

Real Faces. Real Voices. Real Women in Healthcare.



Deanna Loecker

Purchasing Department Supervisor

Q: Why are you passionate about your job?

A: It is rewarding for me to find ways to use the clinic's dollars in the most efficient way possible. For every dollar I save while purchasing medications and supplies, it is a dollar that can be put toward improving the services for our patients.

Q: What changes have you seen since you started?

A: In the six short years since I started at the Yankton Medical Clinic, I have seen a lot of changes. Some of them have been physical, some have been in our scope of services offered, but mostly the changes have been technological. We have installed digital x-ray and mammography systems, applied new pharmacy and lab software programs, and implemented a clinic-wide electronic medical record system. It is reassuring for patients to know that we are constantly changing with the times to offer the most advanced care possible.

Q: Why do you love working for Yankton Medical Clinic?

A: My father who doesn't live in the Yankton area has had some health problems recently. His local clinic relies on out-of-town specialists and the nearby hospital and as a result it took nearly three months for him to receive a diagnosis. It really made me realize what a wonderful facility we have here at the Yankton Medical Clinic! Having so many physicians and so much diagnostic equipment in one place really helps our patients begin treatment so much faster.



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