MELISSA SCHOONMAKER

Nanny Agency Director · Childcare Expert



With more than 20 years in the industry, Melissa is an expert at guiding parents through the process of finding childcare and creating ideal in-home placements for families.

Melissa is the *agency director for A New England Nanny & More*, the Capital Region's premier household employment agency, providing nannies and other household help to families as well as back-up childcare services to area businesses and their employees.

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With a rigorous candidate screening process and personalized service for each family, Melissa has helped successfully place thousands of nannies, housekeepers, senior care providers, and other household employees.

Childcare is complex. Finding the right caregiver for your family. Exploring arrangements like nanny shares. Solving the challenges of back up care. Melissa approaches childcare from the perspectives of a former nanny as well as the leader of a placement agency who understands the ins and outs and latest trends of childcare.

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

- Finding childcare and hiring a nanny
 - Calculating the cost of childcare
- Employing a caregiver during the pandemic
 - Learning pods and nanny shares
 - Returning to work for new parents
- Backup and on-call care for working parents
 - Corporate back-up childcare services