



**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, January 08, 2026 | 12:30pm @Amberton  
Thursday, January 22, 2026 | 12:30pm @Amberton  
**Friday Zoom Meetings 4pm**

**Everyone is REQUIRED to come and be on TIME!**

**JANUARY EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH**



**Deontee Sawah** has been a wonderful staff in the Children's Program. She consistently ensures all documentation is completed daily and maintains a clean and welcoming living space for the individuals in her care. Deontee goes above and beyond by assisting the children with their daily activities, always keeping them engaged and supported. Her dedication and commitment make a real difference every day. Thank you, Deontee, for all that you do!



**Melissa Okang** has consistently demonstrated an exceptional level of dedication in her role at our day program. Melissa's compassionate disposition and professional conduct have had a profound and positive impact on both our individuals and staff. Her steadfast dedication to fostering a supportive and respectful environment is a reflection of the highest values upheld by our organization. We extend our sincere gratitude for her genuine dedication and compassion toward everyone involved at CSC.



**Raphael Chumokong** has shown outstanding dedication in his work at CSC's adult residential homes. He is always responsive to the needs of each individual he serves, handling every situation with care and professionalism. Raphael steps up whenever unforeseen challenges arise, with ease and a positive attitude. He has also been incredibly willing to pick up extra shifts to help cover the schedule, ensuring the home runs smoothly. Thank you for your commitment and all that you do for CSC!

 **WE'RE HIRING!**  
JOIN OUR TEAM SEND US YOUR CV

**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](mailto:dana@centerforsocialchange.org)

## PREPARING FOR WINTER WEATHER

### Prepare a Winter Storm Plan

- Have extra blankets on hand.
- Ensure that each member of your household has a warm coat, gloves or mittens, hat, and water-resistant boots.



### Assemble a Disaster Supplies Kit Containing

- First aid kit and essential medications.
- Battery-powered Weather radio, flashlight, and extra batteries.
- Canned food and can opener.
- Bottled water (at least one gallon of water per person per day to last at least 3 days).
- Extra warm clothing, including boots, mittens, and a hat.
- Assemble a Disaster Supplies Kit for your car, too.
- Have your car winterized before winter storm season.

### When a Winter Storm WARNING is Issued...

- Stay indoors during the storm.
- If you must go outside, several layers of lightweight clothing will keep you warmer than a single heavy coat. Gloves (or mittens) and a hat will prevent loss of body heat. Cover your mouth to protect your lungs.
- Understand the hazards of wind chill, which combines the cooling effect of wind and cold temperatures on exposed skin.
- As the wind increases, heat is carried away from a person's body at an accelerated rate, driving down the body temperature.
- Walk carefully on snowy, icy, sidewalks.
- After the storm, if you shovel snow, be extremely careful. It is physically strenuous work, so take frequent breaks. Avoid overexertion.



### Avoid traveling by car in a storm, but if you must...

- Carry a Disaster Supplies Kit in the trunk.
- Keep your car's gas tank full for emergency use and to keep the fuel line from freezing.
- Let someone know your destination, your route, and when you expect to arrive. If your car gets stuck along the way, help can be sent along your predetermined route.



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