

## Annie Ramniceanu Special Assistant to the Commissioner Vermont Department of Corrections Burlington, VT

Director Annie Ramniceanu began her career in the criminal justice system in 2000 as a clinical supervisor with Spectrum Family and Youth Services, an organization dedicated to helping young people turn their lives around. She worked in the Mental Health and Addiction Counseling Program for three years before transitioning to the role of Clinical Director. Her responsibilities included managing the internal operations for clinical programs, testifying before legislative bodies, and

delivering public lectures. In 2011, she became the Associate Executive Director and her role expanded to include the day-to-day operations management of all programs. In 2014, she was appointed Director of Pretrial Services for the State of Vermont by Governor Peter Shumlin.

In 2016, Ramniceanu took up her current position as Special Assistant to the Commissioner for the Vermont Department of Corrections. She is certified in alcohol and drug counseling through the International Credentialing and Reciprocity Consortium, where she also served a year as Vice President. She is the recipient of the Medal of Honor Award from the Queen City Police Foundation and the Outstanding Professional Award from KidSafe Collaborative. She holds a BA in psychology from Amherst College, a BA in sociology from Columbia University, and a MA in counseling from the University of Vermont.

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