



STATE OF TENNESSEE
PROCLAMATION
BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, case management is a multidisciplinary profession that seeks to assure the delivery of quality, appropriate, and cost-effective healthcare services to patients throughout the State of Tennessee; and

WHEREAS, case managers are healthcare professionals who serve as patient advocates to support, guide and coordinate care for patients, families and caregivers as they navigate their health and wellness journeys; and

WHEREAS, case managers function in a variety of practice settings including hospitals, home healthcare, long-term care, rehabilitation facilities, eldercare, managed care, occupational health and primary care to facilitate timely and efficient coordination of care through each transition of healthcare services; and

WHEREAS, case management is the primary medical management strategy that fosters the careful shepherding of healthcare dollars while maintaining a primary and consistent focus on patient advocacy; and

WHEREAS, case management interventions and services enhance quality of life while advancing the achievement of positive healthcare outcomes; and

WHEREAS, case management is an integral component of healthcare delivery in Tennessee and throughout the United States;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bill Lee, Governor of the State of Tennessee, do hereby proclaim October 13-19, 2024 as

Case Management Week

in Tennessee and encourage all citizens to join me in this worthy observance.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the official seal of the State of Tennessee to be affixed at Nashville on this fifth day of September 2024.

Bill Lee

Governor

Lee Hargett

Secretary of State