

- DSP Spotlight -

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What do you like to do in your free time?

I love to do anything creative- building, painting, photography. Right now I am really enjoying doing some renovations to our home. I also enjoy spending time with my family.

How long have you worked as a Direct Support Professional?

I started eight years ago and have been at my current job ever since.

How did you start in the field?

The field kind of found me. A friend encouraged me to apply, but I hesitated because I wasn't familiar with group homes and didn't know what to expect. Eventually, I figured I would give it a try, and I've definitely found my place. I love my job and I wouldn't want to work anywhere else.

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

There are definitely too many to list! I have been lucky to have so many wonderful and supportive people who have helped guide me. I would have to say my coworkers and friends, Jessica and Tracy, have been wonderful examples for me and are always there to help whenever I have questions or need someone to lean on.

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

My favorite thing to do with our clients is have dance parties. I also love sitting outside and enjoying the sunshine with my girls.

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.



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