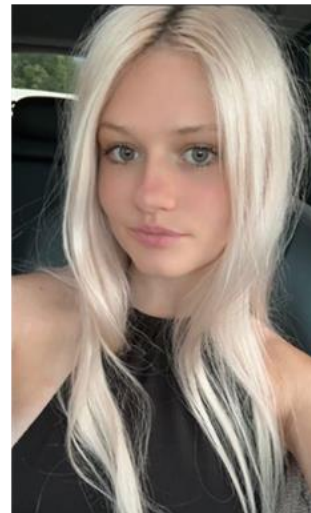
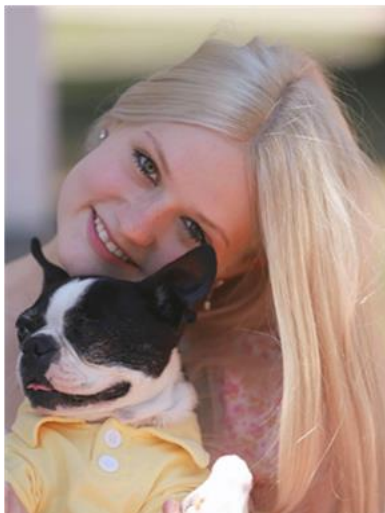


# - DSP Spotlight -

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## Abigail Clark



**What do you like to do in your free time?** I enjoy spending time with animals!

**How long have you worked as a Direct Support Professional?** I have been a DSP for 2 years.

**How did you start in the field?** When I was in my senior year of high school, I would stop by my mom's day center to visit her. I just fell in love with the individuals and decided that it was what God put me on Earth to do as my career.

**Has there ever been anyone that has stood out to you as a mentor in this field?** My mother, Amber Clark!

**What is your favorite thing to do with the people you serve?** My favorite thing to do is help them reach their goals in life and put smiles on their faces every day! I love making them feel loved!

**What is your favorite part of being a Direct Support Professional?** My favorite part of being a DSP is being able to spend my days supporting such beautiful souls that don't take life for granted.

**What makes Abigail a great DSP?:** Abby goes above and beyond with the individuals at ACP Day Center to provide services to them daily. At ACP, when an individual is having a bad day, Abby will take them aside and do something extra special with them. Whether that is taking them out in the community to go shopping one on one, or to get a coffee or lunch, maybe even to do a special art project, whatever it may be, she showers them with extra special love and attention to make them feel better. She works hard to be the best part of peoples' days. In addition, Abby has a very special way of connecting with our friends who have autism at ACP; they enjoy working on their goals with her.

**Thank you for your outstanding contributions to helping people with developmental disabilities and their families in Medina County. Thank you for sharing your dedication and commitment to making a difference in the lives of others every single day.**

