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Health Plans Selected for the Statewide Medicaid Managed Care Managed Medical Assistance Program
~Florida-based plan selected in every region~

Tallahassee, Fla. – The Agency for Health Care Administration (Agency) selected the health plans it will contract with for the Managed Medical Assistance (MMA) program. The Agency selected 10 general, non-specialty MMA plans via a competitive bidding process. In addition, the Agency selected five companies to provide specialty plans, including specialty plans focused on HIV/AIDS, child welfare and foster care, severe and persistent mental illness, and adults with chronic conditions. A listing of the plans selected for each region and relevant information about the procurement can be found via the Department of Management Services' Vendor Bid System at http://www.myflorida.com/apps/vbs/vbs_main_menu. A summary chart of the plans selected in each region is below.

"I believe our evaluation and negotiation teams did an excellent job in selecting nationally accredited, top caliber plans that will be able to meet the needs of Florida's Medicaid population," said Secretary Liz Dudek. "The Agency has confidence these plans will be able to provide high quality care through robust networks, a variety of extra benefits, and increased flexibility in meeting the unique health care needs of each recipient they serve."

Some facts of note regarding the selected plans:

- The Agency selected eight Florida-based plans: Better Health, LLC; First Coast Advantage, LLC; Integral Health Plan, Inc. d/b/a Integral Quality Care; Preferred Medical Plan, Inc.; Prestige Health Choice; Wellcare of Florida, Inc. d/b/a Staywell Health Plan of Florida; Freedom Health, Inc.; and Simply Healthcare Plans, Inc. d/b/a Clear Health Alliance HIV/AIDS Specialty Plan.
- Five different companies were selected to provide specialty plans that will serve populations with a distinct diagnosis or chronic condition; these plans are tailored to meet the specific needs of the specialty population.

Recipients who qualify to enroll in a Managed Medical Assistance plan will receive information at least 90 days ahead of when any change will take effect. Implementation is anticipated to begin in mid-2014. Additional information about the Statewide Medicaid Managed Care (SMMC) program and the opportunity to sign up to receive email updates about can be found on the SMMC website at: <http://ahca.myflorida.com/SMMC>.

Due to the competitive procurement, the Agency is in a statutorily imposed "Blackout Period" until 72 hours after the award announcement and cannot provide interpretation or additional information not included in the MMA ITN documents. As stated in s.287.057(23), F.S., "Respondents to this solicitation or persons acting on their behalf may not contact, between the release of the solicitation and the end of the 72-hour period following the agency posting the notice of intended award, excluding Saturdays, Sundays, and state holidays, any employee or officer of the executive or legislative branch concerning any aspect of this solicitation, except in writing to the procurement officer or as provided in the solicitation documents. Violation of this provision may be grounds for rejecting a response."

The Agency for Health Care Administration is committed to better health care for all Floridians. The Agency administers Florida's Medicaid program, licenses and regulates more than 45,000 health care facilities and 37 health maintenance organizations, and publishes health care data and statistics at www.FloridaHealthFinder.gov.



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RESPONDENT NAME	REGION											Total Number of Awards
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	
General, Non-specialty Plans												
Amerigroup Florida, Inc.					X	X						2
Better Health, LLC - PSN	X					X				X		3
First Coast Advantage, LLC - PSN				X								1
Humana Medical Plan, Inc.	X					X			X	X	X	5
Integral Health Plan, Inc. d/b/a Integral Quality Care - PSN						X		X				2
Preferred Medical Plan, Inc.											X	1
Prestige Health Choice - PSN		X	X		X	X	X		X		X	7
Sunshine State Health Plan, Inc.			X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	9
UnitedHealthcare of Florida, Inc.				X							X	2
Wellcare of Florida, Inc. d/b/a Staywell Health Plan of Florida		X	X		X	X	X	X			X	7
<i>General, Non-specialty Plans Awarded</i>	2	2	3	3	4	7	3	3	3	3	6	39
Specialty Plans												
AHF MCO of Florida, Inc. d/b/a Positive Healthcare Florida HIV/AIDS Specialty Plan										X	X	2
Florida MHS, Inc. d/b/a Magellan Complete Care Serious Mental Illness Specialty Plan		X		X	X	X	X		X	X	X	8
Freedom Health, Inc. Cardiovascular Disease (CVD) Specialty Plan			X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	8
Freedom Health, Inc. Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) Specialty Plan			X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	8
Freedom Health, Inc. Congestive Heart Failure (CHF) Specialty Plan			X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	8
Freedom Health, Inc. Diabetes Specialty Plan			X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	8
Simply Healthcare Plans, Inc. d/b/a Clear Health Alliance HIV/AIDS Specialty Plan	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	10
Sunshine State Health Plan, Inc. Child Welfare Specialty Plan	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	11
<i>Specialty Plans Awarded</i>	2	3	6	2	7	7	7	6	7	8	8	63

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