

Terri Stratton, MPH

Ms. Stratton recently retired as the Chief Executive Officer of the El Dorado Community Health Centers (EDCHC) in El Dorado County, California, where she served in this capacity since 2014. Ms. Stratton has a Master's Degree in Public Health with over 35 years of experience in health care and community public health. She guided the Center's transition and leadership through the pandemic, providing leadership in the delivery of COVID testing and vaccination, mitigation measures for the safety of staff and patients, and risk communication during the delivery of primary healthcare. This leadership included the Center's concurrent response to the Caldor Fire, severely impacting patients, staff and community. Ms. Stratton also oversaw the recent construction of a new comprehensive clinic site in Placerville, and the opening of other sites, expanding telemedicine services, securing grants and expanding clinical services. Growth under her leadership expanded EDCHC from 2 sites, 40 employees and a \$5.8 million dollar budget to 5 sites, 150 employees and a budget of \$20.5 million.

Prior to coming to EDCHC, Ms. Stratton held senior management positions with state (DHCS and CDPH) and local county government in a variety of areas. During this time she provided leadership for facilitating CA Smokefree Workplace (Governor's Executive Order and CA Smokefree Workplace laws); policy related to women's health and domestic violence prevention; the Affordable Care Act policy development and implementation, Covered CA marketing/outreach; and public health emergency planning and response to H1N1, anthrax and other biological threats, wildfires, and planning for future pandemics, such as the one we continuing to address. Ms. Stratton has served on numerous national boards, commissions/committees and is a graduate of the California State Executive Leadership Academy.