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The Honorable Phil Mendelson
Chairman
Council of the District of Columbia
John A. Wilson Building
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue NW, Suite 504
Washington, DC 20004

Dear Chairman Mendelson:

In accordance with section 2 of the Confirmation Act of 1978, effective March 3, 1979 (D.C. Law 2-142; D.C. Official Code § 1-523.01), and pursuant to section 204 of the District of Columbia Health Occupations Revision Act of 1985, effective March 25, 1986 (D.C. Law 6-99; D.C. Official Code § 3-1202.04), I am pleased to nominate the following person:

Ms. Layo George
1315 Tewkesbury Place NW
Washington, DC 20012
(Ward 4)


for reappointment as a registered nurse licensed and practicing in the District member of the Board of Nursing, for a term to end July 21, 2020.

Enclosed, you will find biographical information detailing the experience of the above-mentioned nominee, together with a proposed resolution to assist the Council during the confirmation process.

I would appreciate the Council's earliest consideration of this nomination for confirmation. Please do not hesitate to contact me, or Steven Walker, Director, Mayor's Office of Talent and Appointments, should the Council require additional information.

Sincerely,

Muriel Bowser


Chairman Phil Mendelson
at the request of the Mayor

A PROPOSED RESOLUTION

IN THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Chairman Phil Mendelson, at the request of the Mayor, introduced the following resolution,
which was referred to the Committee on _____.

To confirm the reappointment of Ms. Layo George to the Board of Nursing.

RESOLVED, BY THE COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, That this
resolution may be cited as the "Board of Nursing Layo George Confirmation Resolution of
2017".

Sec. 2. The Council of the District of Columbia confirms the reappointment of:

Ms. Layo George
1315 Tewkesbury Place NW
Washington, DC 20012
(Ward 4)

as a registered nurse licensed and practicing in the District member of the Board of Nursing,
pursuant to section 204 of the District of Columbia Health Occupations Revision Act of 1985,
effective March 25, 1986 (D.C. Law 6-99; D.C. Official Code § 3-1202.04), for a term to end
July 21, 2020.

Sec. 3. The Council of the District of Columbia shall transmit a copy of this resolution,
upon its adoption, to the nominee and to the Office of the Mayor.

Sec. 4. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

Layo George, BSN, RN, NCQA PCMH CCE

Education

Liberty University, *Bachelors in Nursing*, 2011, **Montgomery College**: *Associate in Nursing*: 2010.

Board and Commission:

Member of the District of Columbia Board of Nursing (Mayoral Appointment), July 2016 till present.

- Develop nursing practice standards in the District of Columbia.
- Accredite and approve nurse education programs in schools and universities.
- Enforce the Nurse Practice Act and Nurse Licensure.
- Advise the mayor on nursing practice

Experience

District of Columbia Primary Care Association (DCPCA), Quality Improvement Specialist and Project Manager, February 2016 till present.

- Serve a total of 15 health center members reaching 200,000 patients.
- Serve as content expert around Patient Centered Medical Home Implementation for member health centers.
- Coach and assist in developing case management and care coordination programs using best practices and protocol development.
- Project lead for DCPCA Care Management Learning Collaborative using breakthrough series, QI tools, data analysis to get practice ready for value based payment and Washington DC wide Health Homes 2 (My health GPS) care management initiative.
- Conduct quarterly QI Boot Camp for health centers staff on Plan Do Study Act (PDSA) and PCMH certification.
- Provide technical assistance to identify, create, document and facilitate workflow redesign and best practices using Microsoft office.
- Support the development of member performance feedback report synthesis, analysis, and dissemination to member health centers.
- Experience with electronic health records, patient registries, population health management tools and health information exchange in transforming clinical practice.
- Project lead on behavioral health integration and oral health integration initiatives using process mapping and workflow analysis using visio.

Mary's Center: Capital Clinical Integrated Network, CCIN (Government Innovative Grant), Manager and Nurse Care Coordinator, Term, June 2014 - December 2015 (End of grant).

- Lead outreach coordinator and manager for 7 Community Health Workers –coordinated care for over 5000 District of Columbia residents.
- Participated in program development and implementation for CCIN's Health information exchange and Telemedicine as part of the management team.
- Program strategic and tactical planning, implementation and evaluation including creation of project work plan and goals.
- Coordination of care and referrals to reduce cost and improve care within high cost Medicaid and Medicare participants in District of Columbia.
- Management of Transition of Care services from acute care to the community.
- Conduct new hire trainings and led weekly team meetings.

Medstar Harbor Hospital (Baltimore, MD), OB/Postpartum Nurse, April 2013-June 2014.

- Managed and assessed postpartum care of mother and baby using strong communication skills.
- Assessed and assisted with breastfeeding needs in an organized manner.
- Postpartum teaching, postpartum patient vaccination and discharge education.

District of Columbia Department of Health, Contract Nurse, August, 2010- April 2013.

- Site visits for program compliance.
- Training of new contract nurses at the VFC program.
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- Provide internal and external communication and training of providers across DC health centers about VFC and vaccine cold chain.

Layo George, BSN, RN, NCQA PCMH CCE

Publications

- Featured: DC Nurse December 2016, Volume 13 Number 2.

Licenses/Certifications

- National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA), Patient Centered Medical Home Content Expert (PCMHCE), 2015
- District of Columbia Board of Nursing, Registered Nurse, 2010



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Layo George



Ms. George is the Quality Improvement and Project Manager with District of Columbia Primary Care Association, and a current member of the Board of Nursing.

Ms. George has worked for several healthcare organizations, including those focused on acute care, community, and public health. In her current role, Ms. George is responsible for monitoring, implementing, and training healthcare providers on best practices and protocol implementation. She previously worked on a Center for Medicaid and Medicare Services innovative grant at Mary's Center: Capitol Clinical Integrated Network. In that capacity, she worked to improve the quality of healthcare for District of Columbia Residents who are on Medicaid, Medicare, underinsured, or uninsured. Ms.

George focuses on positive health outcomes, particularly among low-income communities, through advocacy, education, and quality improvement.

A Ward 4 resident, Ms. George received a Bachelor of Science in Nursing from Liberty University.



GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
Executive Office of Mayor Muriel Bowser



Office of the General Counsel to the Mayor

To: Lolita Alston, Steve Walker
From: Betsy Cavendish
Date: April 4, 2017
Subject: Legal sufficiency review of Resolution reappointing Layo George as a Member of the Board of Nursing

This is to Certify that this office has reviewed the above-referenced Resolution and found it to be legally unobjectionable. If you have any questions in this regard, please do not hesitate to call Karuna Seshasai, Deputy General Counsel, Executive Office of the Mayor, at 202-724-1303, or me at 202-724-7681.

Elizabeth Cavendish