



## STATE of MINNESOTA

# Proclamation

WHEREAS: The National Association of Health Unit Coordinators was founded in August of 1980, and is dedicated to the promotion of Health Unit Coordinating as a profession through education, certification, and professionalism; and

WHEREAS: Rapid advances in medicine have encouraged growth and expansion of the Health Unit Coordinator's responsibilities, and over the years this occupation has been known by titles including unit clerk, ward clerk, unit secretary, unit manager, and unit coordinator; and

WHEREAS: Health Unit Coordinators perform a variety of tasks and responsibilities that assist in the operation of a health unit, including patient admittance, the ordering of diagnostic studies for patients, transcription of physician orders, payroll, and scheduling; and

WHEREAS: Health Unit Coordinator Day is a day to highlight the skills and expertise required of professional Health Unit Coordinators, and to bring uniformity and recognition to the use of the title across Minnesota and the nation.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARK DAYTON, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim August 23, 2012, as:

## HEALTH UNIT COORDINATOR DAY

in the State of Minnesota.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of August.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Mark Dayton".

GOVERNOR

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Michelle".

SECRETARY OF STATE