

Meet YCCAC New CFO



Bethany Benton

Bethany Benton officially stepped into the role of YCCAC's Chief Financial Officer at the start of 2026, following the retirement of Diane Laurendreau, who faithfully served as the Agency's CFO for nearly 40 years.

We invited Bethany to share a little about herself:

I'm a fairly new Mainer" having moved from Kentucky during the fall of 2020. I have three very adventurous dogs, Bentley, Beatrix, and Bandit or as I call them the "B" Team. We have logged many miles in the White Mountains, and I have climbed

some large peaks in Europe, South America, and Africa. As far as my hobbies, I love to read, traveling to new places to explore, and volunteering for local community organizations. Also, a very avid University of Kentucky fan and try to watch and follow the Wildcats in all sports."

With her passion for tackling challenges and commitment to serving the community, we are confident that YCCAC's finances are in excellent hands!

Best of luck in your new role, Bethany!

Angela Kelewae Receives the Above and Beyond Award for Q4



Angela Kelewae, Nutrition Counselor with our WIC Program received the Above and Beyond Award for Q4 of 2025! 🎉👏 The Award is given to a YCCAC team member who goes above and beyond their responsibilities in day-to-day work. Below is an excerpt of her nomination:

"We are proud to recognize Angela for her outstanding dedication and commitment to YCCAC's mission.

In a typical week, Angela serves one day at the front desk, three days as a Nutrition Counselor, and one day in her role as a Breastfeeding Peer Counselor. She also supports our monthly late clinics, helping ensure families have access to evening appointments.

Despite such diverse responsibilities, Angela's compassionate and thorough approach never wavers. She takes the time to answer families' questions, carefully documents her work, and ensures concerns are addressed — always reaching out to colleagues or connecting families with additional resources when needed. From supporting parents in the early days of breastfeeding to assisting with pumps and supplies throughout their journey, Angela consistently goes above and beyond!"

Congratulations, Angela — and thank you for the exceptional care you provide to our families every day! ✨

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