FCC Connected Care Proposal OCHIN Statement

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Portland, OR (June 28, 2019) – Today OCHIN expressed support for Commissioner Carr’s and the Federal Communications Commission’s efforts to adopt the “Promoting Telehealth for Low-Income Consumers” Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM).

Jennifer Stoll, Executive Vice President of Government Relations and Public Affairs for OCHIN, made the following statement in support:

“Virtual care delivered through innovative telehealth solutions is critical for resolving health care scarcity in geographically isolated and underserved areas. OCHIN is highly supportive of the FCC’s Connected Care Proposal and their efforts to expand and innovate in telehealth services to these communities to improve health, welfare, and care delivery. We look forward to supporting the FCC’s pilot program to ensure the nation’s underserved and vulnerable communities receive the care they need, regardless of their location or the resources in their area by utilizing telehealth and virtual care.”

About OCHIN:

Portland, Oregon-based nonprofit OCHIN is one of the largest and most successful health information and innovation networks, serving over 500 organizations comprised of more than 10,000 clinicians across the nation with solutions that improve the integration and delivery of health care services. Learn more at www.ochin.org.