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Dr. Henley is a family and public health physician whose medical career includes 9+ years as a commissioned officer in the Indian Health Service on the Hopi/Navajo Reservations and in Albuquerque, several years as a rural locums physician, 12 years as an academic physician and Chair of Family Medicine at U of Illinois-Rockford, 5 years as CMO of North Country HealthCare, a large rural network FQHC with sites across northern AZ and 5+ years as CMO of LifeLong Medical, a large urban FQHC in the East Bay of CA. He retired in July, 2019 after starting a new Family Medicine Teaching Health Center Residency at LifeLong and continues part-time as the Residency's Institutional Official. He has been a Board member for 9+ years and Past President of the Western Clinicians Network.

Since retiring as CMO, Dr. Henley has worked to increase awareness of the health effects of Climate Change (CC) within Community Health Centers (CHCs) with the goal of getting health centers more involved in addressing the issue. He worked with others to start a CC workgroup within the California Primary Care Assn that meets monthly and includes clinical and non-clinical health center staff. He was a co-presenter at the recent Region 9 annual meeting on CC and health for CHCs and presented a webinar on the health effects of wildfire smoke to health centers in Region 8.