



# HUMAN SERVICES EXPO AND SPEAKER SERIES



## SPEAKER SERIES LINEUP



**Dr. Beth McMahon** is an emerita professor within Lock Haven University's Department of Health Science. She earned a bachelor's degree in health and physical education; master's degree in clinical exercise physiology, cardio-pulmonary rehab and primary prevention from East Stroudsburg University; and a doctorate degree in health education from Penn State University.



**Nicholas Slotterback** is a health and physical education advisor at the Pennsylvania Department of Education. He graduated from Lock Haven University from the Health and Physical Education Program. Nicholas earned his master's degree in Curriculum and Instruction from Lock Haven University.



**Dr. Christina Steinbacher-Reed** is the Executive Director of BLaST Intermediate Unit 17, where she leads a team of approximately 325 professionals providing educational services across Bradford, Lycoming, Sullivan and Tioga counties. She completed her academic studies at Drexel University, Temple University and Lebanon Valley College.



**Jeremy Steppe** is a health and physical education teacher at Williamsport Area High School, where he oversees the K-12 health and physical education curriculum. He also serves as the advisor and coordinator for WAHS S.A.D.D. (Students Against Destructive Decisions) club, Lycoming County Youth Development Task Force, and WAHS Student Assistance Program.



**Dr. Jennifer L. Thorp** is an associate professor at Commonwealth University of Pennsylvania: Lock Haven. Dr. Thorp completed her undergraduate degree at Lock Haven University in health and physical education, master's in exercise and health promotion from California University, and doctorate in curriculum and instruction from Indiana University of Pennsylvania.



**Nicole Klees**, a licensed social worker, currently serves as the director of mental and behavioral health for BLaST Intermediate Unit 17. A graduate of Marywood University with a master's degree in social work, she has dedicated her career to the mental health field, including 10 years focused on children's mental and behavioral health.

**Plus,** Williamsport Police will provide a brief update on the mental health co-responder initiative, and three students will offer their moving testimony on their experiences with mental health and addiction.