



Peer Support for Probation Agents



MACPO recognizes probation work is stressful and places employees with high-risk individuals and in high-risk situations. This stress, caused by both critical incidents and the profession in of itself, has the potential to jeopardize work performance, safety, health, and relationships. As a response, MACPO has posted this state-wide list of probation agents. This list is intended for individual probation agents and administrators to utilize at their own discretion.

The individuals identified herein are willing to meet with probation agents from their own department, as well as other counties, who are experiencing stress caused by critical incidents or cumulative job stress for the purposes of providing peer support. They have all been trained in peer support and agree to keep peer support conversations confidential, except for the following:

- 1) **Situations in which there is an indication the employee presents a clear and present danger to himself/herself or others.**
- 2) **Situations in which it appears there is a law violation**

During the conversation, if a Probation Agent describes either of the above-listed circumstances, the certified Peer Support professional will advise that confidentiality cannot be maintained.

Please note that MACPO does not oversee any of these individuals nor do we supervise a Peer Support Program of any kind. We are simply providing this resource list of willing volunteers. If you are seeking the assistance of a Peer Support member, then please contact one of the individuals listed below.

If you are looking for a Peer Support member based on work experience and/or years of service, then please reach out to Neal Huemoeller (Neal.Huemoeller@co.wright.mn.us) with Wright County to discuss further.

<u>Agency:</u>	<u>Name:</u>	<u>Title:</u>	<u>Years of Experience (approximate.):</u>	<u>Current Caseload:</u>	<u>Phone #:</u>	<u>Email Address:</u>
6W Community Corrections	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Aitkin County Community Corrections	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Anoka County Community Corrections	Sue Weyer	Supervisor	N/A	Management	(763) 324-4948	Sue.Weyer@co.anoka.mn.us
	Kelley Marshall	Probation Officer	28	Sex Offender	(763) 324-4818	Kelley.Marshall@co.anoka.mn.us
Arrowhead Regional Corrections	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Blue Earth County Community Corrections	Arica Burke	Probation Officer II	N/A	N/A	(507) 304-4760	Arica.Burke@blueearthcountymn.gov
	Jackie Neve	Probation Officer II	18 Years	Adult Female	(507) 304-4729	Jackie.Neve@blueearthcountymn.gov
Brown County Probation	Evonn Westcott	Director	34	Management	(507) 233-6622	Evonn.Westcott@co.brown.mn.us
	Jill Hady	Career Agent	N/A	N/A	(507) 233-6623	Jill.Hady@co.brown.mn.us
Carver County Court Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Cass County Probation	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Chisago County Probation	Jessica Mott	Career Agent	Nine Years	Adult ISP	(651) 213-8353	Jessica.Mott@chisagocountymn.gov

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Crow Wing County Community Corrections	Anna Furth	Agent	Four Years	Juvenile	(218) 824-1145	Anna.Furth@crowwing.us
Dakota County Community Corrections	Jarred Lienke	Agent	Five Years	Juvenile	(651) 438-8191	Jarred.Lienke@co.dakota.mn.us
	Rachel Bauer	Agent	17 Years	ReEntry Assistance Program	(651) 438-4987	Rachel.Bauer@co.dakota.mn.us
DFO Community Corrections	Michelle Rudnik	Agent	N/A	N/A	(507) 328-7261	Michele.Rudnik@olmstedcounty.gov
DOC Field Services	Carter Diers	Supervisor	27 Years	Management	(612) 390-2779	Carter.Diers@state.mn.us
	Erik Ness	Peer Support Navigator	16 Years	N/A	(651) 485-0797	Erik.Ness@state.mn.us
Freeborn County Probation	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Goodhue County Court Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Hennepin County Community Corrections	Rob Schroedl	EBP Trainer	N/A	EBP Trainer/Peer Support	(612) 596-0061	Robert.Schroedl@hennepin.us
	Neal Margolies	Supervisor	21 Years	Management	(612) 348-5307	Neal.Margolies@hennepin.us
	Shannon Alexander	Career Agent	23 Years	Investigations	(612) 348-3709	Shannon.Alexander@hennepin.us
	Nanci Zenner	Career Agent	30 Years	Juvenile	(612) 387-0020	Nanci.Zenner@hennepin.us
	Michelle Meyer	Career Agent	30 – 35 Years	Sex Offender	(612) 348-5333	Michelle.Meyer@hennepin.us
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Isanti County Probation	Debbie Lawrence	Supervisor	27 Years	Management	(763) 689-8328	Debbie.Lawrence@co.isanti.mn.us
	Racheal Scheid	Agent	6 Years	Traditional Adult	(763) 689-8322	Racheal.Scheid@co.isanti.mn.us
	Elisabeth Payne	Career Agent	12 Years	Juvenile	(763) 689-8379	Elisabeth.Payne@co.isanti.mn.us
Itasca County Court Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Jackson County Court Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Kanabec County Court Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Kandiyohi County Community Corrections	Tami Jo Lieberg	Director	30 Years	Management	(320) 231-6222	Tamijo.Lieberg@kcmn.us
Meeker County Probation	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Morrison County Community Corrections	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
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Mower County Correctional Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Nicollet County Community Corrections	Deanna Ruffing	Career Agent	24 Years	Group Supervision	(507) 386-4503	Deanna.Ruffing@co.nicollet.mn.us
Otter Tail County Court Services	Joannie Gontarek	Career Agent	20 Years	Traditional Adult	(218) 457-0487	jtgontar@co.ottertail.mn.us
Pine County Probation	Michelle Sellner	Senior Agent	6 Years	ISP/High Risk Agent	(320) 591-0539	Michelle.Sellner@co.pine.mn.us
	Amber Chase	Career Agent	12 Years	ISP/High Risk Agent	(320) 591-0887	Amber.Chase@co.pine.mn.us
Pope County Court Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Ramsey County Community Corrections	Debra Briggs	Probation Officer III	N/A	N/A	(651) 266-7607	Debra.Briggs@co.ramsey.mn.us
	Tay Xiong	Probation Officer III	20 Years	Supervised Release	(612) 360-1056	Tay.Xiong@co.ramsey.mn.us
Rice County Community Corrections	Rochelle Marquardt	Agent	18 Years	Treatment Court & Traditional Adult	(507) 332-5937	rmarquardt@co.rice.mn.us
Rock Nobles Community Corrections	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
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Scott County Community Corrections	Jennifer Olson	Agent	N/A	N/A	(952) 496-8816	jolson@co.scott.mn.us
	Melanie Herrera	Agent	12	Adult Traditional	(952) 496-8847	mherrera@co.scott.mn.us
Stearns County	Sarah Byers	Senior Agent	9 Years	Pretrial	(320) 309-5190	Sarah.Byers@co.stearns.mn.us
	Nicole Gosling	Career Agent	20 Years	DWI ISP	(320) 309-7864	Nicole.Gosling@co.stearns.mn.us

