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Dear Member:

As of January 1, 2009, Florida Health Care Plan ("FHCP"), will be acquired and become an affiliate of Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Florida ("BCBSFL"). A leader in Florida's health industry, BCBSFL and its subsidiaries serve more than 8.8 million people. Since 1944, BCBSFL has been dedicated to meeting the diverse needs of all those it serves by offering an array of choices. With the acquisition of FHCP's business, BCBSFL will continue its commitment to ensuring access to health care to individuals within FHCP's service area.


The decision to sell FHCP to BCBSFL was based on their experience, stability, demonstrated commitment to the health care needs of the local community, and the resources they can bring to expand access to FHCP's affordable, high-quality care. BCBSFL is committed to continue FHCP's present operational and organizational structures, which will ensure continuity of care for the community. Moreover, this means there will be no job loss or changes in staffing, facilities or benefits as a result of the sale.

The pending change in ownership will not cause any change in benefits, premiums, co-pays or prescription drug costs. FHCP's present employees, staff and contracted health care providers will remain the same. Shortly after January 1, 2009 you will, however, be receiving a new FHCP card with the BCBSFL insignia added. Until that time, you should continue to use your current FHCP cards. Members will continue going to their current doctors. The process for visiting a doctor will remain the same, whether in the local service area or outside of the service area. FHCP's office and pharmacy locations will stay the same as will the current FHCP website and contact information.

In summary, there will be no changes in FHCP's relationship with you.

If you have any questions or would like more information, please contact FHCP's Member Services Department at 386.615.4022 or 877.615.4022. Hearing impaired may dial TTY/TTD # 386.615.4045 or 877.260.8312. Hours of operation are Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Sincerely,  
**FLORIDA HEALTH CARE PLAN, INC.**

By:   
Edward F. Simpson Jr.,  
Chief Executive Officer

**Preferred Medical Center locations:**

Holly Hill – 386.676.7100 – 1.800.352.9824

Daytona Beach – 386.238.3200 – 1.800.321.1227 • DeLand – 386.736.1948

Edgewater – 386.427.4868 • Orange City – 386.774.2550 – 1.800.390.3427 • Ormond Beach – 386.671.4337

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