## National Family Caregiver Month Statewide Toolkit
**Monday, November 14 - Sunday, November 20**

### Employed Caregivers Support and Awareness

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Tuesday, Nov 15

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Exemplary Employer of employed caregivers

Diana Clark
Benefits Manager Human Resources
Promega Corporation

Why Choose Promega? The following are benefits to their employed caregivers:

- Six weeks (240 hours for FT employees) of paid time off in addition to typical accruals. Options to use this time off continuously, as reduced hour scheduling, or intermittently as needed.
- Health Advocate resources (we found an EAP vendor with an “advocacy” arm of services that can support caregiver needs by making appointments, understanding diagnosis and treatment options, navigating Medicare, finding/assessing skilled nursing facilities, etc.).
- Yammer private group for Promega caregivers (this is a closed group that can chat amongst themselves as caregivers and enables me to share information directly with this population).
- Circle of Caring volunteer network (200+ volunteers) that can assist with various needs: meal delivery, lawncare help, shoveling in winter, transportation assistance, etc. This employee-led innovation grew from the awareness created by launching the caregiver leave program.

www.promega.com

Resource to share: WFACAS's Employer Policy Brief

Wednesday, Nov 16

Resource to share: Newsmakers: Wisconsin's Workforce Shortage and Support for Working Caregivers - WisconsinEye (wiseye.org)

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- **Talk to your employer about creating a caregiving-friendly culture at your workplace!**

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**Resource to share:** How Employers and States Can Support the Essential Workforce of Family Caregivers (sagepub.com)

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**Saturday, Nov 19**

**Video Resource:** Family caregiver had to give up her work entirely: (48) Abena, a Caregiver from Washington, DC - YouTube

**Resource to share:** Learn to Avoid the Harmful Effects of Caregiver Stress (ncoa.org)

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**Sunday, Nov 20**

**Resource to share:** "Family caregivers do invisible work that has a tremendous impact, and it is time that their burden is fully acknowledged." Trualta Applauds the Release of National Strategy to Support Family Caregivers | Markets Insider (businessinsider.com)

**Resource to share:** Wisconsin offers Trualta free to family caregivers. Sign up or log in here: Login - Wisconsin State (trualta.com)

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