahoo.com) on Monday, November 26, 2012 at 02:23:52

Personal Assistant Candidate: shaquaysha rembert

Address1: 2085 rockaway parkway

Address2: 2b

Address3: brooklyn,ny 11236

Phone: 917-808-2090

Best Time: 1pm Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health Experience: Children,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,

Description of Languages: english

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

Hours per Week: 11 Days per Week: 8

Preferred Start Time: 9am

Days I Would Like to Work: monday-friday & weekends I am willing to work a 24 Hour Sleep-In schedule: yes

Target Salary Per Hour: 12 Target Salary Per Day: 25 Target Salary Per Week: 15

Comments

education- high school diploma

college-kaplan university

skills\_housekeeping,childcare,petwalking/sitting,typing skills

## (nnjj2g@aol.com) on Monday, November 26, 2012 at 02:04:37

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Personal Assistant Candidate: Nikcoma Jefferson

Address1: 1895 Morris Ave Address2: bx, ny 10453 Phone: <u>646-427-8171</u>

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

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

Special Diets,

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

Hours per Week: 40+ Days per Week: 5

Days I Would Like to Work: sunday thru friday

Target Salary Per Hour: 10-12

Comments: I tremendously enjoy caring others. I am a dedicated trustworthy and reliable. I am

very compassionate and ensure the comfort safety and wellbeing of others.

## (LOLITATHOMAS79@GMAIL.COM) on Monday, November 26, 2012 at 00:23:03

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Personal Assistant Candidate: LOLITA THOMAS

Address1: 1620 EAST 93RD STREET

Address2: APT 2 Phone: 3477889382 Best Time: MORNING

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Experience: Children,, Teens,, Seniors,, Wheelchairs,, Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's

Disease,, Special Diets,

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

Hours per Week: OPEN

Days per Week: 6

Days I Would Like to Work: MON-SAT

Target Salary Per Hour: 10.00

#### (eridania72@hotmail.com) on Saturday, November 24, 2012 at 21:04:45

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Personal Assistant Candidate: ANTONIA CASTILLO

Address1: 7809 34th ave jackson ths ny

Phone: <u>646-673-7461</u> Best Time: ANY TIME

Gender: Female

Type of Position: Personal Care / Home Health

Experience: Young Adults,, Seniors,, Paraplegia,, Wheelchairs,, Lifters,, Other Equipment,,

Mental Impairments / Alzheimer's Disease,, Visual / Auditory Impairments,

Description of Special Diets: diabete, high and low pressure Description of Languages: ENGLISH AND SPANISH

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

Hours per Week: 48 Days per Week: 6

Preferred Start Time: any time

Days I Would Like to Work: Monday to Satuday

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

Target Salary Per Hour: TBD Target Salary Per Day: TBD Target Salary Per Week: TBD

Comments: I have experience working in agency and private, I have a good attitude and I am

always willing to help make your life better and help you improve your skills.

## **Articles Related to the CDPAP**

## **DIA Holiday Party**

Dallas BBQ, 261 8 Ave, 23-24 Sts

Date: December 9<sup>th</sup> Time: Noon-3PM

Cost \$15/member home attendants free

ALL MEMBERS SHOULD HAVE RECEIVED INFO IN THE MAIL!

Carr 212-255-66I9

# Notes from Medicaid Redesign in New York State Presented by Lara Kassel Medicaid Matters NY At the CDPAANYS Conference - October 24, 2012

#### Medicaid Matters NY

- Statewide coalition of over 140 organizations representing the interests of New Yorkers served by the Medicaid program
- Established in 2003 in response to threats to Medicaid at the state and federal levels
- Systems advocacy on behalf of Medicaid beneficiaries is crucially important because of the many competing interests in Albany

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## Changes to Medicaid in New York

- •Expansion of Medicaid Managed Care
- •Many other initiatives to "bend the cost curve"; just some examples:
- -Primary care investments
- -Regional planning
- -Benefit review
- •Global Medicaid spending cap
- •State takeover of administration from the counties
- •Implementation of Federal health reform

## The Medicaid Redesign Team

- •Created by Governor Cuomo in January 2011 to address the budget deficit and "bend the cost curve"
- •New Medicaid Director had done similar process in Wisconsin
- •Made up of provider representatives and one consumer advocate (additional added later)

# The Medicaid Redesign Website www.health.ny.gov/health\_care/medicaid/redesign/

The Medicaid Redesign Team: Phase I

- •Goal: find \$2B in Medicaid savings for the 2011-2012 fiscal year and a deliver recommendations to the Legislature for inclusion in the budget
- •Public input through public hearings and Medicaid Redesign website
- •MRT meetings and individual analysis to review the public's suggestions, as well as those from within the Health Department
- •MRT vote on a final package and delivery to the Legislature on February 24, 2011

