## Danielle Sanders, CEO





Danielle Sanders embarked on her academic journey at the University of Idaho in 2004, delving into the field of School and Community Health Education. Her passion for emergency medicine led her to don the roles of a firefighter and EMT, where she once played a pivotal role in delivering a baby at a stoplight. However, Danielle's desire for a new direction led her to Americorp in 2009, where she dedicated herself to community service by working with Idaho Healthcare for Children and Families, notably focusing on Head Start Programs.

Her academic pursuits continued at Boise State, where she earned a Bachelor's degree in Sociology. Post-graduation, Danielle transitioned seamlessly into the university's administrative realm, taking on the role of Business Coordinator. Notably, she initiated the "Minors on Campus Program" and assumed the role of its coordinator before deciding to further her education.

This determined journey led her to a Master's degree in Business Administration from Boise State, marked by a standout moment at the Hult International School for Business competition in Melbourne, Australia. Danielle presented a sustainability initiative, earning recognition as the regional winner. Departing from Boise State, Danielle contributed her skills to the State of Idaho as a Health Specialist and Business Analyst, specializing in drug overdose and suicide prevention. Acquiring a profound understanding of community issues, she identified the root cause of many problems – the lack of housing options. In October 2020, Danielle assumed the role of CEO at the Good Samaritan Home, channeling her energy towards addressing housing insecurity on a larger scale.

Her dedication didn't go unnoticed, and in 2023, the Idaho Business Review honored Danielle as one of the Top 50 Women in Business for Idaho, acknowledging her impactful work. Beyond her professional pursuits, Danielle finds solace in her adventurous side, enjoying activities such as motorcycle riding, rafting, hiking, and snowboarding with her children. An avid music enthusiast, she attends as many concerts as possible, embodying a well-rounded individual committed to making a positive impact on her community.