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## **NABIP Congratulates Robert F. Kennedy Jr. on Appointment as HHS Secretary**

The National Association of Benefits and Insurance Professionals (NABIP) congratulates Robert F. Kennedy Jr. on his appointment as Secretary of Health and Human Services (HHS). As the nation's leading association representing health insurance professionals, we recognize the critical role HHS plays in shaping policies that impact Americans' access to healthcare coverage.

"NABIP members serve as trusted advisors to millions of Americans, helping them navigate the complexities of health insurance - the gateway to quality healthcare and better health outcomes," said NABIP CEO Jessica Brooks-Woods. "We welcome Secretary Kennedy's leadership and his commitment to addressing health status and chronic disease, shifting the focus from simply providing coverage to ensuring that healthcare drives meaningful, lasting improvements in people's lives.

"We stand ready to collaborate with Secretary Kennedy and his team to reinforce the vital role of licensed benefits professionals in helping consumers make informed healthcare decisions and secure the best coverage options. By championing transparency and advocating for policies that expand choice and affordability, we work to strengthen healthcare access and improve overall well-being for all Americans."

As part of our commitment to healthcare advocacy, NABIP's [Healthcare Bill of Rights](#) emphasizes the need for strong consumer protections, a stable marketplace, and expert guidance in selecting and maintaining coverage. We urge policymakers and stakeholders to uphold these core principles to ensure a fair, sustainable, and accessible healthcare system for all.

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