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Washington, D.C. – The following is a statement from Angela Ostrom, Executive Director of the Coalition for Health Funding, on the release of new edition of a CHF public health fact sheet:

The Coalition for Health Funding issues a new edition of our "[Health Security IS National Security](#)" fact sheet.

It is clear that health security and national security are linked as our nation cannot work, or respond to any crisis if the health of our citizens, communities, and health system infrastructures are neglected. The Coalition for Health Funding provides this resource to policy leaders, the media, and our members to build awareness for public health funding.

We are celebrating 50 years as the nation's leading nonprofit alliance working to preserve public health investments in the interest of all Americans. Our 91 member organizations together represent more than 100 million patients and consumers, health providers, professionals, and researchers; we are joined in advocacy and education for public health funding.

Coalition for Health Funding members, their leaders, staff and experts stand ready to respond and help with data, research, and perspectives from the frontlines of providing programs, service, and research. We welcome questions, and requests for connections to our leaders nationally and across states and local communities.

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