



**Dr. Brenda Thames named Prisma Health Academics Executive Officer**

Brenda Thames, EdD, has been named Prisma Health Academics Executive Officer and Provost of the Health Sciences Center at Prisma Health. She previously served as Interim Prisma Health Academics Executive Officer. Brenda has more than 30 years of experience in higher education, and has provided executive leadership in academics for the system since 2007. She is also the founder of the Medical Experience (MedEx) Academy, which helps high school and undergraduate students experience the diversity of health care careers available to them.

The Health Sciences Center at Prisma Health is a collaboration between Prisma Health and regional academic partners, including Clemson University, Furman University and the University of South Carolina.