### **IRIS CONSULTANT BIOGRAPHY**



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### Work History (starting with most recent)

Name of Agency	Date of Employment	Job Title	
Consumer Direct Care Network	November 26,	IDIC Supervisor and Consultant	
Wisconsin (CDCN)	2018	IRIS Supervisor and Consultant	

Care Responsibilities

From initial referral and ongoing as your needs change, CDCN consultants will guide you through plan development, being an employer and managing your budget. We provide program education and assist you in connecting with resources key to meeting your goals. CDCN will support you in living the life you want.

Educational Background				
Name of Institution	Major/Degree	Degree Obtained	Date Obtained	
Western Illinois University	Exercise Science/B.S.	Yes	5/2006	
Western Illinois University	Exercise Science/M.S	Yes	5/2008	

#### Credentials

Name of Certification/Accreditation	Certifying Agency	Date Certification was Obtained
Crisis Prevention Training	Teambuilders Counseling	4/2011
Certified Brain Injury Specialist	Brain Injury Assoc. of America	10/2017

# **Specialties** (e.g., working with autism, the elderly, employment for people with disabilities or youth in transition, mental health, experience with assisted technology)

I have supported adults with disabilities, children with severe behavioral problems and mental illness, individuals with traumatic brain injuries, and youth on probation.

### County/Region I'm familiar with

St. Croix, Chippewa, Dunn, Eau Claire, Pierce, Taylor

### Languages or Communication Skills

None at this time

## I'm comfortable with pets in the home $\operatorname{Yes}$

More about me



When I started in my career as a youth advocate I realized how important this work is and I became passionate about helping others. After nearly a decade in my field I have come to truly understand how unique and special each individual is. When partnered with a participant, I actively listen to each and every goal to further understand those specific needs to create a plan that works for each participant. Additionally, I help find resources to meet the participant's needs. Self-directed care is an amazing option for someone who wants to control their life while staying where they are most comfortable. I've lived in a number of different states accompanied by my dogs and husband. In my free time I enjoy being outside with friends and family, antiquing, camping, and exercising.

