

## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

For more information, please contact: Dr. Amie Shei President & CEO The Health Foundation of Central Massachusetts (508) 438-0009 <ashei@hfcm.org>

## THE HEALTH FOUNDATION ANNOUNCES NEW VICE PRESIDENT FOR PROGRAMS

**Worcester, MA** – The Health Foundation of Central Massachusetts is pleased to announce Kathleen J.S. Mills, PhD, LICSW as Vice President for Programs. Dr. Mills will be responsible for assisting in the development and implementation of the Foundation's strategic grantmaking agenda as set by the Board, including management of the grant portfolio and budgets, directing outreach activities, facilitating the application process, monitoring the grant evaluation process, and assisting in evaluating the Foundation's impact. She will also advise and support grantees' evaluation, advocacy, and lobbying efforts.

The Foundation was established in 1999 with the proceeds from the sale of Central Massachusetts Health Care, Inc., a physician-initiated, not-for-profit HMO. The Foundation currently has assets of approximately \$90 million and has awarded grants totaling over \$50 million since it began its grantmaking in 2000. For further information about the Foundation's grant programs, please visit The Health Foundation's website at www.hfcm.org or call (508) 438-0009.

Attached: photo of Mills

-end-