

Established 1972
By and For the People of Love County
Richard Barker,
Administrator

**Ambulance Emergency** 

911

**Clinic Appointments** 

276-2400

**Hospital Information** 

276-3347

**Adult Day Center** 

276-1542

**Community Resources** 

211

**Domestic Violence Help** 

276-2042

Hotline - 226-6424

**Growers Market** 

276-9410

## Adult Day Center Isn't Work To Those Who Care

The safe, supportive, cheerful atmosphere attracts adults of all ages for an enjoyable few hours or full day away from home. Transportation, field trips, gardening, cookouts, and an incredible year-round sun room add to the dynamic and beautiful center.

Skilled and caring hospital-employed nurses and CNA's assist with medical and personal needs. We serve breakfast, lunch, and snacks, and help with errands involving the nearby clinic, therapy building, grocery, growers' market, food pantry, and convenience stores.

Services are for seniors and other adults who are mobile (to include cane, walker, or wheelchair) and would benefit from the various social and supportive services at the center.

## **Chandlyr Burton, CNA, CMA**

"We're a big family working together to greet our clients," says Chandlyr Burton, whose multiple credentials include nursing assistant (CNA), medication assistant (CMA), and activities directing.

Except for a one-year break, Burton has worked at the center since the opening year of 2014.

"It's not really work spending time with my family of workers and clients. Literally, it is not work. I don't know what I would do without it. I have the pleasure as a CNA of having



one-on-one time to talk with clients and learn their pasts. Making the visit worthwhile for them means everything to me. If I make sure they are happy and have a great day then I have done my job," she said.

Burton sometimes spices up the day for everyone by arranging for her in-laws to bring her 18-month-old daughter Dallie in for a quick visit. Burton knows what it means to feel assured that her daughter is well-cared for.

That feeling carries over to her work. "We are bringing the family members of each client peace of mind that their loved one is content and happy," she said.

In her spare time, Burton rodeos and barrel races.

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