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Moreover, Ms. Salazar has 17 years of clinical and professional experience specializing in patient care and counseling, health and wellness education, program and curriculum development, management, and evaluation. Ms. Salazar has extensive experience in teaching, training, coaching, and mentoring Community Health Workers in clinical settings and students in educational institutes and settings.

Ms. Salazar holds a Bachelor of Science in Health Science, a Master of Public Health with an emphasis in Community Health Education, and a Graduate Certificate in Latino Health and Nutrition Studies from California State University, Long Beach. Additionally, she holds a graduate certificate in Mission Leadership from Providence University, a certificate in Exercising Leadership: Foundational Principles from Harvard University, and a certificate as a Mental Health Counselor and First Aid. Ms. Salazar additionally holds national certifications as an Emergency Medical Technician, Master Certified Health Education Specialist, Certified Group Fitness Instructor, and has a California Insurance Producer License to educate and advocate for financial literacy.