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<u>NEWS RELEASE - JOINT TOWNSHIP DISTRICT MEMORIAL HOSPITAL</u> <u>AND GRAND LAKE HEALTH SYSTEM WELCOME NEW DIRECTOR</u>

Cathy Heid, MBA, CMPA, has joined the senior management staff of Joint Township District Memorial and the Grand Lake Health System as Executive Director of Physician Practices.

She will be responsible for the physician practices of Grand Lake Health System which includes Celina Medical Center, Wapakoneta Medical Center, Grand Lake Neurology, Grand Lake ENT, Internal Medicine/Pediatrics and Grand Lake OB/GYN. Cathy will also be responsible for physician recruitment, contracting and serve as liaison between Grand Lake Health System's physician practices and Joint Township Hospital.

Cathy has over 15 years collaborative experience in both hospital departments/ practices and physician-owned medical practices. She also has extensive experience speaking all over the nation on various healthcare subjects.

"I am very excited to be part of such a dynamic, growing organization and look forward to being an active member of the community," says Cathy.

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