

## **Dr. Susan Kansagra Selected as President-elect of National Association of Chronic Disease Directors**

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Dr. Susan Kansagra, chief of the NCDHHS Division of Public Health's Chronic Disease and Injury Prevention Section, has been selected as president-elect of the National Association of Chronic Disease Directors. Her term as president-elect will run from Oct. 1, 2019 through Sept. 30, 2020.

Dr. Kansagra oversees public health initiatives at DHHS related to chronic disease, tobacco control, cancer prevention and control, and injury and violence prevention. Before coming to DHHS, she served as deputy commissioner of the New York City Health Department as well as assistant vice president of Population Health for New York City's public hospital system.

Wilson County DSS Honored for Child Welfare Work  
The North Carolina Association of County Directors of Social Services recently honored the Wilson County Department of Social Services with a best practice award for their trauma-informed child welfare practice at the 2019 Social Services Institute in Hickory.