

A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE NOMINATION OF DR. AMANDA CHISUM-PRICE TO SERVE ON THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON BREAST CANCER IN YOUNG WOMEN

IN THE TRIBAL COUNCIL OF THE CHOCTAW NATION

RONALD PERRY INTRODUCED THE FOLLOWING COUNCIL RESOLUTION

A COUNCIL RESOLUTION

TO APPROVE a Resolution supporting the nomination of Dr. Amanda Chisum-Price, Choctaw Nation Tribal Member and Lead Surgeon, to serve as a member of the U.S. Department of Health & Human Services Advisory Committee on Breast Cancer in Young Women as a representative of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma.

WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of Health and Humans Services solicits nominations for members of the Advisory Committee on Breast Cancer in Young Women;

WHEREAS, in accordance with Article VII, Section 2 of the Constitution of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma (the "Nation"), the Chief has the power to "establish and appoint committees, members and delegates to represent the Choctaw Nation with the advice and consent of the Tribal Council.";

WHEREAS, Chief Gary Batton nominates Dr. Amanda Chisum-Price, Choctaw Nation Tribal Member and Lead Surgeon, to serve as a member of the Advisory Committee on Breast Cancer in Young Women to represent the Nation, the Choctaw Nation Health Services Authority, and Choctaw tribal members and other Native Americans served through breast cancer prevention and treatment services through the Nation's healthcare system;

WHEREAS, Dr. Chisum-Price's education, experience, expertise and her commitment to serving the Nation and its people through cancer treatment and prevention make her a great fit for this role;

WHEREAS, Dr. Chisum-Price is highly qualified and equipped to serve on this committee due to her commitment to serving our tribal members. Dr. Chisum-Price's expertise shines through especially when working with Native women with breast cancer. Her leadership at the Choctaw Nation in this realm is exemplary. She developed a cancer program that is currently in application to be designated a Breast Cancer Center of Excellence; instituted a Breast Clinic, Survivorship Clinic, and High-Risk Clinic within the Nation's health system, and also obtained a Breast MRI for 2 of the Nation's clinic sites, as well as implemented genetic and genomic testing. Due to disparate rates of cancer in Indigenous populations, she strives to educate and inform at every opportunity to increase early detection and treatment;

WHEREAS, the Tribal Council of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma supports efforts to build and grow our relationship with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services and the medical community across the United States and the world to address disproportionate rates of cancer in our Indigenous populations; and


WHEREAS, the Tribal Council has determined it is in the best interest of the Nation to support the nomination of Dr. Chisum-Price to serve on the U.S. Department of Health & Human Services Advisory Committee on Breast Cancer in Young Women as a representative of the Nation.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Tribal Council of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma that this Resolution be cited as approval for supporting the nomination of Dr. Chisum-Price to serve on the U.S. Department of Health & Human Services Advisory Committee on Breast Cancer in Young Women.

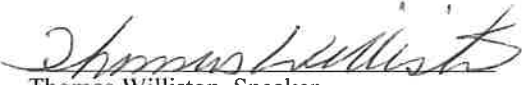
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CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, as speaker of the Tribal Council of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma, do hereby certify that the Tribal Council is composed of twelve (12) seats. Eight (8) members must be present to constitute a quorum. I further certify that twelve (12) members answered roll call and that a quorum was present at the Regular Session of the Tribal Council at Tuskahoma, Oklahoma on November 11, 2023. I further certify that the foregoing Council Resolution CR- 07 -24 was adopted at such meeting by the affirmative vote of twelve (12) members, zero (0) negative votes, and zero (0) abstaining.



Ronald Perry, Secretary
Choctaw Nation Tribal Council


Thomas Williston, Speaker
Choctaw Nation Tribal Council



Gary Patton, Chief
Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma

Date 11-16-23

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Purpose/Need of Council Resolution: The purpose of this Resolution is to support the nomination of Dr. Amanda Chisum-Price, Choctaw Nation Tribal Member and Lead Surgeon, to serve as a member of the U.S. Department of Health & Human Services Advisory Committee on Breast Cancer in Young Women as a representative of the Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma. Dr. Chisum-Price has worked in breast cancer treatment and prevention, addressing disparate rates of cancer affecting Native women. While this national committee does not have specific seats for tribal representatives, it is extremely important to have this voice nationwide to advocate for Native women with breast cancer. This nomination would further the Nation's strategic goals of supporting service delivery as well as promoting and exercising sovereignty by giving the Nation a nationwide voice in policy matters and achieve the Nation's legislative goal of Choctaw Tribal Members appointed to political positions.

