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**Statement from Lora Pellegrini, President and CEO of the MA Association of Health Plans
On EOHHS Secretary Marylou Sudders' Retirement**

On behalf of the Massachusetts Association of Health Plans and our Board of Directors, we extend our most sincere and heartfelt appreciation to Secretary Marylou Sudders for her eight years of service to the Commonwealth. Throughout some of the most challenging times faced by Massachusetts residents, Secretary Sudders led EOHHS with compassion and determination. From her role as leader of the COVID-19 Response Command Center, to her vision in building and implementing the EOHHS Behavioral Health Roadmap, to her work to cultivate an innovative and comprehensive Medicaid program, she leaves a legacy of contributions that have transformed the Commonwealth's healthcare landscape.

We thank her for all her contributions and wish her success in her retirement.

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