

# Kaitlyn Wittig (M.Ed., BCBA/LBA) Interdepartmental Manager of Clinical Programming- State Services

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### **Role:**

I support the Behavioral Programming and Support (BPS) department by ensuring quality of care of state funded services. In addition to quality assurance, I assist in providing supervision to behavior technicians/registered behavior technicians and those on the professional track to becoming Board Certified Behavior Analysts (BCBAs).

### **Education**:

- M.Ed. in Curriculum and Instruction with a Specialization in Applied Behavior Analysis, Arizona State University, May 2017
- B.S. in Psychology, Arizona State University, May 2015

### **Special Certifications:**

- Arizona Board of Psychologist Examiners, Licensed Behavior Analyst, May 2018
- Board Certified Behavior Analyst (BCBA), February 2018

### **Career History:**

I began working at L.I.F.E. in February of 2014 with the BPS department as a 1:1 provider. I transitioned into the role of a program manager in May of 2017. After receiving my master's, I sat for the board certification exam, passed, and then received my license. Prior to working at L.I.F.E., I provided respite and habilitation for clients with disabilities in my community.

### **Training Philosophy:**

As a Board-Certified Behavior Analyst, I believe in serving the whole child by looking at each individual behavior they engage in. By figuring out the purpose that behavior serves, I can work to teach appropriate behaviors to assist the child in their daily life. My biggest aspirations are providing quality services, supporting families in their journey, and creating an environment of understanding and acceptance one child at a time.

### **Personal:**

I am an Arizona native, born and raised. I have been married for 3 years and have a 10-year-old poodle named Bugsey. When I'm not at work, I enjoy going to Flagstaff with my family to escape the heat. I also love attending any sporting event for an Arizona team and going to NASCAR in November.