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[National Health Center Week - August 4 through August 8, 2025]

Resolution recognizing the week of August 4 through August 8, 2025, as National Health Center Week in the City and County of San Francisco.

WHEREAS, The San Francisco Community Clinic Consortium (SFCCC) is a partnership of 12 community health centers that collectively serve as the largest primary care safety net delivery system in San Francisco; SFCCC cares for over 107,000 patients every year, over 10% of the city's population; most SFCCC patients are living at or below 200% of the federal poverty level in one of the most expensive cities in the United States; and

WHEREAS, Each of SFCCC's 12 member clinics specializes in providing culturally and linguistically appropriate care to a unique demographic of San Francisco's population including LatinX, AAPI, and LGBTQ+ communities, seniors, individuals struggling with substance use disorder and more; and

WHEREAS, For over 40 years SFCCC has run two mobile medical outreach programs: Street Outreach Services (SOS) and Veterinary Street Outreach Services (Vet SOS) which provide urgent care services to people and animals experiencing homelessness and attempt to connect them with primary care in one of our partner clinics; and

WHEREAS, SFCCC clinics and all community health centers provide essential healthcare services to all patients regardless of their ability to pay; and

WHEREAS, The members of the SFCCC include BAART Community Healthcare, Curry Senior Center, Equity Health, HealthRIGHT 360, Marin City Health & Wellness Center, Mission Neighborhood Health Center, Native American Health Center, North East Medical Services, San Francisco Community Health Center, San Francisco Free Clinic, and St.

Anthony's Medical Clinic and Planned Parenthood Northern California as an affiliate partner; and

WHEREAS, The unique board composition of federally qualified health centers, which requires that a majority of board members are consumers, ensures significant patient input in all major business decisions; and

WHEREAS, These centers provide invaluable services to the community by offering access to primary care and helping to prevent and manage illnesses such as various cancers, high blood pressure, diabetes, hepatitis, tuberculosis, and other preventable or treatable chronic diseases as well as offering programs to ameliorate the social determinants of health; and

WHEREAS, Health centers excel in managing chronic illnesses, exceeding national standards, and improving patient health outcomes; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors recognizes August 4 through August 8, 2025, as National Health Center Week in the City and County of San Francisco; and, be it

FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board of Supervisors acknowledges the work of SFCCC its member health centers in providing critical services to the residents of the City and County of San Francisco.



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July 29, 2025 Board of Supervisors - ADOPTED

Ayes: 11 - Chan, Chen, Dorsey, Engardio, Fielder, Mahmood, Mandelman, Melgar, Sauter, Sherrill and Walton

File No. 250788

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was ADOPTED on 7/29/2025 by the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco.

Angela Calvillo
Clerk of the Board

Unsigned 8/8/2025

Daniel Lurie Date Approved
Mayor

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution, not being signed by the Mayor within the time limit as set forth in Section 3.103 of the Charter, or time waived pursuant to Board Rule 2.14.2, became effective without his approval in accordance with the provision of said Section 3.103 of the Charter or Board Rule 2.14.2.

Angela Calvillo
Clerk of the Board

8/8/2025

Date