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New Medical Center Director Named for Southern Nevada VA

LONG BEACH, CA — The Department of Veterans Affairs is pleased to announce the appointment of Isabel Duff, MS, as the new Director of the VA Southern Nevada Healthcare System. Duff will oversee delivery of health care to more than 45,000 Veterans and an operating budget of \$373 million.

“We are excited to bring Ms. Duff on board as the new director of VA Southern Nevada Healthcare System. Her sound leadership qualities and proven experience will be valuable assets for the facility, the employees and volunteers, and most importantly, for the Veterans we are honored to serve,” said Stan Johnson, MHA, FACHE, VA Desert Pacific Healthcare Network Director. “We anticipate she begin her appointment on September 22, 2013.”

Duff joined the VA more than 32 years ago; most recently she served as Director of the VA Long Beach Healthcare System. She received a Masters of Science degree in Administration and Cardiovascular Nursing and a Bachelors of Science degree in Nursing from the University of Arizona. Duff is a member of the American College of Health Care Executives and a VA Certified Mentor.

With more than 1,800 staff and facilities in Las Vegas, Henderson and Pahrump, the VA Southern Nevada Healthcare System is an acute care teaching hospital, providing a full range of patient care services, with state-of-the-art technology as well as education and research. Comprehensive health care is provided through primary care, secondary, and long-term care in areas of medicine, surgery, psychiatry, physical medicine and rehabilitation, oncology, dentistry, geriatrics, and extended care.

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