

CSC MONTHLY MAGAZINE
**EMPLOYEE
CONNECTION**



Our Mission is to provide services of the highest quality for people with cognitive and developmental disabilities and related disorders including autism that optimize each individual's independence and capabilities, ensure self-determination and rights and, with partnerships in the community, enhances their opportunities to live healthy, safe and valued lives.

Our Vision is to provide programs and services to individuals with developmental disabilities and related disorders including autism to live and work in the community and exercise their rights, choice and freedom and to live independent of institutional life through integrated efforts of change agents who are passionate about changing lives of people with disabilities throughout the world.

**MANDATORY
HOUSE COORDINATOR MEETING**

Thursday, April 10, 2025 | 12:30pm @Amberton

Thursday, April 24, 2025 | 12:30pm @Amberton

Everyone is REQUIRED to come and be on TIME!

APRIL EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH



Saheed Oyerinde has been recognized as Employee of the Month for his outstanding work with the medically fragile kids program at CSC. His exceptional ability to actively listen to the needs and wants of the children has helped him build strong, meaningful relationships with them, making them feel comfortable and secure in his presence. His dedication to the program and genuine care for each child exemplifies the values we cherish at CSC.



Saubana Okewoye is a dedicated and a hard-working employee at the day program at CSC. His professional approach and genuine caring nature have made a lasting impact on both individuals and fellow staff members. His outstanding service demonstrates the level of excellence we strive to achieve in our programs. Thank you, Saubana, for your genuine compassion and the respect you show to everyone in the program!



Olufunke Sobowale shines as a dedicated member of our direct care staff at CSC. Her extensive experience and willingness to step into leadership roles, as demonstrated during the House Coordinator's absence, showcase her versatility and dedication to the team. Her reliability and punctuality set a sterling example for her colleagues, while her positive attitude brightens every shift she works. Olufunke's commitment to providing exceptional care is evident in the special attention she gives to each individual.



Requirements:

- High School Diploma ◦ Valid Maryland Driving License
- Must have at least 12 months experience of
- working with medically fragile children
- Ability to lift 60+ pounds, CMT
- Sensory input techniques and operation of adaptive equipment and attentive to the child's needs

For more information contact

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Director of Programs

Center for Social Change Inc.

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PERSONAL SUPPORT STAFF REQUIRED

Center for Social Change and the family of a child is looking for a highly-skilled, motivated, and compassionate staff to work with a 14-year-old child who has multiple disabilities.

Training required: All DDA mandated training, including CPR, First Aid, and Mandt.

Share your input on the Employee Connections. Send information to

Ms. Dana Dimas via Phone: 410 579 6789 * 809 or Email: dana@centerforsocialchange.org

DISTRACTED DRIVING AWARENESS MONTH

The month of April has been deemed National Distracted Driving Awareness Month. Focusing on the road and the task of driving is priority one when behind the wheel. Your life, the lives of those in your vehicle and around you, depend on it. Buckle Up Phone Down – every trip, every time, everyone!



Distracted driving leads to thousands of deaths and injuries each year. Common distractions include:

- **Cell phone use:** Texting, calling, browsing social media.
- **Other devices:** Using GPS, listening to music.
- **Passenger interactions:** Talking to passengers, playing with children.
- **Eating and drinking:** Distracting from the road.
- Adjusting the radio or temperature: Briefly taking eyes off the road.

Tips for Staying Focused While Driving:

- **Put away cell phones and other devices:** Use a designated passenger to handle calls or texts if necessary.
- **Pull over to text or use your phone:** If you need to send a text or make a call, do it only after safely pulling over.
- **Plan your route before driving:** Set your GPS before you start driving.
- **Eat and drink before or after your trip:** Avoid eating or drinking while driving.
- **Stay aware of your surroundings:** Pay attention to the road, traffic, and other drivers. By focusing on these tips and promoting safer driving practices, individuals can help make roads safer for everyone during Distracted Driving Awareness Month and throughout the year.

Take Action:

- Remind your friend and family: If you're in the driver's seat, it's the only thing you should be doing. NO DISTRACTIONS.
- If your driver is texting or otherwise distracted, tell them to stop and focus on the road.



What would you like to know more about?
Send information to
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HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU

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| Mame Ba | Edward Afful |
| Christiana Odususi | Boniface Mouafo |
| Fernando Chiatiah | Kuietche |
| Destiny Gingles | Solomon Mago |
| Ivon Nahjela | Shawnanna Colon |
| Teona Hamlett | Domenique Chappell (2/2) |
| Marthia Courtney | Dare Ogunname |
| Omolara Jaiyesimi | Corey Shell |
| Chrishawn Sulemana | Fonjock Alexander |
| Domenique Chappell (1/2) | Lanre Akinlosotu |
| Cathyrose Odoh | Cosmas Mutua |
| Femi Osadiya | Joseph Arimoro |
| Elijah Oni | Emmanuel |
| Theresa Vick | Ajigbotoluwa |
| Sweetie White | Nasiru Bundu |
| Olanrewaju Daramola | Elsie Iloabachie |
| Alice Mgbejume | Fuh Binwi Epouse |
| Taylor Washington | Monikang |
| Evelyn Okwese | Obiageli Obua |
| Prudencia Fieze | Olaniyi Oluwagbemi |
| Bernard Mbah | Adedayo Atilola |
| Margaret Ogunnaya | |

HAPPY Anniversary

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| Dahiru Abubakar | Philomina Lamina |
| Christiana Odususi | Dare Ogunname |
| Ibidunni Sangotikun | Mykira Banks |
| Saheed Oyerinde | Abiodun Adeyemi |
| Cheikh Mbengue | Sylvester Jeghede |
| Jermaine Ward | Adeshakin Adebowale |
| Davina McCain | Jasmine Slater Ward |
| Bukola Obiora | Nkiruka Nibo |
| Roger Kimbi | Mohamadou Thiam |
| Isaac Arthur | Stefanie Brown |
| Anthony Badu Nkansa | Oluleke Bello |
| Frimpong | Aliu Alhaji |
| Idowu Loni | Gay Jones |
| Edward Afful | Fuh Binwi Epouse |
| Adejoke Popoola | Monikang |
| Caroline Nyeche | Oluwaseun Adebayo |
| Emmanuel Wike | Abiola Daniel |
| Adeboye Adebisi | Osahenrumwen |
| Rashaad Veale | Obasuyi |

