## **IRIS Consultant Biography**

Consultant Name: Sabrina Wood

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## **Work History (starting with most recent)**

Name of Agency	Date of Employment	Job Title
TMG	3/30/2020.	IRIS Consultant

## **Care Responsibilities**

Your TMG IRIS consultant is your partner as you create a plan that meets your needs and stays within your IRIS budget. Your TMG IRIS consultant can connect you to resources in your area, and will be a great source of information for any questions you have.

### **Educational Background**

Name of Institution	Maior/Degree	Degree Obtained	Date Obtained
University of Wisconsin - Parkside	Bachelor of Arts – Communication	Yes	5-2000.

#### **Credentials**

Name of Certification / Accreditation	Certifying Agency	Date Certification was Obtained
Customized/Supportive Employment Specialist	ERI, Inc.	1-2017
Conflict Mediation and Resolution	University of Wisconsin - Parkside	5-2000.

# Specialties (e.g., working with autism, the elderly, employment for people with disabilities or youth in transition, mental health, experience with assisted technology)

Working with special needs students, youth in transition, employment for people with disabilities, people first approach and previous IRIS Consulting experience, will all assist me in providing meaningful guidance to my participants.

## County/Region I'm familiar with

Kenosha, Racine

## **Languages or Communication Skills**

English, Italian

## I'm comfortable with pets in the home

Yes

#### More about me

#### How do you Partner with people to 'clear the path ahead'?

Prior to joining TMG, I was a substitute teacher for my local high school, working in the Special Education department. From there, my career took me in the Employment sector for individuals with disabilities and most recently as a TMG IRIS Consultant.

#### What's your favorite thing about being an IRIS consultant?

As a TMG IRIS Consultant, I love helping others in their time of need get to reach their goals. I feel rewarded when I am able to provide support to participants and their families.

#### What past experience prepared you to become an IRIS Consultant?

My work as a teacher for students with disabilities, as well as working in the Employment sector, has prepared me to be a knowledgeable and passionate TMG IRIS Consultant. The majority of my career has been working with a population who deal with barriers, and as a Consultant we work together on bringing those barriers down.

#### What do you enjoy doing in your free time?

In my free time, I spend time with my two children and my husband. We love to cook homemade Italian food, going to the beach in the summer and playing Monopoly. I also have a passion for community involvement, and am the Vice President of a local Order, Amicizia Order Son's and Daughters of Italy. We are a non-profit group who promotes education and cultural activities.



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