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COLORADO ACCESS WELCOMES NEW LEADERSHIP

AURORA, CO – Colorado Access, a 501(c)4 nonprofit health plan, recently hired new personnel in medical and business operations. These new staff members will help position Colorado Access to better serve their more than one million members across Colorado.

“We are excited with the addition of such talented personnel. The expertise they bring to their positions and Colorado Access is invaluable and will further help extend and support the health of the state for all Coloradans,” said Dr. Marshall Thomas, President and Chief Executive Officer.

The addition of Roberta Capp, MD, MHS; Sorina Simion-Rodgers, MD; and Tyler Watlington, MD, MSPH, bring years of valuable medical experience. Dr. Capp recently received the 2016 Physician of the Year Community Champion award, presented by the Colorado Coalition for the Medically Underserved. She was recognized for her contributions to improve the health care system and provide for at-risk patients. The expertise provided by Dr. Watlington and Dr. Simion-Rodgers continues to strengthen the integrated care model of intertwining behavioral health and Accountable Care Collaborative programs at Colorado Access.

Aaron Brotherson, Rebecca Lynn, Jenny Nate Cornelia, and Cassidy Smith bring a strong skillset of health care and community relationships. Both Brotherson and Lynn have extensive experience working in the provider community and are excited to continue to develop the strong presence Colorado Access has with the providers of Colorado. Nate Cornelia and Smith both bring unique experience working with government agencies as well as supporting the Accountable Care Collaborative, and use that expertise to support efforts to integrate both behavioral health and Accountable Care Collaborative programs at Colorado Access.

About Colorado Access:

Founded in 1994, Colorado Access is a local, nonprofit health plan that serves more than one million members. The company’s members receive health care under Child Health Plan *Plus* (CHP+), and Health First Colorado (Colorado’s Medicaid Program) behavioral and physical health, and long term support programs. Colorado Access provides care coordination and management for three (3) of the seven (7) regions under the Accountable Care Collaborative program offered through Health First Colorado. The company administers three regional behavioral health organizations, serving more than 700,000 members accessing behavioral health services with Health First Colorado. Colorado Access is the state’s largest single entry point agency, coordinating long-term service and supports for more than 10,000 Health First Colorado recipients. To learn more about Colorado Access, visit coaccess.com.

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