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BIO

Darienn Housler has been with Merakey since 2012; and part of the Dual Diagnosis Treatment Team since 2014. She began her work with Dual Diagnosis as a Recovery Coordinator, moving to Behavioral Specialist, and she is currently the Program Director for Somerset and Bedford Counties in Pennsylvania. As a continued member of the Dual Diagnosis Treatment Team, Darienn has extensive experience working directly with individuals with MH/IDD as well as supporting other team members through their involvement in crisis situations in a variety of counties throughout the state of Pennsylvania. Through this experience, Darienn has learned how to prepare as well as adapt and utilize safety considerations necessary in maintaining safety for all parties requiring crisis intervention.

Darienn holds a Master Degree in Special Education with an emphasis on autism, as well as a Bachelor Degree in Community Programs for Americans with Disabilities with a minor in Adapted Physical Activity. She acquired her Behavioral Specialist Licensure in 2018 and the Specialist Certification with National Accreditation of Dual Diagnosis in 2020.

