

SKILLS

Safety Management

**Behavioral Support Plans** 

Social Skills Development

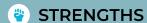
**Health Monitoring** 

Stress Management

Community Engagement

#### ✓ INTERESTS

- ★ Surfing
- Martial Arts
- Community Service
- Blogging











## LANGUAGES





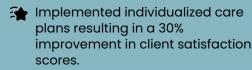


English

Swahili

German

#### ACHIEVEMENTS



Trained 15 new staff on clientcentered support strategies, enhancing team effectiveness.

## JAMES CLARK

#### **Direct Support Staff**

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## PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Seasoned Direct Support Staff with a decade of experience dedicated to enhancing the lives of individuals with disabilities. Expertise in implementing personalized care strategies that foster independence and promote overall well-being. Passionate about creating inclusive environments that empower clients to achieve their personal and social goals.

# WORK EXPERIENCE

#### **Direct Support Staff**

# Jun / 2018-Ongoing

Blue Sky Innovations

Thicago, IL

- Ensured a safe and supportive environment for clients, promptly addressing safety concerns and communicating with case managers.
- 2. Maintained certifications in CPR and First Aid, demonstrating commitment to client health and safety.
- 3. Supported individuals with special needs in daily activities, including hygiene, meal preparation, and community engagement.
- 4. Administered medications per state MAR and CMA standards, ensuring compliance with healthcare regulations.
- 5. Facilitated skill development through personalized training programs, enhancing clients' life skills.
- 6. Participated in recruitment and training of new staff, contributing to a cohesive and effective team.
- 7. Oversaw daily living activities for clients with varying disabilities, providing transportation and support as needed.

#### **Direct Support Staff**

# Jun / 2015-Jun / 2018

Silver Lake Enterprises

📮 Seattle, WA

- 1. Provided direct support to adults and children with behavioral health challenges, ensuring proper care and assistance.
- 2. Coordinated and attended clients' medical appointments, advocating for their health needs.
- 3. Supported the development and documentation of long-term goals for clients, tracking progress effectively.
- 4. Assisted clients with personal hygiene tasks, including bathing and dressing, promoting dignity and self-esteem.
- 5. Helped clients with household tasks such as cooking, cleaning, and shopping, fostering independence.
- 6. Delivered personal care services as assigned by case managers, documenting changes in client activities.

## EDUCATION

Associate of Applied Science in Human Services

☐ Jun / Jun / 2015

Springfield Community College

**¥** Seattle, WA

Focused on providing support and advocacy for individuals with disabilities.