

Agency Director
Alyssa Chatterjee

Programs/Deputy Director
Serena Stoudamire

Program Administration
Gwyn Bachtle
Gwyn.Bachtle@ode.oregon.gov

Community Systems
Carmen Ellis
Carmen.Ellis@ode.oregon.gov

Professional Learning
Jon Reeves
Jon.Reeves@ode.oregon.gov

Child Care Assistance*

Equity Strategy
Juliet Valdez
Juliet.Valdez@ode.oregon.gov

Coordinated Enrollment
Cassandra Ferder
Cassandra.L.Ferder@ode.oregon.gov

Policy & Research
David Mandell

Government Affairs
Christopher Brown
Christopher.Brown@ode.oregon.gov

Early Learning Council
Remy Watts
Remember.Watts@ode.oregon.gov

CCDF Administration
Jordan Pargeter
Jordan.Pargeter@ode.oregon.gov

Research
Vacant

Legal Affairs Manager
Crys O'Grady
Crystal.ogrady@ode.oregon.gov

Operations
Cooper Brown

Budgeting & Accounting
Linnea Wittekind
Linnea.Wittekind@ode.oregon.gov

Grants Management
Teresa Waite
Teresa.N.Waite@ode.oregon.gov

Direct Pay Unit*

Information Technology
Jared Choc
Jared.Choc@ode.oregon.gov

Procurement
Lori Nordlien
Lori.Nordlien@ode.oregon.gov

Chief of Staff
Dr. Nasreen Khan

Communications & Outreach
Marion Suitor Barnes
Marion.SuitorBarnes@ode.oregon.gov

Strategic Projects
Tara Bohren
Tara.Bohren@ode.oregon.gov

Quality Assurance
Angela Rodriguez
Angela.Rodriguez@ode.oregon.gov

Data & Analytics
Dr. Alicia Miao
Alicia.Miao@ode.oregon.gov

Organizational Development
Dawn Taylor
Dawn.Taylor@ode.oregon.gov

Tribal Affairs
Valeria Atanacio

Tribal Affairs Liaison
Vacant

Human Resources
Heather Thomas

HR Business Partner
Kristina Stevens
Kristina.Stevens@ode.oregon.gov

Lead Recruiter
Crystal Morris
Crystal.Morris@ode.oregon.gov

Office of Child Care
Alicia Gardiner

Director of Field Operations
Miriam Cecilia
Miriam.Cecilia@ode.oregon.gov

Tualatin
Kristina Christian
Kristina.Christian@ode.oregon.gov

Salem
Karey Hudspeth
Karey.Hudspeth@ode.oregon.gov

North Portland
Jennie Sowder
Jennie.Sowder@ode.oregon.gov

Redmond & La Grande
Linda Wimberly
Linda.Wimberly@ode.oregon.gov

Medford & Eugene
Crystal Persi
Crystal.Persi@ode.oregon.gov

East Portland
Cynthia Smith
Cynthia.Smith@ode.oregon.gov

Legal & Enforcement
Joshua Williams
Joshua.Williams@ode.oregon.gov

Compliance
Katrina Gannon-Peterson
katrina.gannon-peterson@ode.oregon.gov

Investigations
Mary McCord
Mary.McCord@ode.oregon.gov

Background Check
Hope Hicks
Hope.Hicks@ode.oregon.gov

Customer Service
Rochelle Erickson
Rochelle.Erickson@ode.oregon.gov

Enforcement
Vacant

Suspensions*

Department of Early Learning and Care Organizational Structure

Updated: May 2023

Additional questions related to open positions or the Department of Early Learning and Care (DELIC) Organizational structure should be directed to DELIC.info@ode.oregon.gov

*The Child Care Assistance, Direct Pay Unit, and the Suspensions team will transition to Department of Early Learning and Care from Oregon Department of Human Services on 7/1/2023