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Interim Medicaid Director Named

TOPEKA – The Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE) announces that Christiane Swartz has been named the Interim Medicaid Director.

Swartz has served in a variety of management positions in the Medicaid arena for the State of Kansas over the past 20 years. Most recently, she has worked as the Director of Operations and Chief Operations Officer.

“Chris has a vast knowledge and understanding of the Medicaid program and is the perfect person to lead the program,” said Dr. Lee Norman, KDHE Secretary.

KDHE will launch a search for a permanent Medicaid Director. The previous director resigned June 5.