



EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

Calhoun County encourages employee retention by promoting a culture of engagement through communication, appreciation and recognition.

Please join us in congratulating **MICHELLE THORNE** who has been recognized as Calhoun County's Employee of the Month for **JANUARY!** Michelle, RN Practitioner with Public Health Department, returned to college to fill a need for a Nurse Practitioner in the clinic when the need was unfilled. She was a key player in establishing and building the Choices reproductive health program. She began providing Hepatitis C, PrEP and HIV treatment and has since cured many Hepatitis C patients. She also completed her HIV provider certification and spoke at a conference in Florida about incorporating HIV care into local health departments. Her dedication to the underserved population of Calhoun County is above reproach!

Number of Years at Calhoun County:

10 years and 6 months

Why do you like working for Calhoun County?

I love being able to serve the community I live in. Calhoun County has so many resources and I love that I can be a part of giving back to my hometown!

Favorite thing about your job:

Being able to make our clients smile and feel valued and having great co-workers by my side!

Favorite hobbies:

Spending time with my family is top of the list but I also enjoy a good book or movie and I am getting better with my very own chainsaw!



Submit your Employee of the Month nominations online:

https://www.calhouncountymi.gov/departments/human_resources/employee_of_the_month_nomination_form.php