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## Social Determinants of Health and Health Equities Virtual Speaker Program Featuring Dr. Anne Newland

February 18, 2022

Dear provider,

Blue Cross Blue Shield of Arizona in partnership with Health Choice Arizona is pleased to announce the start of a bi-monthly virtual speaker series addressing Social Determinants of Health (SDOH) and health equities.

Ninety percent of an individual's health is tied to social determinants including safe, quality housing, education, livable wage jobs, food/nutrition, transportation, physical environment, structural systemic inequality, and equitable justice systems – where you live, work and play.

**Dr. Anne Newland** will be our inaugural speaker. She will present her perspectives and offer suggestions for actions providers and health homes can take to advance SDOH and health equity.

Please join us!

Wednesday, February 23, 2022 11:00am – 12 noon Link to join Webinar Click here to join the meeting

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Anne Newland, MD, MPH is the Chief Executive Officer for North Country HealthCare, a federally- qualified community health center with clinics in 12 communities in northern Arizona. Prior to joining North Country in 2013, Dr. Newland worked for the Indian Health Service in Kayenta, AZ for eight years. She trained in Internal Medicine-Pediatrics at the University of Tennessee-Memphis, served as Chief Resident for Internal Medicine at UT, and later completed a Master in Public Health degree at Harvard School of Public Health as a Commonwealth Fund Fellow in Minority Health Policy. Her professional interests lie in reducing health disparities for rural and underserved communities as well as strengthening training pathways for underrepresented populations.

If you plan to attend, please RSVP to Eric.Marcus@azblue.com.

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