

DCH Team,

For those of you who may not know, Ryan Loke has left the agency to pursue other interests in the private sector. Even prior to his tenure with DCH, Ryan and I worked tirelessly during 2020-2021 to deal with the state's response to the pandemic, so it was natural for him to join me as Deputy Commissioner and Chief Health Policy Officer in this agency. I wish him well in his endeavors, and we will always be connected in service and friendship.

Before Ryan's departure, I'm happy he was able to join the team for our recent townhall meeting! For those who may have missed it, check the link on the Internal Dashboard.



Also, as a reminder, I hope as many of you as possible will consider joining my team for the VeloCity Move for Grady Event taking place on Saturday, May 7. We are hoping to reach our fundraising goal of \$5,000. For additional information, visit [Velocity 2022: Ms. Caylee Noggle - VeloCity Atlanta - Your Route. Your Speed. Grady's Future.](https://www.velocity2022.com/atlanta) ([gradyhealthfoundation.org](https://gradyhealthfoundation.org))

As a special thank you, when you choose to make a difference, you will receive 10 raffle tickets for the Public Employee Recognition Week (PERW) giveaways. To receive your raffle tickets, send a copy of your registration to [HRhelp@dch.ga.gov](mailto:HRhelp@dch.ga.gov). You must submit a copy of your Grady Event registration no later than Friday, April 29, 2022, at noon to receive the raffle tickets. I hope to see you there! Oh! And more about PERW is forthcoming. STAY TUNED!!

Sincerely,

