

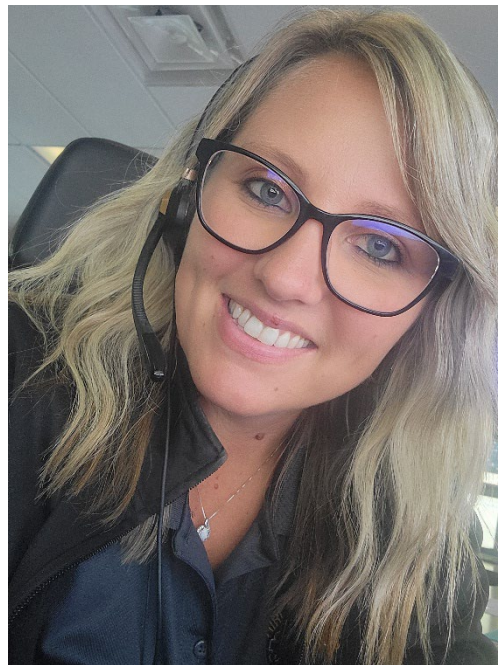
## Career Spotlight

Meet Lyndsey Woodrum, second shift Lead Dispatcher at the Fairfield County Sheriff's Office.

Lyndsey is the calm voice guiding people through some of the most stressful moments of their lives. It is her responsibility to answer non-emergency and 9-1-1 calls, dispatch deputies, fire, and emergency medical services (EMS), and provide potentially lifesaving instructions through Emergency Medical Dispatching.

In her role, Lyndsey enjoys being the one to assist those in need when they need it most.

“The most fulfilling part of my job is knowing I helped someone and made a difference in their life,” she said.



For those interested in following a similar career path, Lyndsey offers this thoughtful advice: “This job isn’t for everyone. You need a strong heart and mind to handle other people’s worst days. Start by shadowing a dispatcher for a day to understand how the center operates. You also need to be able to multitask and actively listen – not just to the caller, but to everything happening around you.”

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