

- DSP Spotlight -

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Nora Wolford



What do you like to do in your free time?

Spending time with my family and my grandbabies. I love bowling, reading inspirational Amish stories written by author Beverly Lewis, and watching movies.

How long have you worked as a Direct Support Professional?

I have been with the same agency for 20 years as a DSP.

How did you start in the field?

I was a nurse's aide working in nursing homes for about 19 years, that was hard work running the halls. I then recognized it was time to do something different and applied at Intervention for Peace.

Has there ever been anyone that has stood out to you as a mentor in this field?

There was no one in particular except I learned a lot from the staff at the Achievement Center trainings.

What is your favorite thing to do with the people you serve?

Taking them shopping and bowling. They love field trips, like the Polar Express and Stan Hywet Hall!

What is your favorite part of being a Direct Support Professional?

The way a client greets me. When I walk into work and hear "Hi, NORA WOLFORD!" And when I leave for the night and hear "I'll see you Thursday, Nora. You'll be here?"

Thank you for your outstanding contributions to helping people with developmental disabilities and their families in Medina County. Thank you for sharing your dedication and commitment to making a difference in the lives of others every single day.

