

Collin County Going the **Extra Mile (GEM)** Recognition Form

Honoree's Name: Deedee Nino

Honoree's Job Title: Indigent Care Coordinator

Department: Collin County Health Care Services

Years of Service with the County: 14 years

Why the Honoree is receiving a GEM Award including dates:

The Indigent Healthcare Program is a team of three staff. In the last year, two of the three positions including the supervisor became vacant at various times. Despite these vacancies, Deedee ensured that the program continued running smoothly, that all clients were assisted, and that Collin County met all of its legal service requirements. During this time, Deedee single-handedly processed all applications and detention center medical payments while training new employees and performing the interim supervisor role. She is truly deserving of a GEM award for her expertise and dedication to helping Collin County residents throughout a difficult transition period.

Approved by elected official or department head on the 29th day of September, 2022

Candy Blair

Signature of Elected Official or Department Head