

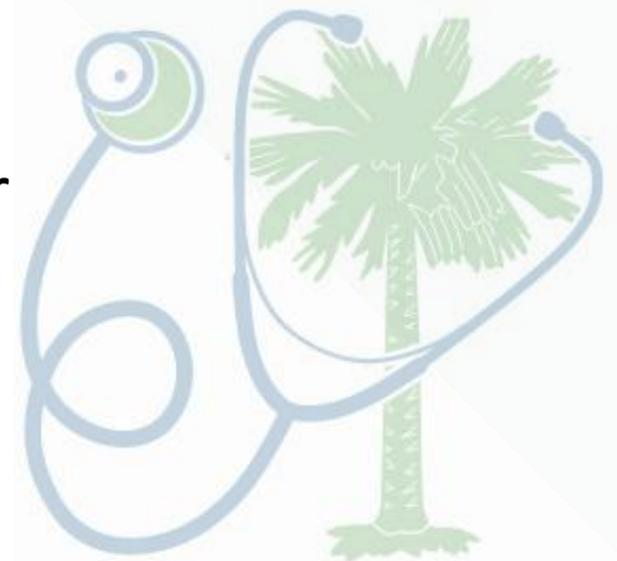


Acting CEO Report

Presented by:
Miriam Ferguson
October 27, 2025

External Update

- Arrangements have been made to attend the SCPHCA conference and take part in the board meeting next year.
- The government shutdown is anticipated to possibly continue into January of the next year.
- A review of the by-laws is scheduled for next year, with only minor changes expected.
- Ongoing monitoring of the shutdown's impacts, including FTCA and Medicare payments, will continue.
- Rachel is planned to give an update on the July Christmas tree sale next year.
- Grant writing efforts in collaboration with LKA have begun.
- Participation in the Aledade board meeting regarding the ACO, where we currently rank first among five health centers.
- Sue has been recognized at two conferences and is expected to receive further acknowledgments from various organizations in the coming year.



CHC News

- Special Ops team met for the first time.
- CHC legislative committee formed – first meeting held.
- Strategies around protecting our pharmacy customers and patients have begun.
- **Project Director for EHB is finally approved. Working on getting signed up as the Authorizing Official for several other things.**
- Introduction of Tim Anderson and Bonnie Lee
- Planning a board retreat next year regarding board development.
- Strategic Plan will need to be updated next year.
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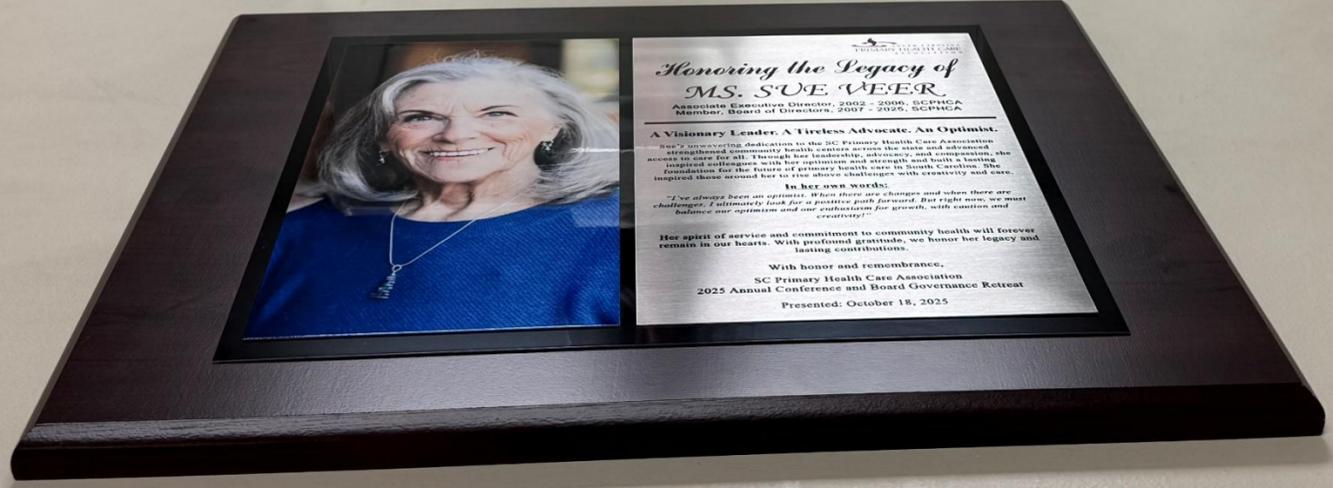


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Honoring the Legacy of
MS. S'UE VEER

Associate Executive Director, 2002 - 2006, SCPHCA
Member, Board of Directors, 2007 - 2025, SCPHCA

A Visionary Leader, A Tireless Advocate, An Optimist.

Ms. Veer's unwavering dedication to the SC Primary Health Care Association strengthened community health centers across the state and advanced access to care for all. Through her leadership, advocacy, and compassion, she inspired colleagues with her optimism and strength and built a lasting foundation for the future of primary health care in South Carolina. She inspired those around her to rise above challenges with creativity and care.

In her own words:

"I've always been an optimist. When there are changes and when there are challenges, I ultimately look for a positive path forward. But right now, we must balance our optimism and our ambition for growth, with caution and creativity!"

Her spirit of service and commitment to community health will forever remain in our hearts. With profound gratitude, we honor her legacy and lasting contributions.

With honor and remembrance,
SC Primary Health Care Association
2025 Annual Conference and Board Governance Retreat
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