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AvMed Joins ACHP

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Washington, D.C. – AvMed has joined the Alliance of Community Health Plans (ACHP), the organization representing nonprofit, national leaders in health care quality announced today.

“We are excited to welcome AvMed as our newest member,” said ACHP President and CEO Ceci Connolly. “AvMed’s consumer-focused mission makes the plan well-qualified to join us as we lead the way in health care innovation to provide the highest-quality, evidence-based, affordable care.”

Miami-based AvMed covers more than 340,000 lives across Florida and received a rating of 4 out of 5 for both its commercial and Medicare plans in the National Committee for Quality Assurance’s (NCQA) Health Insurance Plan Ratings 2015–2016 and 4 of 5 stars in the 2015 Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) Star Ratings.

Its commitment to quality is matched only by its commitment to service excellence, having won multiple honors against its industry peers. Read more by visiting bit.ly/AvMedMilestones.

“Just as we select our provider partners to ensure they align with our mission-driven values, we carefully evaluate each organization before we decide to affiliate,” said AvMed President and CEO Michael P. Gallagher. “ACHP and AvMed are highly compatible and we look forward to many collaborative years ahead.”

Alliance of Community Health Plans

The Alliance of Community Health Plans (ACHP) is a national leadership organization bringing together innovative health plans and provider groups that are among America’s best at delivering affordable, high-quality coverage and care. ACHP’s member health plans provide coverage and care for more than 18 million Americans. These 22 organizations focus on improving the health of the communities they serve and are on the leading edge of

innovations in affordability and quality of care, including primary care redesign, payment reforms, accountable health care delivery and use of information technology. To learn more, visit www.achp.org.

AvMed

In 1969, AvMed began in South Florida as *Aviation Medicine* to serve the growing airline industry with pilot physicals. Today, with headquarters in Miami and offices in every major metropolitan area of the state, AvMed aims to inspire its membership of more than 340,000 Floridians to celebrate an active lifestyle and “Embrace better health®.” One of Florida’s oldest and largest not-for-profit health plans, AvMed provides Medicare Advantage coverage in Broward and Miami-Dade counties, Individual and Family Plans across South Florida, Gainesville, Jacksonville and Orlando, and Group Health coverage for employers in more than 30 counties across the only state we’ve ever served. Well-known clients, healthcare providers and systems have been partners for decades, a testament to AvMed’s culture of service and satisfaction, which consistently ranks above statewide peers. For more information, visit AvMed.org.

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The Alliance of Community Health Plans (ACHP) and its members improve the health of the communities we serve and actively lead the transformation of health care to promote high quality, affordable care and superior consumer experience.