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Career History:

I started at L.I.F.E. in August 2015 in the Behavioral Programming and Support (BPS) Department. Within BPS I worked with clients one on one as a Lead Therapist and acted as a Program Manager. I became a teacher at L.I.F.E. in 2018. Prior to being at L.I.F.E., I was a Clinical Supervisor at Behavioral Dimensions Inc. for 8 years working with clients (ages 2-15) in a one to one setting and in the classroom delivering Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) services. It was at this time I fell in love with ABA and the way it impacted the children and families I worked with. Before Behavioral Dimensions Inc. I worked at a school for 2 years in a classroom for students with disabilities and learned that every child is unique and has amazing potential.

Education:

- B.A. in Social Work, University of St. Thomas, 2004

Personal Teaching Philosophy:

I have worked with kids my entire life and have a passion for teaching. I've learned many important lessons from the kids I have worked with. The most important lessons include you are never too old to learn, flexibility is essential in life, and having fun while learning is the best way to learn (you can never be too goofy)!

Personal:

I'm originally from Minnesota but have called Arizona home now for 4 years. I have a wonderful husband, Phil, who I have been married to for 9 years. I also have a beautiful daughter who is 8 and two golden retrievers (one who is 10 and the other who is 7 months old). We love baseball in our house and root for the Minnesota Twins every chance we get.