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INMOTION CEO APPOINTED TO NEW STATEWIDE ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR PARKINSON'S

BEACHWOOD, OHIO – The Ohio Department of Health director has appointed InMotion CEO Cathe Schwartz to the state's first Parkinson's Disease Registry Advisory Committee. The General Assembly created the 9-member committee in 2023 to assist the state in developing, implementing, maintaining, and improving a registry of individuals with Parkinson's disease.

"I'm honored to be able to serve the Parkinson's community not just in Cleveland but across Ohio," Schwartz said. "We are grateful that the state took this incredible step to gather information that ultimately can serve anyone impacted by this fastest-growing neurological disorder."

Bruce Goodman, president of InMotion's Board of Directors, said the appointment underscores the important role InMotion plays in the Parkinson's community. "In not even 10 years since opening, InMotion has been able to contribute locally, statewide, across the U.S. and even internationally in its quest to help those facing Parkinson's feel better every day."

The registry's goal is to enable researchers to better understand the disease's prevalence, characteristics, and possible environmental factors that may trigger Parkinson's while maintaining the privacy and confidentiality of patients.

About InMotion

InMotion uses a community-based group approach to help people with Parkinson's disease (PD) feel better every day. InMotion offers a wide array of evidence-based physical exercise programs, and educational and support services that have been shown to have the ability to slow the progression of PD and help people with Parkinson's disease and their families take control of their symptoms. The agency consists of specialized trainers, staff, coaches and volunteers. As a nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization, and one that offers its services to clients at no charge, InMotion relies on the generosity of individual donors, foundations, grant-making bodies, and corporate sponsors. www.beinmotion.org.

