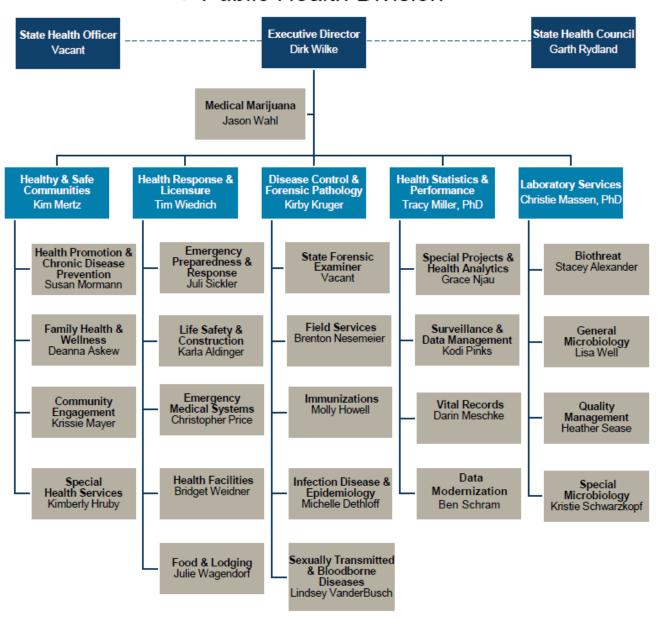


Health & Human Services

Public Health Division





Healthy & Safe Communities Section

Mission: The purpose of the Healthy & Safe Communities Section is to support individuals, families and communities by providing quality preventive programs and services that equitably protect and enhance the health and safety of all North Dakotans.

December 2024

Organizational Chart

- + NDIT Employee
- * Non-Permanent Positions
- ** Assistant Unit Directors



Kim Mertz, Section Director



Primary Care Office

Natalie Jung, Director Kenneth Steiner, Healthcare Workforce Manager Liza Root*, Workforce Coordinator



Lead Section Support Team Brittany Martinez, Executive Assistant Sara Upgren, Administrative Assistant



Jennifer Schmidt, Strengthening US Public Health Infrastructure, Workforce & Data Systems Grant Manager



COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT Krissie Guerard, Director

Assistant Director Alicia Belav**

Systems and Performance Program Director Jo Gourneau

> Special Populations Coordinator Jorden Laducer

Community Engagement Specialist Katarina Domitrovich

Quality Improvement and Accreditation Assistant Rhoda Adewunmi

Community Engagement Coordinators Hayden Kemp/Ruth Nwatu

Community Liaisons Luisa Hoyos/Agnes Mason/Nada Soliman*

> Tribal Health Liaisons Vacant/Hunter Parisien Cheyenne Smith/Luticia Mann

Administrative Support Sara Upgren



FAMILY HEALTH & WELLNESS Deanna Askew, Director

Breastfeeding/Childhood Obesity Prevention Mikaela Schlosser/Sarah Massey

> Child Passenger Safety/Vision Zero Dawn Mayer

Domestic Violence/Rape Crisis
Deanna Askew/Mallory Sattler/Faye Kihne

Injury Prevention Beth Oestreich

Reproductive Health/Family Planning Men's Health Cora Rabenberg**/Sarah Scott Angela Reinarts

Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants & Children (WIC) Amanda Varriano/Kristi Miller Kim Hinnenkamp/Carley Metzger

> Administrative Support Janet Lucas/Kayla Conklin



HEALTH PROMOTION & CHRONIC DISEASE PREVENTION Susan Mormann, Director

Community Clinical Coordination

Jesse Tran**

Colorectal Cancer Screening Initiative Jesse Tran**

Comprehensive Cancer Control Annette Clark/Mikaila McLaughlin

Diabetes Prevention & Control/ Preventive Health Block Grant Brianna Monahan

Heart Disease & Stroke Prevention Tiffany Knauf

Oral Health
Cheri Kiefer/Toni Hruby/Vanessa Bopp
Drew Goebel, DDS*
Mary Strube*/Paige Ward*/Vacant*

Tobacco Prevention & Control Neil Charvat/Kara Hickel/Kara Backer/Abby Erickson

Women's Way
Susan Mormann/Paulette DeLeonardo
Barbara Steiner/Amy Keller

Administrative Support Teri Arso/Kayla Conklin



SPECIAL HEALTH SERVICES Kimberly Hruby, Director

TITLE V Maternal and Child Health (MCH)
Director
Kimberly Hruby

Coordinated Services
Danielle Hoff**/Heather Kapella
Dorothy Schneider*

Financial Coverage Tina Feigitsch/Kristi Stamness

Newborn Screening & Follow-up Joyal Meyer/Amy Burke Kristi Stamness/Heather Kapella

Title V/Children with Special Health Care Needs System Enhancement Danielle Hoff**/Heather Kapella Amy Burke/Joyal Meyer

> Medical Director Joan Connell, MD

Administrative Support Kelsie Morris