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## ACHC and HCA of New York State Renew Support of Home Care Providers

Cary, NC – Accreditation Commission for Health Care (ACHC) announces the renewal of its partnership with Home Care Association of New York State, a premiere nonprofit association in New York that promotes home care as an integral part of the health care system. Founded in 1978, HCA of NY promotes industry advancements through advocacy, education, and regulatory support for providers.

"HCA of New York State and ACHC are committed to improving access to the highest-quality care and ensuring providers are supported in all facets," said Susan Mills, ACHC Senior Program Director. "Our partnership allows HCA members to continue 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 during these tumultuous times."

The partnership renewal allows HCA and ACHC to continue working together to deliver the best resources to New York state home care agencies, organizations, and individual professionals. HCA of New York 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, HCA of New York State works to ensure patients receive the highest level of care and are treated with dignity and respect. The association supports hundreds of agencies in advocating for its members with lawmakers in Albany and Washington. HCA provides value, resources, and partnership for providers and strives to advance industry standards by promoting ethical, compassionate, and high-quality home-based care. Members receive access to a range of education and expert advice on regulatory and procedural concerns. For more information, visit <a href="https://hca-nys.org/">https://hca-nys.org/</a>.

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 as well as laboratory, hospitals, and ambulatory surgery centers.

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