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National Health Law Program awards Florida Health Justice Project “Health Law Partnership Project” Grant

(Miami, Florida – September 1, 2019) – Florida Health Justice Project, a nonprofit legal advocacy group based in Miami, Florida, is pleased to announce it has been awarded a Health Law Partnership Project grant by the National Health Law Program (NHeLP).

The goals of the Health Law Partnership Project are to preserve and protect access to high-quality health care, including through Medicaid, the Affordable Care Act (ACA) and the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA).

As part of the project, FHJP helps shape policy debates in Florida by educating policymakers, journalists, and health care providers about the importance of Medicaid and what proposed changes, such as a block grant, would mean for the state.

Also key to the project is the work FHJP is doing in monitoring state actions that are resulting or will result in significant reductions in health coverage, such as the repeal of retroactive Medicaid, and, in collaboration with NHeLP, we formulate enforcement and litigation strategies for addressing the issues.

FHJP team members working with NHeLP on this grant include Katy DeBriere, Legal Director, Alison Yager, Policy and Advocacy Director and Miriam Harmatz, Executive Director.

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FHJP is a non-partisan and policy advocacy organization focused on law that impacts health care access for low-income and uninsured Floridians.

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The National Health Law Program, founded in 1969, litigates in state and federal courts to advance access to quality health care for low-income and underserved individuals. (www.healthlaw.org)