About Me

# Kate Roesler

My name is Katelynn Roesler although most everybody calls me Kate. I grew up in Mobridge, SD and graduated from Mobridge-Pollock High School in 2009. My dad’s name is Ron and he’s been a mechanic at Beadle Sales in Mobridge for as long as I can remember. My mom’s name is Maria who lives in Aberdeen and works at Aspire. Everybody says I look exactly like her ☺. I have two brothers, Kasey (25) and Jaden (18) and two dogs Bentley Jo and Kota Lee.

My career in EMS started in 2008 when I took the EMT course in Mobridge as a junior in high school. I completed the 4-month course in February 2008. I started volunteering at Mobridge Regional Hospital Ambulance in September 2008 after I turned 18. After the first few calls I went on I knew in my heart I wanted EMS to turn into a full-time career.

After graduation, I attended the Mountain Plains Consortium Paramedic Program in Sturgis South Dakota. However due to family issues I was unable to complete the requirements of the program. I then contemplated whether I was cut out for a life-long career in EMS. After a serious life talk with my Grandpa Quenton I started school again at Avera McKennan School of EMS Paramedic Program in February 2011. I successfully completed the program in February 2012.

I started my paramedic career working in my hometown at Mobridge Regional Hospital / Ambulance in 2012. In October 2016, I went full time working at Standing Rock Ambulance based out of Fort Yates, ND and McLaughlin, SD. I continue to take call in Mobridge whenever they need me. Because how can you really leave a job that shaped you into everything you are?

Throughout my short time in EMS I have always wanted to be more involved and “do more” in the SD EMS Association. I started by becoming the District VII Co-Training Officer along with Donovan Glerup in 2012. In 2015, I became the District VII President and in that time, have thoroughly enjoyed getting to know the EMS providers in our district. I hope to continue to work on strengthening our district for years to come.