

Angela Wilson with her husband, Jason. The couple live in Huntington, along with a house full of spoiled fur-babies!

Angela was selected as the representative for the WV Department of Labor due to her vast knowledge of labor laws, as well as the fact that she is hard of hearing herself. Angela grew up in a hearing household and attended public school in Greenbrier County. As a child, she learned some ASL but later adapted her lipreading skills, along with her ability to read body language to communicate when unable to auditorily decipher conversation. Angela is deaf on her left side and hard of hearing on her right. She utilizes a hearing aid to assist with listening.

Angela graduated from Marshall University, where she earned her Bachelor's in Geology in 2004, and her Master's in Safety Management in 2006. She has been employed by the DOL since June of 2006. Angela is honored to serve on the Board, as she recognizes the amount she has learned and is fascinated by the variation of personal experiences of members of the D/HH community. She sees this variation as an opportunity in which we can all learn from each other.