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## HPSJ TO OFFER PROVIDERS A SPECIAL TRANSGENDER HEALTH TRAINING – TWO PRESENTATIONS WILL FEATURE TOP MEDICAL SPECIALISTS FREE FOR ATTENDEES – CMEs and CEUS FOR PARTICIPANTS

WHAT: To support healthcare providers as they care for the medical needs of transgender patients, Health Plan of San Joaquin (HPSJ) has assembled this exceptional training program with top specialists: Optimizing Transgender Health. In addition to invitations to HPSJ network providers in San Joaquin and Stanislaus counties, this offer to attend at no cost to participants is being extended to all interested medical personnel throughout the region.

1<sup>st</sup> - WHEN/WHERE: Saturday, September 10, 2016 (9:00am – 1:00pm)

HPSJ French Camp, registration & breakfast start at 8:00am

2<sup>nd</sup> - WHEN/WHERE: Saturday, September 17, 2016 (9:00am – 1:00pm)

Doubletree Modesto, registration & breakfast start at 8:00am

INVITED: HPSJ Providers and Special Invitees (Area MDs, PAs, FNPs, RNs)

**SPEAKERS:** Stanford School of Medicine

Catherine S. Forest, MD, MPH

Benjamin Laniakea, MD

University of California, San Francisco

Jennifer Hastings, MD

San Joaquin County Behavioral Health Services

Catherine M. Lee, LMFT

**COST:** There is no cost to participants attending for the entire program.

**JOURNALISTS:** These trainings are not for the general public. Reporters are invited to cover this event.

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