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**Arlene Peterson, MASM**  
Life Care Manager

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Arlene Peterson joined LivHOME in February 2018 as a Life Care Manager. Arlene brings over 15 years of experience in the industries of social services, recreation, care management, and home care.

Arlene began working with older adults, as a part-time Recreation Leader for the City of Lakewood's Recreation & Community Services department. She worked at the city's senior center while attending school at California State University Long Beach, where she aspired to become an elementary school teacher. Soon after she began working with the participants at the senior center she realized that her passion was working with seniors. Arlene was quickly promoted to a senior level Recreation Leader, where she served as the assistant to the Community Services Director, responsible for planning and implementing activities and providing social services to participants. She then changed her major to Recreation & Leisure Studies, and graduated with her B.A. degree in 2008. Arlene has also worked as an Activities Coordinator at a retirement community, a Resident Services Coordinator at a HUD housing community, a Client Advocate/Care Coordinator for a Geriatric Care Manager, and a Client Care Manager for other non-medical home care companies.

In 2016, Arlene completed a graduate program in Gerontology at the University of Southern California and received her Master's Degree in Aging Services Management. She completed courses such as, Counseling the Elderly and their Families, Legal Issues in Aging, and Lifespan Developmental Sociology. As part of her program she completed an internship as a Care Manager Intern at Independence at Home, a non-profit community service organization through SCAN.

Arlene enjoys working directly with clients and their families to provide solutions to help older adults live happy, healthy lives, while giving families the peace of mind that their loved ones are safe when they cannot be there. She has a true passion for working with older adults and helping to ensure quality of life throughout the lifespan.

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