



Department of Children and Families
Office of Adolescent Services
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Team Directory

| Name | Title | Phone Number | Responsibilities |
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| Jessica Trombetta Jessica.Trombetta@dcf.state.nj.us | Executive Director | 609-888-7100 | Oversees the coordination of programs, services, and initiatives for the adolescent and young adult population across the Department in partnership with external stakeholders. Reports to Commissioner Blake. |
| Kelli Puryear Kelli.Puryear@dcf.state.nj.us | Assistant Director | 609-888-7100 | Assists with the coordination of programs, services, and initiatives for the adolescent and young adult population across the Department in partnership with external stakeholders. Reports to Jessica. |
| Niambi London Niambi.London@dcf.state.nj.us | Executive Assistant | 609-888-7072 | Provides administrative and programmatic support to the Director. Supervises Rachel. Reports to Jessica. |
| Edwin Figueroa Edwin.Figueroa@dcf.state.nj.us | Administrative Assistant | 609-888-7068 | Provides administrative support to the Office of Adolescent Services. Reports to Jessica. |



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| Michele Safrin Michele.Safrin@dcf.state.nj.us | Office of Educational Support & Programs, Administrator | 609-888-7375 | Supervises Naisha, Marjorie, Mien and Charles. Reports to Jessica. |
| Charles Crudup Charles.Crudup@dcf.state.nj.us | Education Stability Field Coordinator | 609-888-7757 | Provides technical assistance regarding education related issues including education stability and early intervention laws and practices. Reports to Michele. |
| Naisha Andrews Naisha.Andrews@dcf.stste.nj.us | LGBTQI and YAB Coordinator | 609-888-7655 | Liaison to Safe Space Liaisons and oversees LGBTQI programming. Program lead for the Youth Advisory Boards (YABs) and Speaker's Bureau. Reports to Michele. |
| Marjorie Blicharz Marjorie.Blicharz@dcf.state.nj.us | Education Specialist | 609-888-7680 | Provides information and referrals for post-secondary school/training supports. This includes NJFCS and the DCF Scholarship. Program lead for Summer Housing Internship Program and Project Myself. Reports to Michele. |
| Mien Mombo Mien.Mombo@dcf.state.nj.us | Youth Employment Specialist | 609-888-7077 | Oversees workforce and employment initiatives. Reports to Michele. |
| Luther Owens Luther.Owens@dcf.state.nj.us | Homeless Youth and Special Initiatives Coordinator | 609-888-7076 | Oversees all the Homeless Youth Act funded contracts, Human Trafficking Initiatives, and assists with the ACYF Planning Grant. Reports to Jessica. |



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| Denise Massey Denise.Massey@dcf.state.nj.us | Connecting YOUTH Planning Grant Coordinator | 609-888-7615 | Coordinates YARH (Connecting YOUTH) Project. Reports to Jessica. |
| Betsy Montalvo Betsy.Montalvo@dcf.state.nj.us | Supervisor | 609-888-7074 | Supervises Janet, Robin, Latarsha and Kara. Reports to Kelli. |
| Janet Murray Janet.Murray@dcf.state.nj.us | Housing & Aging Out Specialist | 609-888-7075 | Program lead for housing, life skills, and aftercare programs. HUB Per-Diem payment lead. Reports to Betsy. |
| Robin Boulding Robin.Boulding@dcf.state.nj.us | JJC Liaison & Permanency Specialist | 609-888-7067 | Liaison to JJC for Special Case Review youth and oversees mentoring, and permanency. Reports to Betsy. |
| Kara Song Kara.Song@dcf.state.nj.us | OTARY Program and Adolescent Contract Program Lead | 609-888-7379 | Oversees housing, life skills and aftercare programs. Oversees the Outreach to At- risk Youth (OTARY) programs. Reports to Betsy. |
| Latarsha Burke Latarsha.Burke@dcf.state.nj.us | Expectant and Parenting Youth Specialist | 609-888-7347 | Liaison to the Child Health Unit, and oversees housing, life skills, after care, and services for teen/young parents. Reports to Betsy. |
| Anthony Jimenez Anthony.Jimenez@dcf.state.nj.us | Housing and Support Services Specialist | 609-888-7162 | Oversees housing, life skills, and after care programs/services. Reports to Kelli. |



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| Shannon Lain Shannon.Lain@dcf.state.nj.us | Independent Living Coordinator | 609-888-7071 | Supervises and oversees wraparound, training, technical assistance, website, resources, and is the State Independent Living Coordinator. Reports to Kelli. |
| Rachel Barth Rachel.Barth@dcf.state.nj.us | Quickcents Program Coordinator | 609-888-7756 | Manages the stored value Independent Living Stipend card and financial literacy mobile app. Reports to Niambi. |