



## **GLEND A F. NEWELL, M.D.**

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### **PRESENT OCCUPATION**

**Medical Director of Primary Care Services**  
Planned Parenthood Golden Gate

### **SPECIALTY**

**Board Certified in Internal Medicine**  
Diplomat of the American Board of Internal Medicine

### **LICENSED**

United States, Guam and Virgin Islands

### **CERTIFICATION**

Basic Cardiac Life Support

### **SUMMARY**

As the Medical Director of Primary Care Services, Dr. Newell has been the driving force behind the innovative services of primary care delivery at Planned Parenthood Golden Gate since 1997. Revenues and services in this area have increased 200% within the past year (2006) and this has led to increased access to health services for many men and women who have been without health insurance. She has also traveled to Africa on two fact finding missions to assist and support the delivery of safe and effective health care to predominantly women in the country of Ethiopia as a part of a team from Planned Parenthood.

Her experience working as a Primary Care Provider in managed care programs spans fifteen years. Since 1996 she has been a provider for Alameda Alliance for Health and MediCal Blue Cross, both of which are managed medical care programs. Prior to 1996, she worked for seven years for Kaiser Permanente, another managed care program. While working as a provider in managed care programs, She has been responsible for appropriateness, quality of care, and cost-effective delivery of services to patients.

My years in private practice, working for the National Health Service Corp., Kaiser and Planned Parenthood Golden Gate, have allowed me to broaden my exposure and deepened my commitment to the best practices of quality health care delivery, and the importance of reimbursements and utilization.

She has an extensive history and interest in community service, and many ties and relationships to doctors in the community through my affiliation with the Sinkler Miller Medical Association, where I currently service as their Immediate Past President. . Through the Sinkler Miller Medical Association I have been afforded the opportunity to work with other providers in the community to develop and advocate for programs and delivery systems that provide high quality and cost effective services. She is especially committed to the retention and the recruitment of African American Physicians for this community and therefore has encouraged leadership in our medical association for younger members and emphasized the importance of training for leadership within the organization. She is committed to the Sinkler Miller Medical Association, having served four years as treasurer, two years as president elect and 2 years as president.

As the Former Vice-Chair of the Health Commission for the City of Oakland and the Former Chair of the Health Committee for Jack and Jill of America, Inc. Oakland Bay Area Chapter, she has dedicated herself to provide support to and work toward the betterment of health care in the Bay Area for more than twenty five years. She has focused the last ten years of her practice with patients in underserved communities who need education, encouragement and high quality health care. As an internist, she specializes in caring for those patients who suffer with Asthma, Hypertension, Sarcoidosis and Diabetes Mellitus. She is a committed advocate for quality patient care and responsible, cost effective and appropriate service delivery.

She speaks to adult and youth groups, locally and throughout the nation about the importance of "Taking Charge of Your Health" over the past 15-20 years She has spoken for the following groups or churches, Kappa Alpha Psi Foundation, Northern California Medical, Dental and Pharmaceutical Auxiliary, The

Oakland Interfaith Youth Gospel Choir, The National Bar Association, and the Minority Lawyers Conference. Recently, she was interviewed as a medical expert on Dean Edell's 6pm News Story. She has participated in numerous radio and television health shows. She is one of the medical media spokespersons for Planned Parenthood Golden Gate

Despite the challenges of health care delivery in this millennium and the need to balance my career with my family as well as my own personal needs, Dr. Newell says, " I still have a passion for the practice of medicine and mentor others who are interested in this field. While finding a balance is one of my biggest challenges," she admits, Dr. Newell loves what she does and encourages all who are so touched by this profession to "go for it".

She is a charter member of Imani Community Church and a dedicated choir member. She is married with two adult children and two college age children.

## **EDUCATION**

<b>Professional Development</b>	<i>Harvard School of Public Health: Managing Ambulatory Care</i>
<b>Internship and Residency</b>	Mount Zion Hospital/UCSF Medical Center/San Francisco, CA
<b>Doctor of Medicine</b>	University of Cincinnati – School of Medicine/Cincinnati, OH
<b>Bachelor of Science</b>	Tufts University/Medford, MA
<b>High School</b>	Miss Porter's School, Farmington, CT (Student Body President, as a Senior)

## **POSITIONS HELD**

<b>1990 - 1997</b>	<b>Staff Physician</b> Kaiser Permanente Medical Group – Hayward, California 94545
<b>1989 - 1990</b>	<b>Medical Officer-GS15/Sr. Assistant Surgeon, Retired</b> <b>Lieutenant</b> <b>National Health Service Corps</b>
<b>1982 - 1988</b>	<b>Private Practice</b> San Francisco, California
<b>1984 - 1988</b>	<b>Staff Physician - Urgent Care</b> Former French Hospital Medical Center Currently Kaiser Permanente - San Francisco, California
<b>1984 -1987</b>	<b>Medical Consultant</b> Student Health Center - City College of San Francisco
<b>1985 - 1987</b>	<b>Contract Physician</b> United States Postal Service - Oakland Main Post Office
<b>1985 - 1986</b>	<b>Utilization Review Board</b> San Francisco Peer Review – San Francisco, California
<b>1984 - 1985</b>	<b>Urgent Care</b> West Oakland Health Center – Oakland, California

## **AWARDS – RECOGNITIONS**



Former Elected Member, National Nominating Committee, Links, Inc.  
Jack and Jill of America, Inc. Oakland Bay Area Chapter  
Past National Chair, Health and Wellness Linkage Links ,Inc.  
Charter Member, Alameda Contra Costa Links, Inc.  
Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.  
Life Member, NAACP  
Carrouseles, Inc.

**PERSONAL**

Married  
2 adult children  
2 college age children  
Enjoys singing, traveling and fundraising