

**Dawn Borwegen**  
**Registered Environmental Health Specialist/Consumer Protection Supervisor**  
**State of Wyoming Dept of Agriculture Consumer Health Services Division**  
**Riverton, Wyoming**

**Biography:** Dawn Borwegen is a Consumer Protection Supervisor with the Wyoming Department of Agriculture. She has been with the state of Wyoming for 17 years. Dawn obtained her B.S. degree in Animal Science from Colorado State University prior to working for the State for Wyoming. She enjoys riding and showing horses, and working with animals in her spare time.



**Chelle Schwope**  
**Senior Inspection Specialist**  
**Wyoming Department of Agriculture/Consumer Health Services**  
**Cowley, Wyoming**

**Biography:** Chelle Schwope has worked for the Wyoming Department of Agriculture – Consumer Health Services since 2004 as an inspection specialist. In this position, she is the local inspector for Powell, Clark and part of North Big Horn County. Chelle earned an Associates of Applied Science degree in Horse Management from Laramie County Community College in 1992 and her Bachelor of Science degree in Animal and Veterinary Sciences from the University of Wyoming in 2001. While at the University of Wyoming, Chelle focused on Meat Science and Food Technology. Chelle has earned several certifications while working for WDA-CHS including: Registered Environmental Health Specialist/Registered Sanitarian – National Environmental Health Association, Certified Pool Operator – Presented by the National Swimming Pool Foundation, Certified Pool and Spa Inspector - Presented by the National Swimming Pool Foundation, Wyoming Children’s Action Alliance - Statewide Training and Resource System registered sanitation instructor, National Restaurant Association – Educational Foundation ServSafe certified instructor and proctor, WDA/CHS Milk Sampling Officer and an FDA U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Commissioned Officer for Wyoming. In her spare time, Chelle likes to ride and show horses and enjoys being a 4-H leader for the dog and horse projects in Big Horn County.



**Erica East**  
**Inspection Specialist**  
**Wyoming Department of Agriculture/Consumer Health Services Division**  
**Riverton, Wyoming**

Erica East was born and raised in Rock Springs, WY. She attended the University of Wyoming and obtained her Bachelor of Science in Rangeland Ecology in 2005. She works for the Wyoming Department of Agriculture-Consumer Health Services Division as an Inspection Specialist, primarily serving in Lincoln and Uinta Counties. Erica conducts inspections in retail establishments, public schools, pools, daycares and childcare centers, meat processing plants and manufactured food facilities. She loves her job and working with the people in her communities. Erica enjoys teaching Servsafe courses to educate people on foodborne illness and food safety. She is married and has 2 children and 3 dogs. In the winter time, Erica primarily spends her free time reading and



coaching youth sports. In the summer, she is outdoors as much as possible and enjoys running, fishing, gardening, and backpacking. Erica loves living in Wyoming and raising her family here!

**Vicky Snyder**

Inspection Specialist

Wyoming Department of Agriculture/Consumer Health Services

Cody, Wyoming

**Biography:** Vicky Snider grew up on a 250 cow dairy farm in West Central Wisconsin. While growing up on the farm, Vicky's parents allowed her the opportunity to learn many aspects of the daily operations of the dairy farm. She attended University of Wisconsin – River Falls graduating with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Dairy and Equine Science. Life experience and education allowed her to successfully own and operate a sawmill business and a horse business. After moving to Wyoming in 2008 for no other reason than to just move west, she worked on a cattle and horse ranch and then at Roger's Meat Processing in Powell. In 2011 she became employed by WDA-CHS. Vicky's first assignment area was in Lusk, Crook and Niobrara counties before she transferred to Park County. Vicky enjoys riding and training horses, sawing lumber, and traveling the country with her husband.



**Workshop:** *Do you have the GUTS for what it takes to be Health Inspector??*

Young ladies will have the opportunity to visually observe and touch actual viscera from processed animals. Students will learn the following objectives during the presentation:

1. Different diseases that affect food safety and animal health
2. Proper attire and personal hygiene for animal handling and food safety
3. Inspection process on the slaughter floor