

# Edie Shepherd, NP

**Why a House Call Practice:**

Seeing a patient in their home provides a place that is comfortable and familiar for them as they receive the healthcare they deserve. This is House Call Doctors’ objective in providing for those in need of a reliable provider. Families and patients are present in the home environment which allows realistic and more accurate assessments that might be missed in a clinic setting. This allows me the ability to see the home environment including food, clothing, bathing, and living conditions.  House Call Doctors’ is a great place for me to practice because of their team approach with many caring and encouraging staff members who help patients with their needs. In hospitals I felt like I was trying to make the bean counters happy when patient care should have been the main ambition. House Call Doctors’ focus is the patient.

**Education and Experience:**

* US Army Medic:  1981-1984. Received Army Achievement Medal.
* Salt Lake Community College LPN/RN: 1984-1990
* University of Phoenix: BSN: 2001.
* University of Utah: Master’s Degree Science: Adult Nurse Practitioner 2009
* University of Utah: Sub-Specialty in Geriatric Medicine Certificate 2009

**Professional and Personal Interests:**

* Member of American Association of Nurse Practitioners.
* Member of Utah State Nurse Practitioners.
* Sigma Phi Omega member.
* I love boating, four wheeling, and camping with my kid and grandkids.
* I’m a patriot: there are American flags in my house and yard.

**Support Staff:**

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