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Prior to joining the Coalition, she spent over 27 years working for the State of Illinois in juvenile justice, youth services and child welfare. She developed and implemented policies and programs at the state and local level regarding the treatment of children and youth, administered and monitored federal grants, staffed three statewide task forces and advocated for child and youth legislation in both Springfield and Washington, D.C. She also developed and delivered training for law enforcement, court, child welfare and youth services professionals. She currently serves as a member of the Redeploy Illinois Oversight Board, the Advisory Committee for the Children's Rights Division of Human Rights Watch and of HRW's Chicago Committee, where she chairs the Advocacy Committee.

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