

# Alice Wynn

## Homecare Support Worker

*"We work hard but we make a difference and that makes it worthwhile!"*



I have worked in care for 14 years, since my early 20's and have achieved a Level 3 Diploma Health & Social Care. I am now a Senior Support Worker in SIL's Homecare Team and I am being supported to advance my career. Leadership and teaching training are being booked as part of my development plan.

In 2020 I was a finalist for Hereford Times Health and Social Care Awards, Care Worker of the year alongside two of my colleagues from SIL. It was nice to be nominated but I don't do this job for awards; I love what I do because I get a huge amount of job satisfaction and I am so proud of the difference I make to my service users and their families.

When we are with people, helping them at home, taking them shopping or out for coffee we are building friendships and it is lovely. There is nothing better than helping people to maintain their independence as far as possible and live happy lives in their own homes.

Beyond the brilliant development opportunities at SIL they are also excellent at the day to day support. Staff wellbeing is important and you can see that through the regular supervisions, gifts for recognition of work well done, welfare phone calls and the introduction of Sick Pay, Mental Health training and free counselling.

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