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Her responsibilities at the Department of Education include involvement in administration of USDA Team Nutrition Grants to schools, administration of the Department of Education's Keystone Color Me Healthy contract, administration of a contract to develop a new interdisciplinary Nutrition Curriculum for grades K-12, implementation of nutrition education programs (such as the USDA Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program) for schools and related community programs, reviewing Local Wellness Policies, reviewing Healthier US School Challenge applications, providing presentations and training for individuals and groups on various nutrition topics, and an assortment of other nutrition-related activities.

Cheryl is a member of the American Dietetic Association, Central PA Dietetics Association, PA Action For Healthy Kids, and PA Nutrition Education Network. She has earned a Bachelors degree in Dietetics from Messiah College, a Masters degree in Nutrition from the University of Maryland, and is a Registered Dietitian.