

Resolution of Commendation

Recognizing Garden Grove CalOptima

Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE)

WHEREAS, CalOptima Program of All-Inclusive Care for the Elderly (PACE) is a community-based Medicare and Medi-Cal program that provides coordinated and integrated health care services for seniors to continue living independently in the community; and

WHEREAS, CalOptima PACE combines health care and adult day care for seniors with multiple chronic conditions, and provides them with acute, long-term, preventive, and primary care services. These services are offered in the community, in the comfort of one's home, or at a PACE Center; and

WHEREAS, When the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic challenged health care services for seniors, CalOptima PACE Center in Garden Grove professionally transitioned its services to deliver senior care virtually by using telehealth visits and by delivering medical supplies and equipment; and

WHEREAS, CalOptima PACE Center in Garden Grove continues to offer high quality of care by using interdisciplinary team (IDT) to help seniors retain their independence and safely stay at home during the COVID-19 pandemic; and

WHEREAS, CalOptima PACE Center in Garden Grove has worked tirelessly during the COVID-19 pandemic to provide seniors with routine medical care, including specialist care and personal care such as bathing, dressing, and light chores; virtual recreation and social activities; nutritious meals; social services; rides to health-related appointments; hospital care; and emergency services.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Garden Grove does hereby commend CalOptima PACE Center in Garden Grove for going above and beyond to care for seniors in our community during these unprecedented times.

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