FCC PROVIDER ALERT; HEPATITIS A PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY

In August of 2019, the Florida Department of Health declared a public health emergency resulting from the increase in Hepatitis A cases in Florida.

Facts about the Hepatitis Outbreak:

Total Number of Hepatitis A case From January 1, 2018 – August 31, 2019

Critically High Risk impacted counties in Florida are: Brevard, Citrus, Glades, Hernando, Hillsborough, Lake, Liberty, Manatee, Marion, Martin, Okeechobee, Orange, Pasco, Pinellas, Sumter, Taylor, and Volusia.

Florida Community Care (FCC) is calling on providers to talk to members about the Hepatitis A outbreak and assist them with getting the vaccine. They can call 1-833-FCC-PLAN to get vaccine information.