

### **Angie Francis, NY START Statewide Coordinator**

Ms. Angie Francis is the NY START Statewide Coordinator at the Office for People With Developmental Disabilities (OPWDD). She provides leadership and oversight for planning and implementation of the New York START crisis prevention and intervention model around the entire state. Ms. Francis has worked in the field of developmental disabilities for the past 18 years, providing direct support and service coordination to individuals with developmental disabilities. Prior to her current position, Ms. Francis was the Assistant Statewide Coordinator of Medicaid Service Coordination at OPWDD, and a certified Special Education Teacher.

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### **Amy Cohen Anneling, Ph.D., NY START Region 3, Clinical Director**

Dr. Amy Anneling is the Clinical Director for the NY START program in OPWDD's Region 3. Amy has been a psychologist for over 24 years, working with children and adults who have mental health problems and developmental disabilities in a wide array of community and state-operated settings in the New York City, Westchester, and Albany areas. Amy has directed several mental health programs for adults and children, and has worked in clinical service delivery for most of her career.

Amy has been working on the START project at OPWDD for over four years, serving in the first statewide coordinator role. Amy has been the Clinical Director of the NY START Region 3 program since its inception over two years ago, and is responsible for all aspects of clinical services and operations.

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### **Tim Nemeyer, M.S., C.A.G.S., NY START Region 3, Team Leader**

Mr. Nemeyer is the Team Leader for the NY START program in the Capital District hub of OPWDD's Region 3. He has been the Team Leader for the Capital District hub since March, 2015, and was previously the Team Leader for the Taconic hub of the Region 3 NY START program from June, 2014 through March, 2015. Mr. Nemeyer has been employed by OPWDD since 2005, and was a psychologist for Taconic DDSO for nine years, covering all state-operated residences in Columbia and Greene counties. Prior to that position, Mr. Nemeyer was a school psychologist for several years with a non-profit residential and educational program in Schenectady, New York serving youth with academic and social-emotional difficulties.