

## **Independent Living Systems Launches Florida Complete Care for Medicare Patients with Special Needs**

MIAMI, FL — Independent Living Systems, a national health care services company, has successfully launched Florida Complete Care, a Medicare Advantage plan with prescription drug coverage. More than 300 members in 15 Florida counties chose Florida Complete Care during the plan's first open enrollment period.

Florida Complete Care is a specialized Medicare plan for people who live in nursing homes, assisted living facilities, or at home with complex health issues that require more coordinated and comprehensive care. To meet these special needs, Florida Complete Care is authorized to offer extra benefits and services. Members receive these services in accordance with their individualized plan of care.

"Florida Complete Care is a unique plan designed for people with complicated health conditions. Our approach is based on an active partnership with clinical and support service providers. Together, we solve problems associated with a complicated and fragmented system of care. Our combination of comprehensive coverage and case management enables our members to achieve their optimal level of health," said Nestor Plana, CEO of Independent Living Systems.

Abby Riddle, President of Florida Complete Care added, "Florida Complete Care is off to a good start — we look forward to meeting the needs of our members."

### **About Independent Living Systems:**

Independent Living Systems ("ILS") is a Florida-based company providing long term care services and supports ("LTSS"). ILS specializes in serving elders and others with complicated health needs. ILS' services include managed long-term care, clinical and nutritional services, administrative support functions, and technology platforms for care management. ILS owns and operates Florida Community Care, Florida's only statewide Medicaid long-term care provider service network, as well as Florida Complete Care, a Medicare Advantage plan with prescription drug coverage. For more information, visit [www.ilshealth.com](http://www.ilshealth.com).

### **About Florida Complete Care:**

Florida Complete Care ("FC2") is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Independent Living Systems. Licensed in Florida as a provider service network operating as an HMO, FC2 is authorized by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services to offer coverage as a Medicare special needs plan for beneficiaries who need an institutional level of care in Alachua, Brevard, Broward, Duval, Hillsborough, Lee, Miami-Dade, Palm Beach, Pasco, Pinellas, Polk, Orange, Osceola, Seminole, and Volusia Counties. For more information, visit [www.fc2healthplan.com](http://www.fc2healthplan.com).