



## Dr. Jody Becker-Green Biography

Dr. Jody Becker-Green was appointed by Governor Jay Inslee as Acting Secretary for the Washington State Department of Corrections on January 17, 2017.

Previously, Becker-Green was appointed to the position of Deputy Secretary in October 2015, and has had direct oversight of administrative operations, human resources, fiscal services, research & data analytics, communications, family services, and performance management. Prior to her appointment as Deputy Secretary, she served the agency for two years as the Program Administrator for Performance, Partnerships, and Analytics, where she led efforts across the department that supported the use of data, research and analyses to inform practice, policy and budget decisions and to monitor performance and outcomes.

Throughout Becker-Green's career, she has served as a public administrator, researcher, social worker, and policy analyst. She is the recipient of the Governor's Award for Leadership in Management in 2015, and earned her Ph.D. from Portland State University in the field of social work and applied research.