




Linda Patel

SPECIAL NEEDS CAREGIVER

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 United States, Chicago, IL

SKILLS

Specialized Care Techniques	Expert
Individualized Care Planning	Expert
Behavioral Management	Expert
Communication and Collaboration	Expert
Progress Documentation	Expert

PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Compassionate Special Needs Babysitter with 10 years of experience providing personalized care and support for children with developmental disabilities. Skilled in implementing individualized care plans and working closely with families and healthcare professionals.

EXPERIENCE

★ March 2018 - Now

Special Needs Caregiver

Private Family / United States, Chicago, IL

- Provide one-on-one care for a child with autism, including implementing therapy exercises, managing behavioral challenges, and assisting with daily living activities.
- Develop and maintain a care plan in collaboration with healthcare professionals and family members.
- Facilitate communication and social interaction through tailored activities and therapies.
- Maintain detailed records of progress and changes in behavior for review with the family and medical team.

★ June 2014 - February 2018

Childcare Provider

Inclusive Daycare Center / United States, Chicago, IL

- Assisted in providing care for children with various special needs, including those with physical and cognitive disabilities.
- Supported the development and implementation of educational and therapeutic activities.
- Collaborated with a team of caregivers and therapists to create a supportive environment for all children.

EDUCATION

★ 2010 - 2014

Bachelor of Science in Special Education

University of Illinois at Chicago / United States, IL

★ **Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA)**

Illinois Department of Public Health / Certification Year: 2022

★ **Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) Training Certification**

National Autism Association / Certification Year: 2021