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## Bridgewell worker gets top service honor

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Lucy Macharia, of Lowell, a direct support professional at Bridgewell, recently received honorable mention for the Direct Support Professional award by the Association of Developmental Disabilities Providers.

The award is given to those in service who respect the dignity, independence, culture and rights of the families and individuals they serve with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

Since 1999, Macharia has worked as a direct caregiver for a group home that provides services for adults with developmental disabilities.