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Illinois Health and Hospital Association Elects New Board

Mary Starmann-Harrison, president and CEO, Hospital Sisters Health System, Leads 2019 Board

Naperville—The Illinois Health and Hospital Association (IHA) is pleased to announce its newly elected 2019 Board of Trustees. Board officers serve a one-year term beginning Jan. 1, 2019.

Chair:

Mary Starmann-Harrison, president and CEO, Hospital Sisters Health System, Springfield

Chair-Elect:

Phillip Kambic, president and CEO, Riverside Healthcare, Kankakee

Immediate Past Chair:

William Santulli, chief operating officer, Advocate Aurora Health

Treasurer:

Karen Teitelbaum, president and CEO, Sinai Health System, Chicago

Secretary:

Ted Rogalski, administrator, Genesis Medical Center, Aledo

President:

A.J. Wilhelmi, president and CEO, IHA

Trustees elected to serve a three-year term beginning Jan. 1, 2019 include:

- Steven Airhart, group CEO, Hartgrove Behavioral Health System and Garfield Park Behavioral Hospital, Chicago
- J.P. Gallagher, president and CEO, NorthShore University HealthSystem, Evanston
- James Leonard, M.D., president and CEO, The Carle Foundation, Urbana
- George Miller, president and CEO, Loretto Hospital, Chicago
- Kerry Swanson, regional president, SSM Health Illinois, Mt. Vernon and Centralia

The IHA Board of Trustees is the Association's policymaking body. The Board is made up of 28 trustees, elected by the voting members of the Association, five officers (chair, chair-elect, immediate past chair, treasurer, and secretary) and the Association's president and CEO. Constituency sections, councils and ad hoc task forces provide members with opportunities to participate in the Association's policy development process.

About IHA

The Illinois Health and Hospital Association, with offices in Chicago, Naperville, Springfield, and Washington, D.C., advocates for Illinois' more than 200 hospitals and nearly 50 health systems as they serve their patients and communities. IHA members provide a broad range of services—not just within their walls, but across the continuum of healthcare and in their communities. Reflecting the diversity of the state, IHA members consist of nonprofit, investor-owned and public hospitals in the following categories: community, safety net, rural, critical access, specialty, and teaching hospitals, including academic medical centers. For more information, see www.team-iha.org. Like IHA on Facebook. Follow IHA on Twitter.

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