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ACHC and Pennsylvania Homecare Association Renew Partnership

Cary, NC- Accreditation Commission for Health Care (ACHC) announces the renewal of its partnership with Pennsylvania Homecare Association (PHA), a state trade association representing nearly 700 organizations that provide care and support to patients in their homes.

"ACHC and PHA share a commitment to advocating for patients and consumers alike," said Ryan Ragan, ACHC Business Development Manager. "The continuation of our partnership allows PHA members to demonstrate their dedication to enhancing patient care and safety by achieving and maintaining compliance."

The partnership with ACHC also allows PHA members to continue to receive special pricing on ACHC Accreditation services for home health, hospice, and private duty programs, as well as discounts on ACHCU educational resources that help healthcare providers prepare for ACHC Accreditation.

"We are proud to work with ACHC and look forward to our continued partnership," said PHA CEO Teri Henning, Esq. "We know that our members provide the highest-quality care to Pennsylvanians in their homes. The accreditation process enables our providers to solidify their commitment to quality by demonstrating their ability to meet regulatory requirements and standards established by a recognized accreditation organization."

PHA members provide medical and personal care; physical, speech, or occupational therapy; and end-of-life care for patients with terminal illnesses. PHA is a one-stop resource for home care needs. With a member-centered focus, the association champions efforts that range from advocating on behalf of patients and consumers to interpreting and developing regulations and legislation and exploring healthcare needs and business strategies. For more information, visit http://www.pahomecare.org.

ACHC offers a broad suite of home health, hospice, and private duty compliance solutions, including accreditation programs for Home Health Aide, Medical Social Services, Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, Skilled Nursing, Speech Therapy, Hospice Care, Hospice Inpatient Care, Private Duty Nursing, Private Duty Aide, and Private Duty Companion/Homemaker services.

Founded in 1986, ACHC is a nonprofit accreditation organization that has long stood as a symbol of quality and excellence. The organization has CMS deeming authority for Home Health, Hospice, Renal Dialysis, and DMEPOS, in addition to a Quality Management System that is certified to ISO 9001:2015. ACHC is the provider's choice for accreditation because of its personal Account Advisors, relevant and realistic standards, competitive pricing, and a friendly, educational approach to accreditation. Accreditation by ACHC reflects an organization's dedication and commitment to meeting standards that facilitate a higher level of performance and patient care.

For more information on ACHC Accreditation programs, or to download ACHC Accreditation Standards, please visit http://www.achc.org, email customerservice@achc.org, or call (855) 937-2242.

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