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Public Health Officer Moves On

Susana Wilson, Interim Director of the Health and Human Service Agency (HHSA), announced that on December 1, Dr. Marvin Trotter submitted his resignation to the Mendocino County Board of Supervisors. He will continue to serve in his position of Public Health Officer through February 1st, working with the Community Health Services (CHS) staff on H1N1 planning and vaccination distribution.

Dr. Trotter commented on how much he had enjoyed his daily work with CHS staff. "I have great respect for the daily commitment to provide competent and professional services to the community. Everyone here does what they do because they are passionate about improving the lives of others."

Dr. Trotter reports he will be devoting more time to his work as a hospitalist and Emergency Department physician with Ukiah Valley Medical Center, though he looks forward to seeing former colleagues in the community.

"On behalf of all of us who have served with Dr. Trotter, I want to thank him for his compassion and dedication to the health of County residents," stated Interim Director Wilson. "I know we will miss Dr. Trotter's quick smile as well as his expertise." Health and Human Services Agency leadership will be discussing a replacement process with the Health & Human Services Agency Advisory board, the Board of Supervisors and other stakeholders after the holidays.

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