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### **NEW PARTNERSHIP WITH CIGNA AND LAKEVIEW HEALTH**

A leading insurance provider and Center of Excellence and join forces to tackle substance abuse.

Jacksonville , FL, February 5, 2021— Lakeview Health has announced that effective, February 1, 2021 the company is now in – network with Cigna Health, one of the country’s largest insurance providers. This new partnership allows people in- network with Cigna insurance to receive the best- in – class- services provided by Lakeview Health for residential addiction treatment.

“Our team is grateful for this opportunity to reach more patients, particularly at a time when the current pandemic environment has driven patients to peak levels of anxiety, depression, and excessive alcohol and drug use,” explains Chief Medical Officer, Dr. Lantie Jorandby. “Our hope is that this new partnership with Cigna will allow us to help more individuals who may be struggling with the effects of isolation and addiction.”

Cigna is a worldwide provider that supports consumers with substance abuse issues by collaborating with leading treatment centers. “We are honored to partner with an industry leader committed to working with evidence- based residential treatment programs and making Lakeview Health accessible to their network”, said Jim Evanger, CEO and President of Lakeview Health.

The Lakeview Health intake team and the physician - led Utilization Review department, communicate directly with patient insurance companies to handle benefits, simplify the admissions process, and even advocate for residential services. The team also assists with aftercare with referring providers when needed, so the patient and their families can focus on the recovery journey.

For more information on Lakeview Health, visit [lakeviewhealth.com](http://lakeviewhealth.com).

### **About:**

Lakeview Health is a Center of Excellence in residential addiction treatment, specializing in patients with dual diagnosis disorders and high medical acuity. Our physician-led multidisciplinary team provides individualized, evidence- based approaches to treating addiction, a complex brain disease marked by periods of remission and relapse. Lakeview programs address all aspects of healing to empower patients to move successfully towards a life of recovery. To learn more, visit [www.LakeviewHealth.com](http://www.LakeviewHealth.com).

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