

DENA MURASKI Area Director AgeRight Clinical Services



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Dena's interest in a senior care career started while she was still in college, working as a caregiver and nutrition assistant at an assisted living facility in Wisconsin, where she grew up. That inspiring experience led her to seek an academic program that would allow her to use her heart for caring and her head for business—and a health care administration degree offered the perfect balance.

After graduating from the University of Wisconsin—Eau Claire, Dena served as administrator of a continuing care campus serving residents across the full continuum, then led another when she moved to Portland, Ore. Now as Area Director for AgeRight Clinical Services, she leads a team of clinicians who provide care in skilled nursing, assisting living and memory care facilities state-wide.

In addition to managing quality metrics, productivity and billing, Dena and her team collaborate with facility leadership to provide excellent care within the innovative AgeRight model. "I love how this position gives me the opportunity to positively impact the lives of patients, residents and coworkers alike," she says.

Outside of work, Dena enjoys spending time in nature hiking, backpacking, snowboarding and other pursuits. She also volunteers twice a week at We Belong PDX, and actively supports the Vital Life Foundation.