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Erica Wright, MS, GCG, is a certified genetic counselor at Inherited Metabolic Diseases Clinic at The Children's Hospital in Denver. She is originally from Long Island and has been residing in Colorado for almost 10 years.

Ms. Wright graduated from University of Delaware in 1999 with a bachelor's degree in Biological Sciences. She completed her master's degree in genetic counseling at the University of Colorado Health Sciences in 2003.

Ms. Wright initially became interested in newborn screening when she worked as the Expanded Newborn Screening Advocate for UCHSC where she coordinated the implementation of the Expanded Newborn Screening Program at hospitals and physicians' offices throughout Colorado, prior to state mandated tandem mass spectrometry (MS/MS). She is currently the Expanded Newborn Screening Follow-up coordinator for both Colorado and Wyoming. Ms. Wright is also the project coordinator on a Long-term follow-up newborn screening grant administered by the Mountain States Genetics Regional Genetics Collaborative Center. The goal of the project is to develop disease specific care plans and obtain long term outcomes measures on babies detected by MS/MS.