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Equipment Connections for Children Announces New Executive Director

GAITHERSBURG, April 26, 2018 – The Board of Directors of Equipment Connections for Children (ECFC) is pleased to announce the appointment of Jason Herring as the organization’s Executive Director. ECFC connects costly adaptive equipment from children with disabilities who outgrow the equipment to other children in need.

“We are very excited to have Jason taking on the role of Executive Director of ECFC,” said Debra Carter, Board Co-President. “Jason brings with him an excellent combination of business skill and public health knowledge that will help us to bridge access to care for our clients and help the organization grow.”

“Jason brings with him a passion for community engagement and the skills to foster innovative programming and manage growth to bring our services to more children in need in our region,” added Program Director, Founder, and former Executive Director Claire Wong.

Mr. Herring brings to ECFC over 20 years of business management, administration, and organizational development experience in the business and nonprofit sectors. He earned his Master of Business Administration degree from Point Park University and his Master of Public Health degree from the University of Pittsburgh and prior to joining ECFC was the Director of Community Health for Allies for Health + Wellbeing, a Pittsburgh-based health services organization that helps individuals living with chronic illness and helps prevent the spread of infections.

“I have dedicated my life to advocating for better care for those without easy access,” Herring remarked. “I am proud to be able to continue focusing my passion for community service with Equipment Connections for Children. ECFC plays such a vital role in the lives of these children and their families and I am honored to be a part of that story.”

Equipment Connections for Children is a not-for-profit 501(c)3 organization formed in 2009 to meet the need of supplying adaptive equipment to children with disabilities in the Montgomery County, MD region who may not otherwise have access to this necessary, but expensive equipment. For more information, please call 240-801-9965, email jason@equipforchildren.org, or visit www.equipforchildren.org.

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