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Quad City Health Initiative Elects New Board Member

The Quad City Health Initiative (QCHI) is proud to announce the election of Mr. Jerry Lack as a new Board member.

Mr. Jerry Lack is presently serving as Executive Director of the Tri-City Building and Construction Trades Council which is an association consisting of the 17 union crafts that represent the skilled construction trades who are involved in all aspects of construction in Western Illinois and Eastern Iowa. Mr. Lack was previously employed as Executive Director of the Illowa Construction Labor and Management Council and as Economic Development Director for former Congressman Lane Evans. Mr. Lack is a graduate of Black Hawk College and received his Bachelor's degree from Western Illinois University and a Master's degree in Public Administration from Drake University.



"QCHI seeks to create a healthier community through collaboration and we are pleased to welcome Mr. Lack to the Board," says Dr. Mike Oberhaus, QCHI Board Chair.

The Quad City Health Initiative is a cross-sector community partnership working to create a healthy community. A 25-member community Board oversees the organization, which was established in 1999. The Initiative seeks to be our community's recognized leader for creating collaborative action on health and abides by the core values of commitment, collaboration and creativity. Major financial support of the Quad City Health Initiative is currently provided by the generous direct and in-kind investments of Genesis Health System and UnityPoint Health-Trinity. Additional financial support in calendar year 2017 was provided by: Davenport Eye Group, Deere & Company, Mississippi Valley Surgery Center, Modern Woodmen of America, Cardiovascular Medicine, P.C., Califf & Harper, P.C., Community Health Care, Inc., First Midwest Bank, ILLOWA Construction Labor & Management Council, Lee Enterprises, Inc., Microsoft, Molyneaux Insurance, Palmer College of Chiropractic, Quad Cities Chamber of Commerce, Quad City Bank and Trust Co., Rock Island County Health Department, Scott County Family Y, Scott County Health Department, Two Rivers YMCA, United Way of the Quad Cities Area, and WaterMark Corners. For more information, please call 563-421-2815 or visit our website at www.qchealthinitiative.org.

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