

Disability Employment and Transitions Division: Who does What

as of February 2023

Chanda Hermanson: Chanda is the Administrator heading the Disability, Employment, and Transitions Division which includes Vocational Rehabilitation and Blind Services, Disability Determination Services, Montana Telecommunications Access Program, and Transportation. She works in the Central Office in Helena and supervises eight staff:

1. **Cindy Logan:** Cindy is the administrative support supervisor in the Central Office and supervises:
 - **Larie Proul,** the part-time administrative support in the Central Office.
2. **Anna Gibbs:** Anna is the Bureau Chief of Program Support & Operations for all programs in the Division. She works in the Billings and supervises:
 - **Sandy Lenahan:** Sandy is the contracts specialist dealing with all the contracts and procurement in the Division. She works in Great Falls.
 - **Shannon Mackey:** Shannon is the budget analyst for VRBS including Supported Employment, Older Blind, and Extended Employment budgets. She works in the Central Office.
 - **Hannah Gostnell:** Hannah is the budget analyst for Disability Determination Services, Montana Telecommunication Access Program, and Independent Living. She works in Missoula but travels to Helena frequently.
 - **Steve McCann:** Working in the Central Office, he is the business analyst and the data expert on the VRBS data system called Madison. He works closely with the VR federal agency and the VRBS staff.
 - **Lacey Conzelman:** Lacey is the Program Officer managing in several areas of VRBS: Extended Employment, Ticket to Work, Community Rehabilitation Programs, and State Plan. She works in Billings and supervises:
 - **(vacant):** (vacant) is the Independent Living program manager and the staff person for the Statewide Independent Living Council and manages contracts and oversight of the Centers for Independent Living.
 - **Desiree Dean-Kaldor:** Desiree is the transportation coordinator for DPHHS and works in Helena.
 - **Shawn Tulloch:** Shawn is the program manager of deaf services and works in Bozeman.

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3. **Sarah Seltzer:** Sarah is the Quality Assurance Services specialist working in Hamilton. She does hiring and training for incoming professional VRBS staff and completes VRBS program evaluation.

4. **Darrel Hannum:** Darrel is the Bureau Chief of Blind and Low Vision Services. Working in Havre, he is the liaison to the Section 121 Native American Projects and supervises all the BLVS offices as well as:
 - **Paul Suptic:** Paul manages the adaptive computer equipment for people who are blind. He works in the Central Office.
 - **Cheri Reed-Anderson:** Cheri is the Business Services specialist and works in Miles City.
5. **Tammy Hogan:** Tammy is the Bureau Chief of Pre-Employment Transition Services (Pre-ETS). She supervises all the Pre-ETS staff and works in Great Falls.
6. **Brook Hodge:** Brook is the Bureau Chief of Field Services. She supervises all the counselor supervisors in the nine VRBS field offices. She works in Missoula.

Montana Telecommunications Access Program

7. **Mary Taylor:** Mary is the director of the Montana Telecommunications Access Program (MTAP) in the Central Office. MTAP is responsible for Montana Relay program and assistive equipment distribution. She supervises all the MTAP staff.

Disability Determination Services

8. **Becky Corbett:** Becky is the Bureau Chief of Disability Determination Services (DDS) in Helena. She supervises all the DDS staff.