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Nicole Polarek of Nature's Way Elected to Bellin Health Board of Directors

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE December 7, 2021 (Green Bay, Wis.) <u>Nicole Polarek, Executive Vice President (EVP) and Chief Operating Officer</u> (COO) for <u>Nature's Way</u> has been elected to the <u>Bellin Health System</u> Board of Directors, while continuing to serve on the board's finance committee. Bellin Health is an integrated health care delivery system serving Northeastern Wisconsin and the Upper Peninsula of Michigan.

"Bellin is such an important and vital health leader in our community. I am thrilled to join the Board. I believe in their mission and look forward to supporting the deep commitment to helping people in our region be the healthiest they can be during every stage of their lives," stated Polarek. "At Nature's Way, I get the pleasure of working with people with a shared purpose to help people live healthy lives and who produce top-quality vitamins and supplements right here in Green Bay. There's great alignment in our purposes. That's exciting."

"We are extremely pleased that Nicole is joining our board," stated <u>Bellin Health President and</u> <u>C.E.O. Chris Woleske</u>. "She brings strong business and leadership skills to our board, and she understands what we're trying to accomplish as we design and deliver health care to our region."

As EVP and COO at Nature's Way, Polarek's work includes oversight and responsibility for innovation, operations, supply chain, operations, product development, IT and human resources.

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<u>About Nature's Way:</u> <u>Nature's Way</u> is the leading manufacturer of high-quality supplements. Founded in 1969, the company has been a pioneer in the health industry. Since then, Nature's Way has evolved to encompass more than 1,000 supplements from Fortify[®] Probiotics and Alive![®] Multivitamins to oils and herbal remedies. Embracing the values of wisdom, integrity, authenticity and inclusivity, Nature's Way turns to nature to find and further a better way to wellness.