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ACHC and OCHCH Renew Support of Home Care Providers

Cary, NC – Accreditation Commission for Health Care (ACHC) announces the renewal of its partnership with Ohio Council for Home Care & Hospice (OCHCH), a nonprofit association that represents the interests of Ohio home care and hospice agencies. Founded in 1965, OCHCH promotes industry advancements through advocacy, education, and regulatory support for providers.

"OCHCH and ACHC are committed to ensuring everyone has access to the highest quality care," said Susan Mills, ACHC Associate Clinical Director. "Our partnership allows OCHCH members to demonstrate their dedication to enhancing quality of care and patient safety by achieving and maintaining accreditation. This is especially important as regulatory and payor requirements continue to evolve."

The partnership renewal allows OCHCH and ACHC to continue working together to deliver the best resources to Ohio home care and hospice agencies, organizations, and individual professionals. OCHCH members are eligible for special pricing on ACHC Accreditation for home health, hospice, private duty, and home infusion therapy services, as well as discounts on educational workshops and workbooks that can help them prepare for accreditation.

As a leading industry advocate, OCHCH works to ensure patients receive the highest level of care and are treated with dignity and respect. The association started with a small group of home care agencies and has grown into the voice of health care at home in Ohio. OCHCH provides value, resources, and partnership for providers and strives to advance industry standards by advocating for ethical, compassionate, and quality home and community-based care. Members receive access to a wealth of educational resources and expert advice on regulatory and procedural concerns. For more information, visit <u>ochch.org</u>.

Accreditation leader ACHC is a nonprofit with 35 years of experience promoting safe, quality patient care. ACHC develops solutions trusted by healthcare providers nationwide and is committed to offering exceptional, personalized service, and a customized, collaborative accreditation experience tailored to individual needs. ACHC focuses on giving providers a positive, educational experience that continually enhances quality of care and business efficiencies. As a national accreditor, ACHC has CMS deeming authority for home health, hospice, home infusion therapy, renal dialysis, and DMEPOS services.

Learn more about accreditation options from ACHC. For information on programs and accreditation pricing, please visit <u>achc.org</u>, email customerservice@achc.org, or call (855) 937-2242, ext. 457.