Title of Council Resolution: A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE NOMINATION OF DR. AMANDA CHISUM-PRICE TO SERVE ON THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON BREAST CANCER IN YOUNG WOMEN

Agency: Government Relations

Budget: N/A

Match Required: N/A

Request by: John Hobbs, SEO Communications

AMANDA G. CHISUM-PRICE, MD, FACS

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EXPERIENCE

General and Breast Surgeon

Choctaw Nation Health Services Authority, Talihina, OK

2011- Present

- Perform general, breast, pediatric, endoscopy, and trauma surgery in a tribal hospital and outpatient surgery center with a catchment of 250,000
- Served as Chief of Surgery from 2017-2021; Represented 52 surgery providers including dentists, podiatrists, and optometrists from the hospital, 9 clinics, and one outpatient surgery center to expand service, provide optimal care, and maximize patient safety
- Developed the Surgical Plan, Procedures and Guidelines for the COVID-19 response for the Choctaw Nation Health System Hospital, outpatient surgery center, and surgical clinics with the Infectious Disease Nurse
- Named Attending of the Year, Choctaw Nation Health Services Family Medicine Residency, 2018-2019
- Developed a cancer program that is currently in application for a Breast Cancer Center of Excellence
- Instituted Breast Clinic, Survivorship Clinic, and High-Risk Clinic
 - In 2021, had 247 breast cancer patients under treatment with 177 of those in Survivorship Clinic.
- Obtained Breast MRI at 2 sites, and implemented genetic and genomic testing
- Lead and serve on internal committees to ensure productivity, patient care, continuing education, and accuracy within the Choctaw Nation's Healthcare System; Committees include: Medical Executive Board, Medical Education Committee, Clinical Competency Committee, Health Information Committee, Utilization Management Committee, and Incentive Steering Committee

Clinical Instructor

Choctaw Nation Family Medicine Residency Program, Talihina, OK

2014-Present

- Attending of the Year 2018-2019
- Instruct and mentor Family Medicine Residents in the OR, Surgery Clinic, and Medical/Surgical unit
- Started a Stop the Bleed Program for Resident Community Outreach
- Serve on committees that oversee Medical Education and determine Clinical Competencies
- Perform lectures and skills labs

Adjunct Clinical Instructor

Arkansas College of Osteopathic Medicine, Fort Smith, AR

2021- Present

- Instruct and mentor Medical Students in the OR, Surgery Clinic, and Medical/Surgical unit

General Surgeon

Sparks Regional Medical Center/Baptist Health System, Fort Smith, AR

2007-2011

- Performed Trauma, General, Vascular, Breast Surgery, and Endoscopy
- Liaison to the Commission on Cancer of the American College of Surgeons
- Serve as a member of the Oncology Committee
- Serve as a member of the Credentialing Committee
- Serve as a member of the Rural Health Outreach Committee

Adjunct Clinical Instructor

University of Arkansas Medical School, Fort Smith, AR

2007-2011

- Awarded Faculty Academic Excellence, University of Arkansas Area Health Education Center Residency Program, 2008-2009
- Instruct and mentor Family Medicine Residents in the OR, Surgery Clinic, Medical Surgical Unit, and Intensive Care Unit
- Build and instruct Residents on the Endoscopy Track

Surgery Resident and Chief Resident**Carilion Health Systems General Surgery Residency, Roanoke, VA****2002-2007**

- Serve as a member of the Graduate Medical Education Committee

Instructor of Biochemistry and Statistics**Native Americans into Medicine Summer Program, Center for American Indian and Minority Health, University of Minnesota-Duluth, Duluth, MN****1996, 1997****Research Assistant****Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, OK****1991-1995****EDUCATION****General Surgery Residency****Carilion Health Systems General Surgery Residency Program, Roanoke, VA****2007**

- Robert E. Berry Award for Professionalism in Surgery, 2006
- Outstanding Research Presentation, Carilion Health Systems Resident's Day, 2006
- Outstanding Resident Academic Achievement, Carilion Health System, 2003

