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Peoples Health Appoints Michael Skinner to IT Manager of Configuration

Metairie, La. – Peoples Health has announced the appointment of Michael Skinner as IT manager of configuration. Skinner oversees the development, analysis and implementation of configuration rules for internal systems that determine accurate benefits provisions for members and claims payments to providers. Skinner works closely with the Network Development, Compliance, Claims, Medical Management and Administration departments to implement systems changes in accordance with regulatory guidance, which applies to all network providers and members in the New Orleans and Baton Rouge markets.

Skinner brings more than 15 years of experience in software implementation, configuration and project management experience to his role at Peoples Health. Prior to joining the company, he worked in managerial positions for Hibernia National Bank and in application training positions for DynMcDermott Petroleum and THINQ Learning Solutions. He also served as project manager for Saba (formerly THINQ Learning Solutions) and RightNow Technologies, guiding the implementation and delivery of company programs and products. Most recently, Skinner served as IT project manager for BlueCross BlueShield of Louisiana, implementing technology solutions for enrollment interfaces, billing, payment, customer web portals and customer pharmaceutical transactions.

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Skinner earned a certification from the Project Management Institute, bachelor's degrees in political science and French from Louisiana State University and a Master of Business Administration from Loyola University New Orleans.

About Peoples Health

Established in 1994, Peoples Health is a Medicare Advantage organization serving Medicare beneficiaries in southeast Louisiana. The physician-owned company has over 600 employees who help administer and provide a unique approach to wellness, care coordination and support services for plan members. The company is a proud supporter of many social, cultural, athletic and health organizations and holds an accreditation by URAC. For more information about Peoples Health, visit www.peopleshealth.com.

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