

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

Honoree's Name: Jerry Joseph

Honoree's Job Title: PHEP Planner

Department: Collin County Health Care Services

Years of Service with the County: 1.0

Why the Honoree is receiving a GEM Award including dates:

Jerry goes above his job duties regularly and one example is when he recently assisted the Health Disparities team with a new grant requirement. The State recently established additional reporting requirements for the Health Disparities team in which an extensive online survey needed to be filled out. Staff discussed the best approach in completing this required survey and Jerry helped with creating an internal platform identical to the state's required survey that staff could fill out and get internal approval in advance. Creating this internal platform/survey was outside of Jerry's regular duties. He completed it quickly and the team was able to fulfill this requirement on time with short notice. Jerry is always willing to jump in to assist other teams in the health department.

Approved by elected official or department head on the 15th day of August, 2022

Candy Blair

Signature of Elected Official or Department Head