

## The California Health Workforce Education and Training Council

### Biography

#### **Katherine Flores**

Dr. Katherine Flores is a former farmworker and an alum of Stanford University and University of California (UC) Davis School of Medicine. Dr. Flores is an Associate Clinical Professor with the UC San Francisco (UCSF) School of Medicine and Director of the UCSF Fresno Latino Center for Medical Education and Research. For over 30 years, she has been passionate in developing and advocating for pipeline programs that recruit and retain underserved and underrepresented youth in health careers. In collaboration with health and education partners, she initiated the Doctors Academy in Fresno County, which is a longitudinal, comprehensive health pathway program that serves youth from disadvantaged backgrounds. Dr. Flores also serves on various boards that support health workforce development such as the California Endowment Board of Directors and the California Blue Shield Foundation Board of Directors. She also serves as the Director of the California Health Professions Consortium. Additionally, Dr. Flores maintains a bilingual family medicine practice in Fresno, California.