



Jill Kesler | Program Manager

Jill Kesler joined CHAD in August 2013. She is an experienced business professional, having served as an international recruiter, manager, and small business owner in various industries. Jill has volunteered as a court appointed special advocate (CASA) for abused and neglected children, sat on the Board of Directors for Ten Thousand Villages, and currently volunteers at HorsePower, providing equine therapy to individuals with physical, emotional, and/or cognitive challenges.

Jill's role at CHAD is to plan, implement, facilitate, and supervise special program activities and support the Outreach and Enrollment Network team in coordination and collaboration with Navigators and Community/State/Federal partner organizations.

Jill has been instrumental in the state initiatives and websites for Get Covered North Dakota and Get Covered South Dakota - A New State of Health. This initiative serves as a central hub of information and resources, connecting consumers with coverage and care.

In addition, she manages the Dakotas AIDS Education and Training Center (DAETC) program which educates health care professionals within the states on the detection, care, and management of people living with HIV (PLWH). DAETC focuses on the mentoring and capacity building of providers and others serving PLWH in rural and remote areas, facilitate the routine screening, testing, and linkage to care of at risk populations.

Jill graduated with a bachelor's degree in business administration from Southwest Minnesota State University and lives with her husband in Sioux Falls, South Dakota.