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NCHS Appoints Chief Philanthropy Officer

North County Health Services names Rich Talmo to Corporate Executive Team

San Marcos, Ca. June 10, 2019- North County Health Services (NCHS) is excited to announce the appointment of Rich Talmo, Chief Philanthropy Officer, as the newest member of the Chief Executive Team effective May 2019.

For more than 35 years, Talmo has been a force in California, leading philanthropic efforts for organizations across the state. Throughout his career, Talmo held numerous leadership roles with professional and service organizations, helping to implement and execute strategic fundraising, organizational management, and executive coaching. Prior to NCHS, Talmo served as the Executive Director of the Palomar College Foundation from 2007 through 2017, successfully increasing major gifts and the College's endowment.

Talmo will oversee the existing Fund Development Department at NCHS, as well as play a key role in developing a more extensive Planned Giving program and major giving campaign. Rich brings to NCHS a robust skill set, demonstrated leadership, and enthusiasm to lead fundraising efforts for NCHS, a non-profit 501(c)(3) corporation. In addition, Talmo will also set his sights on expanding and growing the Fund Development Committee, an advisory group tasked with growing fundraising efforts through increased connections with donors throughout the NCHS service areas.

“I am thrilled at the prospect of all that can be accomplished by Rich, building upon the excellent work that the NCHS Fund Development team has accomplished thus far. I feel strongly that a key ingredient, Rich, was needed in order to elevate our philanthropic efforts to the next level,” stated Barbara S. Kennedy, NCHS President & CEO.

NCHS is deeply committed to continuing to improve the health status of the diverse communities they serve, and looks forward to Rich Talmo's vast knowledge and extensive experience to take NCHS to new heights.

For more information, please visit www.nchs-health.org.

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About NCHS

NCHS is a private not-for-profit organization that serves over 67,000 patients annually at 12 community health centers in Carlsbad, Encinitas, Oceanside, San Marcos, Ramona, Perris, and through two mobile clinics. NCHS has provided affordable, comprehensive, and culturally sensitive health care to uninsured and underinsured communities in North County San Diego and Riverside County for nearly 50 years.



NCHS offers the following health care services to its patient's pediatrics, obstetrics, gynecology, dental care, pharmacy, and transportation services, as well as, community health outreach, prevention, and disease management programs. For more information visit: nchs-health.org