SHERRY MERCER

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# Special Needs and Education Professional

I am a dedicated, hard-working person. I will go above and beyond to make sure my job is completed to the best of my ability. My husband and I are pastors in Wabash and take great joy in serving our community and I love what I do serving the special needs in this community. I have a huge heart and care about these students and want to see them be successful.

# EXPERIENCE

**PRE-EMPLOYMENT TRANSITION SERVICES INSTRUCTOR, ARC OF WABASH- Wabash, IN**

**JANUARY 2023-CURRENT**

Provides direct services to qualified students in the Pre-ETS program. Works directly with students, delivers instruction in core competency curriculum (job exploration, post-secondary education counseling, self-advocacy, work-based experiences, and workplace readiness training) and plans and facilitates work experiences and events.

**SUPERVISOR, SUNFLOWER DIVERSIFIED SERVICES- GREAT BEND, KS**

**DECEMBER 2016- NOVEMBER 2017**

I was in charge of day-to-day operations. My job was to teach our clients job skills. I was in charge of passing out meds and keeping paperwork current and in order.

**ACTIVITY AIDE ASSISTANT/PCA, VERNON HEALTH AND REHAB- WABASH, IN**

**JUNE 2019 – JANUARY 2023**

I was in charge of daily activities with our residence. I take our residence to appointments and shopping. I make sure all paperwork and calendars are current. I work on the floor as needed.

# EDUCATION

1995-1998

Harrison High school.

# SKILLS

* + Knowledge in Microsoft Word and email
  + Certified Personal Care Assistant
  + Certified to pass out med
  + Time management
  + For Hire Endorsement
  + Can operate a wheelchair van
  + Trained in de-escalating to redirect
  + Teaching job skills
  + People person
  + CPR Certified