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Jeffrey Klein Appointed TO Nevada Commission on Aging

Jeffrey Klein FACHE, President & CEO of Nevada Senior Services, has been appointed to Nevada Commission on Aging by Governor Brian Sandoval.

The mission of the Governor's Commission on Aging is to facilitate and enhance the quality of life and services for all Nevada seniors through partnership with the Aging and Disability Services Division and other entities. The Commission's vision is to become a visible and informed organization, establish priority of needs for elder Nevadans, and advocate for programs and services to meet those needs through collaboration and education. Klein noted, "As a Commission member I will be an active voice working to advise the Commission on Aging on legislative matters and to protect the welfare of Nevada's seniors through effective public policy advocacy".

Klein also Chairs, the Commission's Subcommittee on Legislative Issues which is charged with interacting with legislators, supporting legislation, suggesting legislation, and informing Nevada's seniors of legislative initiatives. The Subcommittee has also taken on the task of organizing forums for the senior community to interact with their elected representatives, which has been accomplished in collaboration with service providers at health fairs and other Committee sponsored public events. Klein has been a member of member Legislative Subcommittee since 2009 and has been the Chair since 2012.

Mr. Klein currently serves on the Public Policy Committee and Policy Response Team of the American Society on Aging. He is a Past President of the Nevada Chapter of the American College of Healthcare Executives, a founding board member of the Nevada Lifespan Respite Coalition and an active member of a number of advisory boards and committees. An innovative health care executive, Mr. Klein was responsible for the development of the Center for Diagnostic and Rehabilitation Medicine at Daniel Freeman Medical Center, a 606 bed UCLA teaching affiliate. This facility was twice recognized as

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the "Outstanding Rehabilitation Facility in the Nation" by the National Association of Rehabilitation Facilities. In addition to executive positions in hospital and health care management, Mr. Klein was a principal in an international health care consulting firm supervising major projects at academic teaching hospitals and specialty facilities nationally.

Board certified in healthcare administration, Mr. Klein is a Fellow of the American College of Health Care Executives, a member of the ACHE CEO Circle and the recipient of Professional achievement awards from the National Association of Medical Directors and Coordinators and the Commission on the Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities. He holds an MBA from Temple University, Philadelphia.

Nevada Senior Services (including adult day health care centers, Alzheimer's disease specific programs, community-based services and clinical programs) is dedicated to improving the physical, spiritual and emotional health of individuals and families by providing a comprehensive range of health, education, and social services for those facing the challenges of chronic disease, disability and aging. Nevada Senior Services responds to the important mission of supporting seniors and disabled adults in their effort to remain independent with dignity in the community, maintaining quality of life and avoiding institutionalization. Klein stated, "Our organization has long recognized that success in maintaining our participants in the community over time is as much dependent on the support system we provide care partners as the programs we provide our participants." An innovative organization, Nevada Senior Services launched the Comprehensive Geriatric Assessment Center (2011), The Stanford University Chronic Disease Self-Management Program workshops (2012), Bright Pathways Early Memory Loss Program (2010), Connections Memory Loss Program (2011) and trailblazing programs in creative aging. Nevada Senior Services was honored to receive The 2016 Rosalynn Carter Leadership in Caregiving Award. Presented by Former First Lady Rosalynn Carter to Jeffrey Klein, President & CEO of Nevada Senior Services at a ceremony at the Rosalynn Carter Institute for Caregiving, it is the highest award given in the caregiving field.