

Olmstead Promoted to State Health Department

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Multi-County Health Department Administrator Programs Director Larry Olmstead attended the Woods County Commissioners meeting Wednesday to apprise them that he'll be leaving his position he's held the past six years. As director he serves Woods County and western Oklahoma counties to Guymon.



Olmstead accepted a position in the State Health Department central office at Oklahoma City. He'll be director of Turning Point, a program he described as a way to get health care back into the hands of local people.

As a state director, Olmstead will on occasion still visit Woods County as he will counties throughout Oklahoma as he works with local people.

Larry Olmstead

Olmstead introduced his administrative assistant Janet Jones who will serve as the interim director.

"I have great confidence in Janet," Olmstead said of Jones who is from the Beaver area and has been with the health department 11 years.

See more details in the March 1 Alva Review-Courier.