

1 [Commendation]

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3 **Resolution commending the hard work and dedication of Herminia Palacio, M.D. and**  
4 **honoring Dr. Palacio for the contributions she has made to the citizens of the City and**  
5 **County of San Francisco.**

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7 WHEREAS, Herminia Palacio, M.D. has served the city of San Francisco with  
8 distinction for over 14 years; and

9 WHEREAS, Dr. Palacio's tenure with the City has successfully spanned the reign of  
10 four Mayor's and four Health Directors; and,

11 WHEREAS, Dr. Palacio always did her job with great tenacity, precision and volume;  
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13 WHEREAS, Dr. Palacio completed her primary care residence at San Francisco  
14 General Hospital, going on to work as a primary care physician in District Health Center #2;  
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16 WHEREAS, Dr. Palacio has spent the last 3 years working as a Special Assistant to  
17 the Director of the Department of Public Health; and,

18 WHEREAS, As a member of the Department of Public Health's Director's Cabinet, Dr.  
19 Palacio successfully worked to create effective and compassionate public health policy; and,

20 WHEREAS, Dr. Palacio was responsible for the successful oversight, development and  
21 implementation of the City and County of San Francisco's Medical Marijuana Identification  
22 Program; and,

23 WHEREAS, Dr. Palacio successfully pursued a waiver allowing the City and County of  
24 San Francisco to provide methadone in an Office Based Opiate Treatment program; and

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SUPERVISOR GAVIN NEWSOM, *Levo*  
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WHEREAS, Dr. Palacio is leaving her position in the Department of Public Health to move to Texas with her family and work at the Veterans Affairs Medical Center; and,

WHEREAS, Dr. Palacio's insight, humor and disposition will be greatly missed; now, therefore be it,

RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco hereby commends the hard work and dedication of Herminia Palacio, M.D. and honors Dr. Palacio for the contributions she has made to the citizens of the City and County of San Francisco; and, be it,

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board hereby honors Dr. Herminia Palacio this 25<sup>th</sup> day of June 2001 as a permanent official member of the City and County of San Francisco.

SUPERVISOR GAVIN NEWSOM, *leno*  
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Resolution

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June 25, 2001 Board of Supervisors — ADOPTED

Ayes: 9 - Ammiano, Daly, Gonzalez, Hall, Leno, Maxwell, McGoldrick, Peskin, Sandoval

Absent: 2 - Newsom, Yee

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on June 25, 2001 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

FORWARDED TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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Gloria L. Young  
Clerk of the Board

Mayor Willie L. Brown Jr.

Date Approved