Community Corrections	Jesse Plantenberg	Career Agent	N/A	N/A	(320) 309-6176	Jesse.Plantenberg@co.stearns.mn.us
	Theresa Leifeld-Lieser	Career Agent	27 Years	Adult Intake	(320) 656-6519	Theresa.Leifeld-Lieser@co.stearns.mn.us
	Terri Yurczyk	Career Agent	N/A	N/A	(320) 309-7843	Terri.Yurczyk@co.stearns.mn.us
	Derek Borgman	Career Agent	18 Years	Adult – Low	(320) 656-6175	Derek.Borgman@co.stearns.mn.us
	Roberta Frahm	Career Agent	16 Years	Enhanced Supervision	(320) 980-6712	Roberta.Frahm@co.stearns.mn.us
	Enoch Owens	Supervisor	N/A	Management	(320) 656-3647	Enoch.Owens@co.stearns.mn.us
Steele County Community Corrections	Samantha Ahrens	Probation Officer III	16 Years	Domestic Violence	(507) 444-7723	Samantha.Ahrens@co.steele.mn.us
	Jennifer Tonjum	Probation Officer II	N/A	N/A	(507) 444-7724	Jennifer.Tonjum@co.steele.mn.us
Todd-Wadena Community Corrections	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Tri-County Community Corrections	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
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Wabasha County Court Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Waseca County Court Services	Merlin Kath	Career Agent	N/A	N/A	(507) 835-0555	Merlin.Kath@co.waseca.mn.us

Washington County Community Corrections	Tami Schmitz	Probation Agent III	28	Adult Caseload	(651) 430-6945	Tami.Schmitz@co.washington.mn.us
	Brenda Martin	Supervisor	N/A	N/A	(651) 430-6903	Brenda.Martin@co.washington.mn.us
	Jennifer Rice	Probation Agent III	N/A	N/A	(651) 430-9240	Jennifer.Rice@co.washington.mn.us
	Scott Dawson	Probation Agent III	30 Years	Pretrial Caseload	(651) 430-4122	Scott.Dawson@co.washington.mn.us
	Nanette LaChapelle	Probation Agent III	15 Years	Traditional Adult Caseload	(651) 430-4105	Nanette.LaChapelle@co.washington.mn.us
Western Probation Services	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
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Wright County Court Services	Amy Hertzog	Master Agent	21 Years	Repeat DWI Offender Program	(763) 684-4510	Amy.Hertzog@co.wright.mn.us
	Neal Huemoeller	Career Agent	N/A	N/A	(763) 684-2340	Neal.Huemoeller@co.wright.mn.us
	Leah Fleming	Career Agent	N/A	N/A	(763) 682-7710	Leah.Fleming@co.wright.mn.us
	Darnell Brethorst	Career Agent	29 Years	Coaching/Development	(763) 682-7711	Darnell.brethorst@co.wright.mn.us
	Daniel Heikkinen	Senior Agent	7 Years	Pretrial Caseload	(763) 684-4511	Daniel.Heikkinen@co.wright.mn.us
	Taylor Burch	Agent	6 Years	Juvenile Caseload	(763) 682-7328	Taylor.Burch@co.wright.mn.us

	Tammi Solarz	Supervisor	22 Years	Management	(763) 684-4512	Tammi.Solarz@co.wright.mn.us
	Rachael Beckmann	Senior Agent	Seven Years	Pretrial Caseload	(763) 682-7309	Rachael.Beckman@co.wright.mn.us