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Mrs. DeNorcey completed her undergraduate degree in Biological Science from the University of San Francisco, CA in 1988, graduating Summa Cum Laude, and received a Master's degree in Public Health from San Jose State University, San Jose, CA. in 1990. In 2005, DeNorcey completed the Johnson & Johnson/UCLA Health Care Executive Program. After completing her formal education, DeNorcey returned to her native homeland of Guam. She has been employed at the Department of Public Health and Social Services for 28 years, beginning her career in 1991 as a health educator tasked in developing and implementing educational interventions at schools, health agencies, and the community. DeNorcey then assumed the duties of a program coordinator directing Maternal Child Health (MCH) and Family Planning (FP) program services. In 1998, she was promoted as the Health Services Administrator with the role of administering the operations, financial, personnel, and facilities management of the Guam CHCs. After working at the CHCs for 17 years, she was promoted to CHC Chief Executive Officer in September 2015. In January 2019, DeNorcey was appointed by the Governor of Guam to serve as the Acting Director of the Department of Public Health and Social Services. As the DPHSS Acting Director, she supervises five Division Heads (General Administration, Public Health, Public Welfare, Environmental Health, and Senior Citizens) in the operational, administrative, and financial management (i.e., budget, grant, audit, and procurement preparation and reviews, and inventory management), and the development of policies to enhance health care and social services.

