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# ACHC and McKesson Renew Collaboration to Support Pharmacies

**CARY, N.C.** – Leading accreditor Accreditation Commission for Health Care (ACHC) announced today it is renewing its strategic alliance with McKesson, a leading provider of diversified healthcare services.

"Our renewed collaboration with McKesson reinforces our mutual dedication to helping pharmacies strengthen operations, enhance care quality, and improve patient outcomes," said Jeffrey Reses, RPH, HDDP, ACHC Senior Pharmacy Clinical Liaison. "Accreditation goes beyond confirming quality—it also reinforces trust among patients, payors, and referral sources. Together with McKesson, we're equipping pharmacies to deliver safe, exceptional care and services."

"The McKesson MID Team is proud to serve as a strategic partner to ACHC, supporting our customers in meeting the highest standards of accreditation and compliance," said Teri Swepston, McKesson VP, Medically Integrated Dispensing. "Through this collaboration, our clients gain access to expert guidance from our certified ACHC Accreditation Coaches—each a member of our dedicated MID Payer Specialists Team. Acting as educational liaisons between ACHC and medical practices, they provide personalized support throughout the accreditation, reaccreditation, and compliance processes.

"This hands-on approach not only helps practices achieve and maintain accreditation but also reinforces their commitment to excellence," Swepston continued. "More than a credential, accreditation reflects a dedication to quality care and improved patient outcomes—values we are honored to help our partners uphold."

The continued collaboration gives McKesson clients special pricing on ACHC Pharmacy Accreditation, including Specialty Pharmacy, PCAB Compounding Pharmacy, and Community Retail. Discounts on select ACHCU educational resources are also available.

#### **About McKesson**

McKesson is a global healthcare company delivering pharmaceuticals, medical supplies, and technology solutions to improve patient care. Through its Medically Integrated Dispensary (MID) program, McKesson empowers physician practices to dispense specialty medications directly to patients. This integrated model enhances treatment adherence, streamlines operations, and boosts financial performance. Supporting over 2,000 clinicians nationwide, McKesson MID provides end-to-end services—from medication sourcing to analytics—helping practices deliver efficient, patient-centered care.

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## **About ACHC**

ACHC, the nation's top accreditor for specialty, infusion, and compounding pharmacy services, offers a comprehensive suite of pharmacy accreditation and distinction options, including Ambulatory Infusion Center, Infusion, Specialty, and Mail Order Pharmacy Accreditation and PCAB Accreditation for sterile and non-sterile compounding.

With over 35 years of experience, ACHC has a history of driving success with industry-leading programs. ACHC develops solutions for healthcare providers worldwide and remains committed to delivering a customized, collaborative accreditation experience.

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