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**HEALTH PLAN OF SAN JOAQUIN ANNOUNCES NEW DIRECTOR  
OF FINANCIAL PLANNING & ANALYSIS**

(French Camp, CA) – Health Plan of San Joaquin (HPSJ) has announced that **Kay Andora** has joined HPSJ as the director of financial planning and analysis. She comes to HPSJ as a leader who has designed and implemented administrative cost savings and process improvements that make it possible for health care organizations to focus resources on quality care, remain viable and improve health and wellness outcomes for members and communities.

Andora has over 15 years of experience in financial and statistical analysis. Before joining Health Plan of San Joaquin she was lead financial analyst at Blue Shield of California, and she was a senior financial analyst at Kaiser Permanente (Roseville, California), as well as a financial analyst with Sutter Health (Sacramento, California).

“For the past nine years, I have focused on the health care financial landscape because I believe true access to quality care can only be measurably achieved when sustainable business operations are in place and provide a firm foundation to serve members,” said Andora, “I came to HPSJ to help continue their 20-year tradition of hands-on, high-touch health care for our diverse Central Valley, and I look forward to collaborating with dedicated HPSJ colleagues and longtime community partners,” she added.

“As Health Plan of San Joaquin continues to work persistently to maintain a good financial position backed with strong financial analytics, Kay’s tremendous strategic and tactical experiences, rooted in both health care and statistical worlds, will help us keep moving forward,” said HPSJ chief financial officer Michelle Tetreault.”

Andora received her Bachelor of Science degree in accounting from University of Phoenix (Phoenix, Arizona).

**About HPSJ**

HPSJ, a not-for-profit health plan, has been serving members and the community since 1996. Located in the heart of California’s multicultural Central Valley, HPSJ is the leading Medi-Cal Managed Care provider in San Joaquin and Stanislaus counties. HPSJ offers a broad network of providers and works closely with physicians to develop programs and services to ensure quality health care for over 346,000

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members. HPSJ currently has over 300 employees based in French Camp and Modesto, to best serve, respectively, the local HPSJ membership of San Joaquin and Stanislaus counties.

HPSJ is currently one of only 12 health plans in California with NCQA Accreditation for a managed care Medi-Cal program. Medicaid is known as Medi-Cal in California. Only 160 Medicaid/HMO plans in the U.S. had this NCQA seal at the time of HPSJ's 2015 Accreditation.



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**Photo:** Kay Andora, HPSJ director of financial planning & analysis (photo credit: HPSJ, February 2017)  
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