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Left to Right: Ron Kemp of the Community Health Centers of Southeastern Iowa; Penny Vacek of Senator Grassley’s Office; Alison Hart of Senator Harkin’s office; Suzanne Heckenlaible of the Delta Dental of Iowa Foundation; Ted Boesen of the Iowa/Nebraska Primary Health Association (IA/NEPCA); and Jared Hershberger of Congressman Loebsack’s office are part of a check presentation from the Delta Dental of Iowa Foundation for the dental clinic expansion of the CHC/SEIA Louisa County Clinic.

DELTA DENTAL OF IOWA FOUNDATION GRANTS \$50,000 TO COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTERS OF SOUTHEASTERN IOWA FOR DENTAL CLINIC

Johnston, IA (August 5, 2010) – The Delta Dental of Iowa Foundation has awarded \$50,000 to the Community Health Centers of Southeastern Iowa, Inc. (CHC/SEIA) Louisa County Clinic in Columbus City, Iowa. The funding will provide new equipment for the Louisa County facility’s expanded dental clinic.

“Delta Dental is pleased to support CHC/SEIA in its mission to treat the oral health needs of underserved patients,” said Donn Hutchins, president of the Delta Dental of Iowa Foundation. “The expanded dental clinic will have a positive long-term impact by improving access to care and serving as a dental home for hundreds of Iowans.”

The Community Health Centers of Southeastern Iowa, Inc. (CHC/SEIA) Louisa County Clinic recently opened its doors to a new 8,000+ square foot healthcare facility. The newly constructed facility will provide medical, dental and behavioral health services for patients in the Louisa County area. CHC/SEIA is one of 14 CHC organizations in Iowa and 1,200 nationwide.

Delta Dental of Iowa is the largest and most experienced provider of dental benefits in the state. As a not-for-profit, Delta Dental of Iowa invests in oral health projects through the Delta Dental of Iowa Foundation that focus on access to care, prevention, education and research. The Iowa company is a member of the Delta Dental Plans Association, a national organization of not-for-profit Delta Dental plans. The national association is the largest dental benefits carrier in the nation providing coverage to 54 million people in more than 93,600 employer groups.

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