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BMC HealthNet Plan’s Medicaid HMO Achieves Excellent Accreditation from the National Committee for Quality Assurance

Boston – BMC HealthNet Plan (BMCHP) announced that its Medicaid HMO has achieved Excellent Accreditation status from the National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA) based on the results from its recent submissions of HEDIS^{®1} and CAHPS^{®2} data to NCQA. Excellent Accreditation is the highest status awarded by NCQA. In addition, BMCHP has maintained Accredited status for its Qualified Health Plan coverage. Accredited is the highest status currently available for Qualified Health Plans.

“We are proud of our Medicaid HMO’s Excellent Accreditation status,” said Susan Coakley, President of BMC HealthNet Plan. “The NCQA standards are rigorous, so this achievement is an important recognition of our commitment to our members and providers and our goal of delivering the highest quality healthcare experience.”

NCQA measures health plans based on clinical data from the Healthcare Effectiveness Data and Information Set (HEDIS), and from member satisfaction data in the health plan Consumer Assessment of Healthcare Providers and Systems (CAHPS).

About Boston Medical Center HealthNet Plan

Boston Medical Center founded Boston Medical Center Health Plan, Inc. in 1997 as a not-for-profit managed care organization doing business in Massachusetts as BMC HealthNet Plan. Outside Massachusetts the business name is Well Sense Health Plan. For more information, go to bmchp.org. For more information about BMC HealthNet Plan Senior Care Options, go to seniorsgetmore.org/.

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² CAHPS[®] is a registered trademark of the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ).