



ANNE MCCAFFREY, PRESIDENT AND CEO, PEOPLE INC

Anne McCaffrey joined People Inc. as President and CEO in April 2023. An experienced leader in health care and public service, Anne successfully guided the integration of Autism Services Inc. with People Inc. during her first year with the organization, and in 2024 worked with stakeholders to develop a bold, new strategic plan for the agency that is focused on service quality, operational excellence and innovation.

Prior to joining People Inc., Anne was the President and CEO of Eastern Niagara Hospital, where she facilitated a successful restructuring and transaction with Catholic Health to keep essential health-care services in the region.

Anne served as the Mayor of the City of Lockport from 2014 to 2018. During these years, she led the City's Sesquicentennial celebration, championed in the restoration of the Flight of Five locks, and celebrated the bicentennial of the construction of the Erie Canal in 2017. Previously, she served as a Lockport school board member, a common council member and Council President. She also worked for 19 years in various positions at Lake Shore Behavioral Health, now BestSelf, where she oversaw Vocational Services, Rehabilitation Services, Development and Community Relations.

Anne serves as a Commissioner on the New York State Legislative Ethics Commission. She also serves on the Nazareth University Board of Trustees and is a member of the Boards of Directors of the Buffalo Niagara Partnership, the New York State Industries for the Disabled, and the Niagara County Industrial Development Agency.

Anne was named a 2024 C-Level Executive Award Winner by Buffalo Business First, as well as the publication's Power 250 and Power 100 Women lists. She was also named the 2024 "Woman of Distinction" by the Amherst Chamber of Commerce.

Anne earned a bachelor's degree in political science from Nazareth University and a master's degree in public policy analysis with a health care concentration from the University of Rochester.

