

## Direct Care Worker Cover Letter Sample 2

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**Mrs. Charlene Hanes**

Director of Human Resources

**Downtown Mobile Direct Care**

321 Frank Street, Mobile, Alabama 47896

Dear Mrs. Hanes,

As an experienced, compassionate, and devoted direct care worker, I am applying for the open job position that you advertised in the Mobile Daily Times dated June 24, 2018. As I am well aware of the stellar reputation for providing the very best in healthcare that Downtown Mobile Direct Care has, I know that you will only be seeking the candidates who have the experience and skill to give exemplary patient care. I believe that my patient-centered care approach and ten years in the industry make me the right candidate for the position.

In my daily tasks at my current position, I am responsible for making beds, cooking meals, and assisting patients with their household tasks. These tasks may include laundry and buying groceries. In addition to serving as an assistant for the daily activities, I am responsible for monitoring each patient when I perform my at-home visits. During my time in the patient's home, I typically take their vital signs and examine the patient for any sign that their medical conditions have deteriorated or improved.

My greatest achievement has been the ability to increase the daily socialization of my patients. Many of my patients had fallen into the style of living where they felt very lonely but were unable to find a way to escape that loneliness. When I noticed this pattern, I initiated a senior day program in which they would meet at the local library to discuss their favorite books, television shows, or knitting projects. This is something I consider a definite achievement because it improved the quality of life of my patients dramatically.

My core competencies include a thorough understanding of medical terminology. I am skilled in performing light housekeeping, administering medications, and performing basic personal care. My CPR certification was renewed in 2017 and remains current. My administrative and technical skills include, but are not limited to, basic computer and phone usage as well as spreadsheets and databases. I am highly organized, and multi-tasking is one of my greatest strengths.

If you are interested in a direct care worker with both the experience and the passion to serve your patients in the manner in which they deserve, please contact me to schedule an interview. I

have included both my email address and my phone number for your convenience. Although I have listed several references in the resume I've attached, I would be happy to include more at your request.

Sincerely,  
David Applefeller