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What is your name and position at Thompson?

Martha Reneau, MS – Program Supervisor, Family Education Department. My journey with Thompson began as the Child and Family Services Coordinator in our Early Childhood program. I was given the opportunity to provide educational programming for families, connect them to community resources, and coordinate inclusion services. After four years of successfully nurturing relationships, which resulted in increased enrollment, the opportunity to join the Family Education team in 2018 presented itself. Then, in 2019, I was promoted to the Family Education Team Lead. Currently, my journey continues as I have recently accepted the role of Program Supervisor for the Family Education team.

What 'super power' do you bring to this role?

My super power is the ability to collaborate with individuals on all levels, having a positive perspective on life, seeing the glass "half full," and being adaptable in this ever changing field while keeping my focus on the mission at hand.

Favorite place you have traveled, or would like to visit?

My favorite place I have travelled is Ireland. It's beautiful, green landscape is absolutely breathtaking and tranquil. The countless castles, which makes up the country's rich history dating back to the 11th century, completed the ethereal experience.

Who/What inspires you?

I am inspired by many however, my deepest inspiration comes from the passion that exist within me to be an agent of change. To succeed while being challenged in all aspects of life, allowing opportunities for growth on a personal and professional level.

Favorite restaurant?

Thai House, PF Chang's, Maggiano's, Viva Chicken, Enzo (love some good sushi).

If you could sum up your employment with Thompson with a quote - what would it be?

"It is not the strongest or the most intelligent who will survive but those who can best adapt to Change" – Charles Darwin. Change is inevitable with the work we do and Thompson is a testament to the ever-changing way we adapt to successfully serve children and families. Those who are adaptable and able to view change as opportunities to grow, although sometimes uncomfortable, become valuable contributors to the mission of Thompson.



