



2020 CHAMPS Awardees

Virtual Awards Ceremony | Friday, November 20, 2020

Exceptional Clinical Leadership Award
Chad Hess, PA-C, Associate Medical Director,
Pueblo Community Health Center, CO

Chad Hess has ably and passionately served at Pueblo Community Health Center for over 30 years. As a clinician, he takes pride in delivering quality care to patients. As a leader, he takes pride in helping the organization and staff continuously improve, and practice at the top of their professions.

Chad's contributions don't stop at PCHC. He served as a representative on the Mountain Plains Clinical Network Steering Committee and the Colorado Clinical Advisory Network where he has contributed robustly to these peer learning and advisory groups. He has also established best practice programs that have been emulated by his CHC peers including his work with childhood immunizations, a Telephone Triage Call Center, and the development of a case management program for HIV, Well Women's Connection, Childhood Immunizations, and Colorectal Cancer Screening.

Chad has made charitable and compassionate actions and gestures towards those he supervised and co-workers who were experiencing tough times. He has demonstrated resilience during times of personal loss and provided an example of fortitude to all.

Chad challenges his colleagues to always shoot for the highest standards and he does not cut corners. His original vocation was as a registered nurse, and he embodies all that is admirable about the profession. At his core, Chad is here to serve patients and his co-workers.

*We are pleased to present Chad Hess with the
CHAMPS Exceptional Clinical Leadership Award in recognition of his
commitment to clinical excellence and providing quality health care for all.*

