

Social Work Practice Professional
Amy Schrimsher, MSW

Amy Schrimsher attended the University of Oklahoma where she earned her Bachelor of Arts in Social Work (BSW) in 2003 and Master of Social Work (MSW) in 2005. After graduation she was able to join the Infectious Disease Institute at the University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center case managing individuals living with HIV and AIDS. This May, Amy celebrated 11 years as an IDI employee.

As a case manager at the IDI, Amy gets to work with all the providers (doctors, therapists, pharmacists, other case managers, and psychiatrists) in a multi-disciplinary setting or as they like to call it a “one stop shop.” She enjoys being able to work with those newly diagnosed in the hospital, helping them transition into the clinic, educate them about HIV and allow them to have less to worry about so they can focus on getting well. Amy also has a passion for helping HIV positive, incarcerated individuals transition successfully back into the community.

In November 2012, the University of Oklahoma Staff Senate recognized her as Employee of the Month.