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Halley Cloud Joins Petaluma Health Care District as Community Health Program Manager

PETALUMA, Calif., March 13, 2019 – The [Petaluma Health Care District](#) (PHCD), a public agency that works to foster a healthier Southern Sonoma County through local access to health and wellness services, welcomes Halley Cloud as its community health program manager. A Petaluma native, Cloud's career has been dedicated to health policy and care access, joining PHCD after serving as health outreach manager for the Center on Budget and Policy Priorities in Washington D.C.

“It is both exciting and reassuring to have someone with Halley's experience and passion to serve as our community health program manager,” said Ramona Faith, PHCD CEO. “Stemming from her national experience and local roots and interests, she brings a rich understanding of health systems and policies and the cooperation that it takes to see progress with community health.”

At PHCD, Cloud manages community outreach and partner collaboration, coordinating and overseeing PHCD's [Community Health Initiative of the Petaluma Area](#) (CHIPA), which engages, integrates and aligns the efforts of the region's public and municipal agencies, nonprofits, businesses and community leaders in a collective effort to achieve health outcomes. She also manages the district's programs, grants and sponsorships programs benefiting the area's nonprofits, and she leads its grant application efforts to secure additional funding.

Cloud's concentrated health policy and program experience in her previous position extends to coordinating training and resources on the Affordable Care Act, as well as shaping legislative policies to improve health care experiences and access for underrepresented communities, especially immigrants and people with physical and mental conditions.

“Petaluma is my home and community health, particularly with a concentration on access and equity for all people, is my passion. I'm thrilled to be back and working locally to help identify and focus on Southern Sonoma County's greatest health needs and collaborating with amazing local partners directly and through PHCD's robust grant program,” said Cloud.

Cloud received her Bachelor of Arts in communications from the University of California, San Diego.

About Petaluma Health Care District

The Petaluma Health Care District (PHCD) is dedicated to improving the health and well-being of the Southern Sonoma County community through leadership, advocacy, support, partnerships and education. Its vision is to foster a healthier community, a thriving hospital and local access to comprehensive health and wellness services. PHCD has served the health and wellness needs of the community for more than 70 years and is a public agency managed by the community for the community. For more

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