Please Welcome Connie Barnes, Interim CNO



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Interim CNO

We would like to welcome Connie Barnes, Interim CNO at Cheyenne County Hospital to our facility and community!

She comes to us from Washington state and has been a nurse leader for over 30 years. She received her BSN from Idaho State University and her MSN from Seattle Pacific University in Nursing Leadership.

Connie has experience in Critical Access Hospitals where she has provided clinical practice consulting which includes mentoring nurse leaders, looking at processes to meet patient's

needs, and resolving

conflict in nursing departments. Her focus is always patient care!

She received her Lean certification at Virginia Mason Medical Center in Seattle, WA. Her early years she was a nurse educator/administrator at Wenatchee Valley College and curriculum consultant for the State Board of Community & Technical Colleges in Washington State.

In her free time, she loves history and quilting and spending time with her Silken Windhound, Murphy. She loves to travel and see new places and pave a way for new leaders. Please welcome Connie to our community.



Connie with her dog Murphy and the Grinch!