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Leadership Opportunity to Advance Healthcare Quality in Massachusetts

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Please note that preference is given to applications received within the first 14 days of posting, therefore, please consider applying by **July 27, 2016**.

MA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH BUREAU OF HEALTH CARE SAFETY AND QUALITY

Job Title: Director of the Office of Emergency Medical Services (OEMS)

The Bureau of Health Care Safety and Quality is seeking a strong leader and experienced administrator to lead a critical division within the Bureau as well as oversee the launching of a new program—Mobile Integrated Healthcare (MIH). This position will be part of the Bureau's leadership team. Reporting directly to the Bureau Director, this position works cooperatively with the team to engage in strategic planning and continuous quality improvement. This position will be charged with advancing the mission of the Bureau: To promote, preserve, and protect the health of everyone in the Commonwealth and to strive to achieve an optimal health care delivery system that ensures safe, effective, high-quality care for all.

Office of Emergency Medical Services Overview:

The Department of Public Health's (DPH) Office of Emergency Medical Services (OEMS) mission is to promote a statewide community-based emergency medical services (EMS) system that reduces premature death and disability from acute illness and injury through the coordination of local and regional EMS resources.

In practice, OEMS is responsible for oversight of 3 important service areas. First, the team oversees all planning, coordinating, regulating and evaluating for the pre-hospital emergency medical care system. Second, the team oversees the health care programs that utilize mobile resources to deliver care and services to patients in an out-of-hospital environment, which is conducted in coordination with health care facilities or other health care providers. Third, the

team is charged with overseeing and coordinating primary ambulance services which, in coordination with their local board of health and affiliate hospital director, provide community outreach and assistance to advance injury and illness prevention.

Skills essential for success include, but are not limited to the following:

1. Strong understanding of Massachusetts health care; experience with and knowledge of state and federal regulations related to long term care, hospitals, clinics, hospices, home health agencies, rehabilitation facilities and ambulatory surgical centers.
2. Ability to develop and implement effective stakeholder strategies and to promote a culture of transparency and inclusion.
3. Exceptional management, leadership, communication, strategic planning, visionary, and interpersonal skills.
4. Project management and program development experience.

Preferred Experience:

- A minimum of 10 years health care related experience, of which 5 years of management experience.
- Master's degree in public health or health care administration or other related degree.

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