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### Teneza-Mora Appointed as Calvert County Health Officer

**PRINCE FREDERICK, Md. – Nov. 13, 2024** – The Calvert County Board of County Commissioners (BOCC) is pleased to announce the recommendation and appointment of Dr. Nimfa Teneza-Mora as the Health Officer for Calvert County. Dr. Teneza-Mora was appointed by Maryland Health Secretary Dr. Laura Herrera Scott, at the recommendation of the BOCC, effective Nov. 13, 2024.

Dr. Teneza-Mora is a seasoned public health leader and senior military physician with more than 13 years of experience in healthcare operations, clinical research and public health. Her expertise spans internal medicine and infectious diseases, with a proven track record in policy development, health program management and clinical care.

Dr. Teneza-Mora earned her Doctor of Medicine degree from Eastern Virginia Medical School and completed a series of Navy internships and fellowships. She later achieved a master's degree in public health from San Diego State University. Throughout her career, Dr. Teneza-Mora has advanced through key leadership roles in Navy medical research, earning commendations for her service and making significant contributions to infectious disease research.

“Dr. Teneza-Mora’s insight and leadership in public health make her well suited to address the county’s health priorities, and we are pleased to welcome her as Calvert County’s Health Officer,” said BOCC President Earl F. “Buddy” Hance. “Her background and dedication to public health align well with our mission, and we look forward to working together to strengthen our community’s health and wellness. We also extend our thanks to the Maryland Department of Health for its partnership throughout the selection process.”

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“Joining the talented team at the Calvert County Health Department is an honor, and I am eager to contribute to their mission of supporting the health and wellness of our community,” said Dr. Teneza Mora. “I look forward to a successful journey ahead with this caring and committed team. Here’s to being ‘one team, stronger together!’”

In her role as health officer, Dr. Teneza-Mora will collaborate with the BOCC, which also serves as the County Board of Health, to address public health challenges and expand health services for residents.

For more information about the Calvert County Health Department, visit [www.CalvertHealth.org](http://www.CalvertHealth.org).

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