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NAACP MEMPHIS BRANCH TO HOLD HEALTHCARE DISCUSSION

Committee Brings Platform to Address Health Concerns of the Greater Memphis Area

(September 5, 2017– Memphis, TENN) – The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People Memphis Branch (NAACP) will host a Healthcare Platform on **Saturday, September 9, 2017 at the National Civil Rights Museum (450 Mulberry Street) from 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.** to address issues around healthcare for Memphians and those who live in the greater Memphis area. Speakers for the event will include Tennessee Legislative Nurse Cherie Allen (RN, CFN), Dr. Clarence Davis, Dr. Rodric Miller, Dr. Yvonne Osborne, and Dr. Cleotis Weaver.

“There are so many questions in the community about healthcare, insurance and the impact of the current social climate on adequate healthcare options,” said NAACP Memphis Branch Health Committee Chair, Coleman Thompson. “With this platform, we are attempting to reach out to the community and provide valuable information and insight to many who would not have it otherwise.”

Light refreshments will be served and all are invited to attend.

For more information on how to purchase tickets, please contact the Memphis Branch office at 901-521-1343.

About the NAACP Memphis Branch:

The National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) is the nation’s oldest civil rights organization, and the Memphis Branch NAACP is the largest branch of the organization in the United States. The mission of the NAACP is to ensure the political, educational, social, and economic equality of rights of all persons and to eliminate race-based discrimination. During the entire year of 2017, the Memphis Branch NAACP is celebrating 100 years of service to the community.

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