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## Winnebago Mental Health Institute Leadership Transition

This memo is to inform you that effective January 7, 2018, Thomas Speech, Ph.D., will no longer serve as the director of Winnebago Mental Health Institute (WMHI). Dr. Speech, a psychologist, has decided to return to clinical work and will take the position of WMHI psychology supervisor. The Division of Care and Treatment Services (DCTS) thanks Dr. Speech for his eight years of service as WMHI director.

DCTS is committed to the continued successful operation of WMHI. Byran Bartow will serve as acting director of WMHI until a new director is hired. Bartow is currently the director of the Wisconsin Resource Center, which is a secure treatment center operated by the Department of Health Services. Bartow will work closely with the WMHI management team to ensure a smooth transition to a new director.

The recruitment for a new director of WMHI will begin in the coming weeks. Information about the position will be posted on [wisc.jobs](http://wisc.jobs).

Please share this information with any interested parties.

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