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Gretchen McGinnis Appointed Member of the Medicaid Provider Rate Review Advisory Committee

Denver, Colo – Colorado Access, a local nonprofit health plan, announced today that Gretchen McGinnis was appointed member of the Medicaid Provider Rate Review Advisory Committee (MPRRAC). As senior vice president of public policy and performance improvement at Colorado Access, McGinnis provides oversight of all strategic planning activities ranging from public policy to population health.

The MPRRAC was established this June to help the Department of Health Care Policy and Financing (HCPF) review the provider rate reimbursement for Medicaid. The committee meets every quarter to:

- review HCPF's proposed five-year review cycle and make any adjustments as needed with a majority vote
- take comments from stakeholders and determine whether rates need to be reviewed outside of the cycle period
- recommend areas of improvement to the Joint Budget Committee and more

"We are pleased to see that the Medicaid Provider Rate Review Advisory Committee has appointed Gretchen as a member," said Marshall Thomas, President and CEO of Colorado Access. "She brings immense knowledge and expertise on Medicaid."

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 healthcare under Child Health Plan *Plus* (CHP+), Medicaid behavioral and physical health programs, long-term support, and/or Medicare Advantage. Colorado Access provides care coordination and management for three (3) of the seven (7) Regional Care Collaborative Organizations (RCCOs) under Colorado's Accountable Care Collaborative Medicaid program. To learn more about Colorado Access, visit coaccess.com.

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