

Hello

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About Me

Compassionate Peer Recovery Specialist dedicated to supporting individuals on their journey toward recovery and wellness. Skilled in active listening, advocacy, resource navigation, relationship building and person centered support. Passionate about empowering individuals, connecting them with community resources and helping them recognize their strengths while maintaining dignity, respect and hope. My goal is to use my lived experience to make others lives better day by day.

Experience

January 2026- PRESENT

Enoch Pratt Free Library – *Peer Navigator*

- Provided peer based support and encouragement to individuals working toward recovery and wellness goals.
- Built trusting, non judgemental relationships with individuals experiencing substance use, mental health, or other life challenges.
- Used lived experience appropriately and professionally to inspire hope, empowerment, and self advocacy.
- Helped individuals with identifying personal goals and develop individualized recovery wellness plans.
- Assisted individuals with navigation behavioral health and substance use treatment systems
- Connected individuals with treatment programs, housing, transportation, employment healthcare, benefits, and community resources.
- Maintained accurate and timely case notes, service documentation and referral records while protecting confidentiality.

October 2023- August 2025

Door Dash – *Delivery Driver*

- Managed delivery logistics and schedules independently adhering to traffic and safety regulations
- Handled deliveries in diverse conditions ensuring food quality and customer preference compliance
- Keep calm under high stress and fast paced environment
- Communicated effectively with customers and support via the door dash app for updates and issue resolutions.

March 2020 - May 2023

Child Care Provider

- Provided attentive care for children ages Newborn to 16 years old ensuring a safe and

- nurturing environment
- Encouraged healthy habits, good manners and social emotional development.
- Prepared nutritious snacks and meals accommodating dietary needs.
- Maintained clear and consistent communication with parents regarding daily activities challenges and progress
- Implemented positive reinforcement and consistent behavioral expectations

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Education

January 2026 to PRESENT

Maryland Peer Advisory Counsel (MPAC)-*Certificate of course completion*

Completed courses for all 5 domains that are required to obtain certification through the state of Maryland (Advocacy, Harm Reduction, Mentoring and Education, Recovery and Wellness, Self Care), currently working on the on site 500 work hours, and 30 supervision hours required. All will be completed by January 2027.

March 2025 - PRESENT

Baltimore City Community College – *Associates of the Arts Degree (in progress)*

Relevant Coursework: Assessment and Treatment plan with Chemical Dependency Counseling, Introduction to Human Services, Pharmacology of Chemical Dependency, Introductory, Intro to Abnormal Psychology, Developmental Psychology

September 1993 to May 1997

Eastern Technical High School – *High School Diploma*