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Barbara Sabol is a program director for the Food, Health and Well-being and Policy teams at the W.K. Kellogg Foundation in Battle Creek, Michigan.

Barbara develops and reviews programming priorities and recommends proposals for funding. She also assists the vice president in implementing goals and strategies that support the Foundation's vision and mission.

Before joining the Foundation, Barbara was president and CEO of NorthStar Group in Washington D.C. She also was commissioner for New York City's Human Resources Administration serving more than one million New Yorkers, managing a budget of more than \$15 billion and over 15,000 employees. In that position, she was responsible for the programs and policies in welfare, Medicaid, child welfare, and services for homeless adults and families.

Barbara is a registered nurse with management skills in operation, budget, program, and policy development. She has held appointments in government as a policymaker, manager, and cabinet officer. She has served on the Board of Directors for the New York City Health and Hospital Corporation, the largest public hospital system in the nation. Barbara gained national recognition for going underground as a welfare recipient to experience the system she administered from the client's point of view.

She holds a master's degree in counseling and guidance and a bachelor's degree in psychology, both from the University of Missouri at Kansas City. She received her registered nurse certification from Kansas City General Hospital and Medical Center.

Established in 1930, the W.K. Kellogg Foundation supports children, families and communities as they strengthen and create conditions that propel vulnerable children to achieve success as individuals and as contributors to the larger community and society. Grants are concentrated in the United States, Latin America and the Caribbean, and the southern African countries of Botswana, Lesotho, Malawi, Mozambique, South Africa, Swaziland and Zimbabwe.