

## Department of Veterans Affairs Senior Executive Biography

## Staci Williams, PharmD, RPh Executive Director VA Illiana Health Care System

Staci Williams, PharmD, RPh, is the Executive Director of the Veterans Affairs Illiana Health Care System, which includes a 398-bed hospital, a 223-bed Community Living Center, and community-based outpatient clinics in Bloomington, Decatur, Mattoon, Peoria, and Springfield, Illinois. The health care system serves Veterans living in more than 30 counties in Illinois and Indiana. She is responsible for an operating budget of more than \$337,800,000 (FY21) and a workforce of 1,500 personnel. Dr. Williams has served as the Acting Executive Director of the Zablocki VA Medical Center (December 2022 - April 2023) and the Jesse Brown VA Medical Center (September 2024 - present).



Dr. Williams has also been actively involved in various community organizations. She is a member of the Horicon American Legion Auxiliary, the Pharmacy Society of Wisconsin, and is a past President of the Mayville Area Chamber of Commerce, and past secretary of the Horicon Community Development Authority. In addition, Dr. Williams was the Wisconsin Young Pharmacist of the Year in 2002 for her contributions to professional pharmacy organizations and demonstrated dedication to the contemporary practice of pharmacy. She is also the 2015 winner of the Cardinal Health Generation RX Champions Award for her commitment to the mission of substance abuse education.

Dr. Williams earned a Bachelor of Science in Pharmacy degree and a Doctorate in Pharmacy degree from the University of Wisconsin-Madison. She is a member of the American College of Healthcare Executives.

## **CAREER CHRONOLOGY:**

| 2021 – Present | Executive Director, VA Illiana Health Care System, Danville, IL       |
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| 2017 – 2021    | Associate Medical Center Director, Tomah VA Medical Center, Tomah, WI |
| 2015 – 2017    | Outpatient Pharmacy Supervisor, Tomah VA Medical Center, Tomah, WI    |
| 1994 – 2015    | Managing Pharmacist, Marshland Pharmacies, Horicon, WI                |

## **EDUCATION:**

| 1997 | Doctor of Pharmacy (PharmD), University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, WI                 |
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| 1994 | Bachelor of Science in Pharmaceutical Sciences, University of Wisconsin-Madison, Madison, |
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