

**SOUTH MISSISSIPPI REGIONAL CENTER
VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT
September 14, 2016**

- POSITION:** CONTRACT – DIRECT CARE WORKER
- WORK LOCATION:** TRANSITIONAL LIVING
- PAY:** \$10 PER HOUR; UP TO 40 HOURS PER WEEK
SCHEDULE/SHIFTS MAY VARY
- TERM:** POSITION CONTRACTED THROUGH JUNE 30, 2017
- RESPONSIBILITIES:** Assists residents in all areas of physical care and assume total responsibility for the hygiene of consumers who are unable to independently perform such tasks. Other duties include general housekeeping assignments, participating in social and recreational activities for the residents, and writing nontechnical reports on client behavior and activity. Supervisory responsibilities are not assigned to positions allocated to this job class. Related or similar duties are performed as required or assigned.
- QUALIFICATIONS:** Must have a Standard High School Diploma/GED/High School Equivalency Diploma or greater and provide two favorable professional references. Preference given to candidates with past work experience as a Direct Care Worker, Certified Nursing Assistant, or home caregiver. Leadership/supervisory experience preferred. A valid MS Driver's license, or license from a contiguous state, and personal vehicle insurance is required. Must be eligible to drive a State vehicle.
- CONTACT:** Applicants may apply in the Human Resources Department at South MS Regional Center before 4:00PM Monday - Friday. Contact Mark Leiker, Program Director Transitional Living, at 228-867-1375 for additional information.