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## INTRODUCING FIGURE 1: A GLOBAL PLATFORM FOR MEDICAL MINDS

BALTIMORE, March 28, 2022 — Today **MedChi**, The Maryland State Medical Society, is pleased to announce a collaboration with <u>Figure 1</u>, a global platform for "medical minds" that allows for open discussion of patient cases and knowledge sharing.

Figure 1's mission is to democratize medical knowledge and in so doing, improve patient outcomes. To date, Figure 1's global community of over 3 million members has contributed more than 100,000 real-world cases and over 1.5 million comments discussing everything from rare conditions to specific strategies for patient care.

Thanks to this collaboration, MedChi members will receive full access to Figure 1's platform and join an online group built exclusively for our use. Participation in this group affords association members a safe and convenient way to access educational materials and alerts, share information with colleagues statewide, and receive the latest communications from MedChi.

In addition, MedChi members will have full access to Figure 1's accredited CME Center, a hub offering learning "*on demand*" for complimentary CME credits – when available. Members can also test their knowledge via Figure 1's interactive content.

Figure 1 allows MedChi's members to:

- Have safe and meaningful communication with other verified healthcare professionals across the state on a safe and secure platform
- Contribute their knowledge to mentor doctors within Maryland and around the world
- Improve the quality of care for their patients through collaboration and informationsharing
- Meet and engage with their peers to develop community and camaraderie
- Acquire CME credits through unique and engaging activities
- Access these resources on-demand, via a mobile app on iOS or Android, or via the web

## About MedChi

MedChi, The Maryland State Medical Society, is a non-profit membership association of Maryland physicians. It is the largest physician organization in Maryland. The mission of MedChi is to serve as Maryland's foremost advocate and resource for physicians, their patients and the public health of Maryland. For more information, please visit <u>www.medchi.org</u>.

## About Figure 1

Figure 1 is the world's leading platform for medical case-based knowledge sharing and collaboration. With over 3 million registered members in 190 countries worldwide, the platform allows healthcare professionals of all kinds — from medical students to physicians, nurse practitioners, physician assistants, etc. — to safely and securely collaborate on cases to lower costs and improve patient outcomes. For more information, please visit <u>www.figure1.com</u> or contact <u>communications@figure1.com</u>.