

Staff Changes at Division and DSOHF

i2i recently learned of the following staff changes at the Division of State Operated Healthcare Facilities (DSOHF) and the Division MH/DD/SAS.

DSOHF

Luckey Welsh, Cherry Hospital CEO, will be retiring on December 31, 2018. Effective July 1, 2018, he will transition from CEO to a new role as Senior Advisor, and will assist DSOHF with several key initiatives – two of which are the move into the new Broughton Hospital and Project Oak.

Dale Armstrong, Deputy Secretary who oversees DSOHF and a former psychiatric hospital administrator, will serve as Interim CEO at Cherry Hospital as of July 1, 2018.

Helen Wolstenholme, the COO at DSOHF, will serve as the Interim Division Director. Helen previously served as the director of the state ADATCs in addition to also working in community mental health.

Division of MH/DD/SAS

Dr. Jason Vogler will be transitioning from Senior Director of the Division of MH/DD/SAS to a new role within DHHS. He will continue to contribute in a new role at the Murdoch Developmental Center.

Kody Kinsley, the Deputy Director and COO for Division of MH/DD/SAS, will begin serving as Interim Director for Division of MH/DD/SAS.

Carrie Brown, MD, will be joining the Division as its Medical Director as of July 1, 2018. She currently serves as Psychiatrist, Team Physician, and Associate Professor at the UNC Center for Excellence in Community Mental Health. Dr. Brown is a board-licensed psychiatrist and previously worked at Central Regional Hospital.