#### The Medicaid Redesign Team: Phase II

- •Goal: reform Medicaid to find long-range savings and efficiencies and deliver final report to Governor for the 2012-2013 Executive Budget
- •New MRT members added in Summer 2011, including an additional consumer representative
- •Workgroups formed to address specific issues
- •Workgroups met and delivered recommendations to the Governor in

#### December 2011

- •Some workgroup recommendations included in 2012-2013 Executive Budget
- •Final report issued April 2012

#### MRT Phase II: The Workgroups

- •Affordable Housing
- •Basic Benefit Review
- •Behavioral Health
- Health Disparities
- •Health Systems Redesign: Brooklyn
- •Managed Long Term Care
- •Medical Malpractice Reform
- •Payment Reform and Quality Measurement
- •Program Streamlining and State/Local Responsibilities
- •Workforce Flexibility

## MRT Recommendations in 2012-2013 Budget

- •Supportive housing funding
- •Assisted Living Program reform
- •Changes to Medicaid benefits
- podiatry for people with diabetes
- lactation consulting
- expand services to promote maternal/child health
- Hepatitis C care and treatment
- harm reduction services

- reduced payment for elective C-sections
- some benefit eliminations
- •Support provider transformation through merger, closure, acquisition or restructuring
- •Investments to modernize and automate eligibility systems
- •Invest in an Asset Verification System
- •Expand Facilitated Enrollment to people with disabilities and seniors
- •Phase-in state takeover of Medicaid administration
- •Expand the Primary Care Service Corps
- •Further refine inpatient reform to support safety-net hospitals

#### **Expansion of Medicaid Managed Care**

- •From a consumer perspective, the biggest change to Medicaid
- •Over 1 million people will be new to Medicaid Managed Care in the next few years including various types of care management in Medicaid:
- •Traditional/mainstream managed care
- •Health Homes
- •Behavioral Health Organizations (BHOs)
- •Managed Long Term Care
- •Fully Integrated Duals Advantage (FIDA)
- •Developmental Disabilities Individualized Support Care Coordination Organizations (DISCOs) Medicaid Managed Care: Advocate Concerns
- •Choice
- Transitions
- •Consumer knowledge of their rights
- Network adequacy
- •Plan capacity and knowledge
- Oversight, monitoring, and reporting
- •Capitation incentive for reducing access

## Medicaid Managed Care Ombudsman Program

- •Independent, individual assistance services for people with disabilities or chronic illness
- •Systems advocacy for these constituencies who are new to Medicaid Managed Care
- •"Hub and spokes" model to provide on-the-ground assistance
- •Statewide distribution of disability specialists and legal experts
- •Build on success of existing programs, strengthen local capacity

## The "Super Waiver"

- •NYS request to amend the NY Partnership Plan (1115 waiver), the vehicle by which the state administers Medicaid Managed Care
- •Overview document released 5/14/12; amendment request submitted to CMS 8/6/12 (with stakeholder engagement process)

- •Five-year reinvestment of \$10B in savings associated with MRT actions
- •Excludes OPWDD services
- •Unclear how it will be handled in context of the state's request for extension of the NYPP
- "Super Waiver" Program Areas
- Primary Care Expansion
- •Health Home Development Fund
- •New Care Models
- •Expand Vital Access/Safety Net Program
- •Public Hospital Innovation
- •Medicaid Supportive Housing Expansion
- •Long Term Transformation and Integration to Managed Care
- •Capital Stabilization for Safety Net Hospitals
- •Hospital Transition
- •Ensuring the Health Workforce Meets the Needs in the New Era of Health Care Reform
- •Public Health Innovation
- •Regional Health Planning
- •MRT Waiver Evaluation and Program Implementation

#### Advocacy going forward

- •Constant monitoring of implementation
- -Medicaid Managed Care expansion
- -Creation of a Managed Care Ombudsman Program
- -Integration of Medicaid in Exchange planning
- -State takeover of Medicaid administration
- •Monitoring of allocation of Super Waiver funding

Thank you!
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- Brooklyn Center for Independence of the Disabled (BCID)
   27 Smith St, #200, Brooklyn, NY 11201
   TEL 718 998-3000 / TTY 718 998-7406 / FAX 718 998-3743
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   841 Broadway, #301, New York, NY 10003
   TEL 212 674-2300 V / TTY 212-674-5619 / FAX 212-254-5953
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   137-02A Northern Blvd, Flushing, NY 11354
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