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Deanna Towne is with the Governor's Office of Information Technology (OIT) and is the IT Director supporting Colorado's Department of Health Care Policy and Financing and the Department of Human Services.

Ms. Towne has a diverse background with extensive experience in project and portfolio management. Her current role is responsible for working across the health portfolio to ensure the effective use of technology and to promote information exchange and sharing across agencies. She also serves on the Behavioral Health Transformation Council, the OIT Architecture Review Board, and is the Chair of the OIT Emergency Response Council.

Ms. Towne formerly served as the Budget Director within the Department of Revenue and the Deputy Director of the Governor's Office of Homeland Security.

Deanna holds a Master's in Business Administration, Bachelor's Degrees in Economics and Politics, and is a graduate of the Naval Post Graduate Executive Leaders Program. She is also Lean Six Sigma Yellow Belt Certified, holds an ITIL Foundations Certificate, and is an EMC Cloud Architect Expert (EMCCAe). She is currently finishing a Certificate in Public Management at the University of Colorado.