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## **ACHC and Home Care & Hospice Association of New Jersey Share Commitment to Patient Care**

**Cary, NC-** Accreditation Commission for Health Care (ACHC) announces its partnership with the Home Care & Hospice Association of New Jersey (HCHANJ), a nonprofit organization that represents and advocates for New Jersey home care and hospice agencies.

“Partnering with the Home Care & Hospice Association of New Jersey allows us to work toward mutual goals of supporting providers and advancing improvements in patient care and safety,” said Susan Mills, ACHC Associate Clinical Director. “At ACHC, we focus on delivering a cost-effective, customized accreditation experience and offer assistance throughout the process. With the recent accreditation mandate in New Jersey, our experienced staff is prepared to help agencies meet their individual needs.”

“I think about our relationship with ACHC, and it’s really about two organizations with a common goal,” said Nancy Fitterer, M.A., President & CEO of Home Care & Hospice Association of NJ. “It is about advocacy and education to ensure providers have the tools they need to provide the highest level of patient care. That’s why it makes perfect sense to me.”

HCHCNJ members can now receive special pricing on ACHC Accreditation services for home health, hospice, home infusion therapy, and private duty programs, as well as discounts on ACHCU resources that can help healthcare providers prepare for ACHC Accreditation and stay informed of industry changes through educational webinars and workshops.

Founded in 1973 by a group of New Jersey home health agencies, the Home Care & Hospice Association of New Jersey works to inform, educate, and advocate for home care and hospice providers and the patients and families they serve throughout the state. The association supports its members in delivering comprehensive care that adheres to regulatory and quality standards while helping providers manage sound businesses. For more information, visit [www.homecarenj.org/](http://www.homecarenj.org/).

As a nationally recognized accreditor, ACHC offers a broad suite of home care accreditation options, and has CMS deeming authority for Home Health, Hospice, Home Infusion Therapy, Renal Dialysis, and DMEPOS.

ACHC has over 30 years of experience promoting safe, quality patient care and is known for providing value, integrity, and the industry’s best customer service. We develop solutions for healthcare providers nationwide and remain committed to offering you a customized, collaborative accreditation experience. To learn more, email [customerservice@achc.org](mailto:customerservice@achc.org) or call (855) 937-2242.

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