Doctor of Medicine**University of Minnesota School of Medicine, Minneapolis, MN and Duluth, MN****2002**

- Basic Science completed at the UMD campus with Clinical Rotations at the Twin Cities Campus

Indian Health Pathway Certification**Center for American Indian and Minority Health, UMSOM, Minneapolis, MN and Duluth, MN****2002**

- Focused on developing, implementing, and regulating Minority Health Programs
- Explored factors leading to Disparity in Health Care and Research
- Studied Traditional and Cross -Cultural Medicine across the United States
- Volunteered and trained in underserved clinics and Hmong and Somalian Refugee Clinics

Bachelor of Science, Biochemistry and Molecular Biology**Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, OK****1995**

- Served on College of Agriculture and Natural Resources Student Council
- Served as President of the OSU Chapter of the American Chemical Society
- Served as Officer of OSU Collegiate FFA

CERTIFICATIONS AND LICENSURES**American Board of Surgery Certification #055921****2011-Present****Oklahoma State Medical Board License #28823****2012-Present****Arkansas State Board of Medicine license #E-5310****2007-Present****Indian Health Pathway Certificate, CAIMH, University of Minnesota School of Medicine****2002****PROFESSIONAL AND NOTABLE MEMBERSHIPS**

- Choctaw Nation of Oklahoma Tribal Member
- Fellow of the Robert S. Berry Society
- Fellow of the American College of Surgeons, Young Fellow Association Advocacy
- American Society of Breast Surgeons
- American Medical Association

PUBLICATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

“Raising Awareness of the Impact of Breast Cancer” *Biskinik*, Nov.2020.

“Virtual Pink Pearl” *Choctaw TV*, Oct. 2020

Pink Pearl Breast Cancer Awareness Conference

- *Individualizing Treatment for Breast Cancer*, Pink Pearl Breast Cancer Awareness Conference, October 9, 2019
- *Updates in the Treatment of Breast Cancer*, Pink Pearl Breast Cancer Awareness Conference, October 10, 2018
- *The Evolving World of Breast Cancer Prevention, Diagnosis, and Treatment*, Pink Pearl Breast Cancer Awareness Conference, October 12, 2016
- *Breast Cancer-the Choctaw Experience*, Pink Pearl Breast Cancer Awareness Conference, October 14, 2015
- *The Evolution of Surgical Care for Breast Cancer*, Pink Pearl Breast Cancer Awareness Conference, October 8, 2014

Surgery as a Career, The University of Arkansas Fort Smith upward Bound, February 11, 2009

Cell Diameter in Diagnosis of Sepsis, Resident’s Day Research Presentation Carilion Health System, May 2006

Limitations of Ultrasound Diagnosis of Pyloric Stenosis, Resident’s Day Research Presentation Carilion Health System, May 2005

Cases of Vascular Interest, Visiting Professor Rounds, Carilion Health System, October 6, 2004

Clinical Care Presentations:

Tracheostomy, Critical Care Conference, Carilion Health System, 08/09/2006

Airway Management, Critical Care Conference, Carilion Health System, 02/15/2006

Sedation and Pain Control, Critical Care Conference, Carilion Health System, 11/24/2004

Trauma Presentations:

Damage Control Laparotomy, Gold Alert Conference, Carilion Health System, 07/26/2006

Facial Trauma, Gold Alert Conference, Carilion Health System, 04/26/2006

Interosseous Access, Gold Alert Conference, Carilion Health System, 03/22/2006

Trauma Exposures, Gold Alert Conference, Carilion Health System, 11/16/2006

Geriatric Trauma, Gold Alert Conference, Carilion Health System, 11/24/2004

Clinical Presentation:

Enterocutaneous Fistula, Clinical Correlation Conference, Carilion Health System, 11/06/2006

Pancreatic Lesions, Clinical Correlation Conference, Carilion Health System, 10/25/2006

Urological Cancers, Clinical Correlation Conference, Carilion Health System, 05/17/2006

Pancreatitis, Clinical Correlation Conference, Carilion Health System, 10/14/2005

Hand Functional Assessment, Clinical Correlation Conference, Carilion Health System, 10/06/2004