



## **Kathleen Westerhaus:**

Kathleen Westerhaus joins Meyer Consulting with a unique project management, strategic planning, and facilitation skill set. Her passion for the field of healthcare, and in particular mental health, spurs Kathleen to help find community-driven solutions that create lasting change. She is inquisitive, futuristic, and strategic. Kathleen served as the Sr. Vice President of Development and Marketing, and later Chief Operating Officer, at Comunidades Latinas Unidas En Servicio (CLUES), an organization that provides mental health services to the Latino community. She serves on the NAMI Minnesota Board of Directors. Kathleen holds an MA in Spanish Literature and Linguistics from Middlebury College in Vermont and an MBA from the University of St. Thomas in Minnesota. Kathleen desires to be a leader in the field of mental health, on the forefront of new treatment discoveries, a proponent of parity, and an inspiration to others working towards similar goals.

### **Project Management / Account Management**

- Genesis10 and United Health Group
- Comunidades Latinas Unidas En Servicio (CLUES)
- Stratis Health

### **Strategic Planning / Leadership**

- Comunidades Latinas Unidas En Servicio (CLUES)
- Stratis Health
- NAMI Minnesota

### **Facilitation / Education**

- St. John's University
- University of Minnesota
- College of St. Scholastica

### **Community Involvement / Interests**

- Minnesota Alliance for Patient Safety, Consumer Representative
- NAMI Minnesota Board of Directors, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice Chairperson
- Mixed Blood Theatre Board of Directors (formerly)
- Cognitive Science Research at the University of Minnesota

### **Education / Certificates**

- BA in English and Spanish from the College of St. Benedict and St. John's University, Minnesota
- MA in Spanish Literature and Linguistics from Middlebury College, Vermont
- MBA in International Marketing from the University of St. Thomas, Minnesota
- Certificate in Philanthropy from the University of St. Thomas, Minnesota
- Certificate in Professional Project Management (CPPM), University of St. Thomas, Minnesota