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CMAP Announces Wider Access to a Range of Free Prescription Medications

Alexandria, LA, March 10, 2008--- CMAP, a nonprofit medication assistance program funded by The Rapides Foundation and Department of Health and Hospitals under the Bureau of Rural Health and Primary Care, are expanding the service area in which the program operates. Now lower income uninsured individuals will have access to a wide range of free prescription medications available from donations of medicine from Abbott, Merck, Novartis, Tap and Astra Zeneca Pharmaceutical Corporations.

CMAP's mission to provide medications to the uninsured is made easier now through the donation of medicines from those drug manufacturers. CMAP offers a wide range of drugs that cover most therapeutic drug classes.

“Unfortunately we have a lot of people in Louisiana that are uninsured and with the rising cost of health insurance that rate will only continue to grow. CMAP is an efficient way to help people get the necessary medications that are needed to treat and control their medical conditions,” said Wendy Roy, CMAP Program Director. “We hope that by providing our clients with needed medications they will have a better quality of life with fewer emergency room visits and hospitalizations.”

If you or someone you know needs help with their prescription medications, all you need to do is call 1.888.443.7494. CMAP's staff will screen you over the phone to determine eligibility. If eligible an application form must be completed and returned along with the proper financial documentation. Once eligible no other forms will need to be completed. CMAP will work with you and your physician to fill your necessary prescriptions. This program along with your medications will be provided for FREE, so call us now for help.

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