



Lauren Feldman

Lauren Feldman is TotalLink to Community's Director of Programs & Employment Services. Lauren has 17 years of experience working in the disability services field and devotes her life to helping others. She feels the more inclusive we can be as a community, especially in workplaces, the more everyone will have the sense of belonging they deserve.

Lauren received a bachelor's degree in Psychology from Loyola University Chicago and a master's degree in Special Education from Grand Canyon University. Over the years, she has worked in various roles in the field, including paraprofessional, camp director, Special Olympics coach, special education teacher, Dean of Specialized Services, residential house manager, and director of residential services.

Lauren's experience has given her the incredible knowledge required to lead, manage, and support professionals in the field as well as people receiving services. Lauren's work is rooted in inclusivity, belonging, and the promotion of independence. She is a steadfast professional who leads with a drive to do whatever it takes to help promote meaning in the lives of others.

On a personal note, Lauren loves exploring Chicagoland sites and restaurants, cooking, walking, and spending time with family and friends outside of work.