

## **Jennifer Stambaugh**

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Jennifer is the Victim Advocate for the Children's Advocacy Center (CAC) at Child Advocacy. She was born and raised in Alma, Michigan. She received her bachelor's degree in psychology and a master's degree in administration both from Central Michigan University. As the Victim Advocate, Jennifer works closely with victims and caregivers who visit the CAC assuring identified needs are being met. Jennifer meets with families upon their initial visit to the CAC, provides information about the CAC processes, and helps to connect families with resources and referrals. Jennifer continues to provide ongoing support and advocacy to families after their visit to the CAC. Jennifer has worked in the human services field for more than 20 years. She had been a Child Advocacy Board Member for more than 5 years before joining the staff in April 2018. Jennifer is a current member of the local Child Abuse Neglect Prevention Committee and the Gratiot County Substance Abuse and Suicide Coalition.