About Pressley Ridge
Pressley Ridge provides individuals and families with hope and support through life’s challenges. We pride ourselves on partnering with families and meeting them where they are, when they need it the most.

Each year, 8,000 children and families are strengthened through community-based mental health services, foster care and adoption, specialized education and new services for transition-age youth. Our more than 70 programs all share a common goal of establishing stable, healthy families and life-long connections that result in a successful, happy life.

About the Pressley Ridge Direct Support Professional (Autism Community Integration)
The Direct Support Professional is expected to support young adults with autism who are receiving Community Participation Support. This position is expected to implement Individual Service Plan goals through the use of a Direct Support Plan, Individual Crisis Management Plan, and behavioral interventions as prescribed by the treatment team.

Job Description Summary:
• Implement planned and spontaneous activities connecting them to the individual and group treatment goals
• Implement individualized treatment interventions pertaining to socialization, coping skills and community integration
• Assist with maintaining visual and auditory contact with young adults.
• Be available to provide transportation to young adults during the day using a personal vehicle of Pressley Ridge vehicle.
• Participate in ongoing professional development in-service trainings

Position Requirements:
• 1 year working with children and/or families who have an autism spectrum disorder diagnosis (preferred)
• Valid driver’s license
• Education: High School Diploma or GED (required) or higher
• Clearances: Child Protection; State Police; FBI (per state regulations)

For more information, contact Beth Crawford at (412) 872-9479 or visit www.PressleyRidge.org/careers (Direct Support Professional - Autism Community Integration)