



**THE QUEEN'S  
HEALTH SYSTEMS**

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**THE QUEEN'S MEDICAL CENTER NAMES  
KELLY JOHNSON SYSTEM CHIEF NURSING OFFICER**

HONOLULU – The Queen's Medical Center (Queen's) has named **Kelly Johnson, PhD, RN, NEA-BC** as Senior Vice President and System Chief Nursing Officer.

Johnson replaces Madeline "Mimi" Harris, who is retiring after 44 years of service to Queen's, the last four years as Chief Nursing Officer.

Johnson will work to develop and administer business and strategic plans to meet the goals and objectives of Queen's as it relates to the clinical practice of nursing. She will also develop the vision of Queen's nursing.

Johnson is a seasoned senior health care executive with over 27 years of experience as a Chief Nursing Officer and Vice President of Patient Care Services in top-ranked health care organizations.

She previously served as VP of Patient Care Services and Chief Nursing Officer at UCSF Benioff Children's Hospitals in San Francisco and Oakland, California. She also served as VP of Patient Care Services and Chief Nursing Officer at Stanford Children's Health Lucile Packard Children's Hospital.

Johnson has a Bachelor of Science in Nursing from the University of Northern Colorado, a Master of Science in Nursing – Family Nurse Practitioner (MSN-FNP) from the University of California San Francisco, and a PhD from the University of Colorado Health Sciences Center.

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The Queen's Health Systems (QHS) is a nonprofit corporation established in 1985 to provide expanded health care capabilities to the people of Hawaii and the Pacific Basin. It is Hawaii's preeminent family of health care-related companies, and has more than 7,000 employees and more than 1,500 affiliated physicians and providers in its statewide network. QHS consists of The Queen's Medical Center (Hawaii's oldest hospital founded in 1859), The Queen's Medical Center – West O'ahu, Molokai General Hospital, Queen's North Hawaii Community Hospital, The Queen's Health Care Centers, Queen Emma Land Company, Queen's Development Corporation, Queen's Insurance Exchange, Queen's Clinically Integrated Physician Network, and Queen's 'Akoakoa, and has ownership interests in CareResource Hawaii, Hamamatsu/Queen's PET Imaging Center, and Diagnostic Laboratory Services.