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Illinois Children's Healthcare Foundation Appoints Three New Board Members

HINSDALE, III. – The Illinois Children's Healthcare Foundation is pleased to announce the appointment of three new members to its board of directors, who share the Foundation's commitment to improving the health of all children in Illinois.

Newly appointed directors, include:

Billie Wright Adams, MD, FAAP

Dr. Adams is a Clinical Associate Professor in the Department of Pediatrics at the University of Illinois at Chicago College of Medicine and trains pediatric care residents at Stroger Cook County Children's Hospital while also maintaining a private practice. She is a board-certified pediatrician who received her BS from Fisk University, an MA in zoology from the University of Indiana in Bloomington, and her MD from Howard University.

Matthew Hunsaker, MD, FAAP

Dr. Hunsaker is the Director of the Rural Medical Education Program at the National Center for Rural Health Professions at the University of Illinois, College of Medicine at Rockford. He received his BS from Milligan College, his MD from the University of Illinois, College of Medicine in Rockford, and completed his residency in Family Practice at St. Mary's Medical Center in Evansville, IN. Hunsaker is board-certified in Family Medicine with special training in additional areas of Hyperbaric and Aerospace Medicine. He is an FAA Aerospace Medical Examiner and a family physician practicing at Katherine Shaw Bethea Hospital in Dixon, IL.

Kay L. Saving, MD, FAAP

Dr. Saving is the Medical Director at Children's Hospital of Illinois at OSF St. Francis Medical Center in Peoria. Saving is a board-certified pediatric hematologist/oncologist providing services for a wide range of pediatric illnesses at the St. Jude Midwest Affiliate at the Children's Hospital of Illinois. She received her undergraduate degree and MD from the University of Kansas Medical School. She completed her residency at the University of California at San Francisco and fellowship at the University of Kansas, Kansas City. Saving is the founder of the Pediatric Resource Center and serves in a number of other advisory roles related to the prevention of child abuse and treatment of children's mental health needs. She is also the Chief, Section of Pediatric Hematology/Oncology at the University of Illinois, College of Medicine, Peoria.

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About Illinois Children's Healthcare Foundation

The Illinois Children's Healthcare Foundation was formed in 2003 with one goal in mind: to improve the health of all Illinois children. Through the release of targeted RFPs and proactive, ongoing funding, ILCHF works to eliminate the barriers that prevent children from regularly accessing high-quality health care. Since 2004, the Foundation has awarded more than \$20 million in grants to organizations serving children's health needs across the state. Please visit www.ilchf.org for more information about the Illinois Children's Healthcare Foundation.