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NOEMI SCOTT

FAMILY NURSE PRACTITIONER WELLMED MEDICAL MANAGEMENT

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Noemi Scott's career as a family nurse practitioner for WellMed Medical spans 15 years. Over that time, she worked her way up the proverbial corporate ladder — from patient care to supervisory positions.
Credit Scott's grandmother for starting this health care hero on her professional path. She often accompanied her.

path. She often accompanied her grandmother to doctor's appointments, where she witnessed the disdain of nurses attending to her Spanish-speaking grandmother.

Scott wanted to find another way. It became her mission to help the patients who oftenines do not get the warmest of receptions among health care providers — people with language barriers, lacking financial resources and with little or no formal education.

Q&A:

WHO WAS YOUR MENTOR, AND WHAT WAS HIS OR HER IMPACT ON YOUR LIFE? While I have had several amazing mentors, (certified family nurse practitioner) Geraldine Trevino was my most recent mentor who had a significant impact on my professional and personal life. She was the perfect example of someone who was committed to delivering the best patient care possible. She was the most humble and passionate person I've known, and I hope to one day be just as good as she was.



