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Illinois' Only Statewide Children's Healthcare Foundation Names New Board Member

HINSDALE, III. – The Illinois Children's Healthcare Foundation is pleased to announce the appointment of Christine Hehmeyer Rosso to its board of directors. Ms. Rosso shares the Foundation's commitment to improving the health of all children in Illinois.

"I feel privileged to join such a dedicated group of volunteers who are working to find efficient, creative and cost-effective ways to increase and improve access to health care for all Illinois children," said Ms. Rosso.

Ms. Rosso currently is an adjunct professor teaching trial advocacy at Northwestern University School of Law in Chicago. Prior to joining Northwestern University in 2006, she worked in the Illinois Attorney General's Office as Chief of the Charitable Trusts and Solicitation Bureau for five years and also as Chief of the Consumer Protection Bureau, Antitrust Bureau and Public Interest Division.

An active member in her community, Ms. Rosso has been involved with numerous charitable causes. She has served as president for the Chicago Hearing Society's board of directors, the National Association of State Charity Officials and the Benvenuto Club of Milan. She also has been active with the Chicago Bar Association, the Illinois State Bar Association, the Goodman Theatre and Alliance Francaise.

Ms. Rosso earned her bachelor's degree from Pitzer College in 1969. She received her juris doctorate from Northwestern University School of Law in 1972.

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 \$25 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.

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