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DCHHS Receives National Reaccreditation from the Public Health Accreditation Board

Dallas, TX (Dec. 18, 2024) –Dallas County Health and Human Services (DCHHS) has been awarded national reaccreditation through the Public Health Accreditation Board (PHAB). This prestigious recognition highlights DCHHS’s continued commitment to meeting the highest standards for public health performance and ensuring the health and well-being of Dallas County residents.

PHAB, the nonprofit organization dedicated to advancing public health performance nationwide, awarded reaccreditation to DCHHS following a rigorous evaluation process. The reaccreditation demonstrates that DCHHS meets or exceeds national standards established to strengthen public health infrastructure and improve service delivery.

“We are proud to receive reaccreditation from PHAB, which underscores our unwavering dedication to excellence in public health,” said Dr. Philip Huang, Director of DCHHS. “This achievement reflects the hard work and commitment of our entire team, as we continue to improve services and promote the health of every individual in Dallas County.”

Reaccreditation ensures that public health departments like DCHHS continue to evolve and innovate to address the complex and changing needs of their communities. It also holds departments accountable for delivering measurable outcomes and engaging in continuous quality improvement.

DCHHS first achieved PHAB accreditation in 2016, and this reaccreditation demonstrates the department’s ongoing efforts to maintain high standards in the face of evolving public health challenges. PHAB’s national accreditation program is the only one of its kind and serves as the gold standard for public health departments across the United States.

About Dallas County Health and Human Services:

DCHHS is committed to protecting and promoting the health of all Dallas County residents through disease prevention, emergency preparedness, and health education programs. For more information about DCHHS and its programs, visit <https://www.dallascounty.org/departments/dchhs/>

About the Public Health Accreditation Board (PHAB):

PHAB is a nonprofit organization that works to advance and transform public health practice by championing performance improvement, strong infrastructure, and innovation. For more information, visit <https://phaboard.org>.

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