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LogistiCare Foundation Awards \$15,000 Transportation Grant to Memorial Foundation

Mobile Health Center will break down barriers to accessing health care by traveling directly into impoverished communities

ATLANTA -- The LogistiCare Foundation Inc. is proud to announce that it has awarded a \$15,000 grant to Memorial Foundation of south Broward County(Fla.) in support of its Memorial Mobile Health Center.

The Memorial Mobile Health Center will travel into impoverished communities in southern Broward County where there are high numbers of uninsured and underserved people. The Mobile Health Center will provide primary and preventive care to individuals who need it most.

"The Mobile Health Center is an innovative approach to addressing the cultural and transportation barriers that this population faces," said Chanda Forsythe, program director for The LogistiCare Foundation. "Access to proper health care can be a big problem, but the Mobile Health Center will take care directly to where it is most needed."

"We are thankful that The LogistiCare Foundation recognized the value and importance of our Mobile Health Center," said Lynn Croneberger Marks, CFRE executive director of the Memorial Foundation. "This gift will help provide preventive and primary care to more than 1,500 lives in south Broward County. By traveling directly into the communities, the Mobile Health Center is an efficient way to provide needed medical service to a wide segment of the population that needs care."

The Mobile Health Center is a handicapped-accessible, 37-foot vehicle featuring two exam rooms, a laboratory, restroom and workstation. It will rotate visits each month between 15 community partner sites (churches, parks, shopping plazas, community sites and apartment complexes) and will visit 10 local health fairs and special events throughout the year.

Local LogistiCare employees will be offered volunteer opportunities to work with the Memorial Mobile Health Center.

For more information about this program or general grant submission and funding guidelines for The LogistiCare Foundation, please contact Ms. Forsythe at 770.994.4608.

About The LogistiCare Foundation

The LogistiCare Foundation was established in 2004 and is based out of Atlanta. It is recognized as a private charitable foundation under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. As a private foundation, the mission of the LogistiCare Foundation is to increase access to transportation for senior citizens, persons with disabilities and persons living in poverty. LogistiCare is the nation's leading provider of specialized transportation network management. For more information, visit www.logisticare.com.

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About Memorial Foundation

The Memorial Foundation was established in 1981 to provide philanthropic support that supplements the income from payors and tax revenues received by the Memorial Healthcare System. Donations to the Memorial Foundation and the Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital Foundation help fund vital services that make a world of difference. The non-profit Foundations are dedicated to supporting healthcare for the adults and children served by Memorial Healthcare System. Contributions allow Memorial Healthcare System to achieve a measure of excellence in care not possible through public funding alone.

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