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Stride, Inc. manufactures and distributes office products - BUT - Stride is not your average company! A small, woman-owned business, Stride's goal is to provide the consumer with exceptional office products alongside a mission to provide training and integrated employment for people with intellectual and developmental delays.

Marie has been a part of the Stride team since its inception. She has been employed at Stride for over three decades; along with the founder, Barbara Brennan and co-worker Peter. Marie's humble beginnings began in a small community on the Navajo reservation. With limited schooling, Marie began working at a telephone company and admits she did not know what it meant to have a job and had no idea what to do with her first paycheck.

Marie considers herself lucky to have found work at Stride because it feels like family. At Stride, we refer to her as "The Boss," because Marie knows every job in the packaging and assembly areas. A machine operator and quality assurance agent, Marie has a beautiful laugh and oftentimes, the rest of us smile with a twinge of envy at how much fun she has at work. Her favorite job is packaging the bright and colorful Slider XB and Memo ballpoints and she loves the way they write! Marie is grateful that our business is growing and we have been hiring new team workers for her to mentor.

At Stride, we are grateful for the contributions Marie has brought and continues to bring to our company.







