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ACHC Renews Strategic Partnership with American College of Apothecaries

CARY, N.C. – Leading accreditor Accreditation Commission for Health Care (ACHC) announced today it is renewing its strategic partnership with American College of Apothecaries (ACA), a trusted leader in empowering pharmacy professionals to provide exceptional patient care in thriving community practices.

“Community and compounding pharmacists play a critical role in delivering personalized patient care,” said Caroline Girardeau, ACHC Program Director. “ACA has long been a champion for the profession, supporting pharmacists through education, innovation, and advocacy. Renewing this partnership is a testament to our shared commitment to supporting organizations that prioritize quality, safety, and continuous improvement.”

“With the current landscape of the profession of pharmacy, it is extremely important for ACA to continue delivering quality and value programs, along with best professional and business practices to the providers of community pharmacy,” said Nick Smock, RPh, FACA, ACA Chairman. “The partnership between ACHC and ACA is vital to the health, well-being, and profitability for the community pharmacists.”

This collaboration gives ACA members special pricing on ACHC Pharmacy Accreditation, including PCAB and Community Retail (DMEPOS). Discounts on select ACHCU educational resources are also available.

ACHC-accredited providers are also eligible for a 20% discount on ACA membership and compounding training courses, providing additional opportunities to expand professional expertise and strengthen pharmacy operations.

About American College of Apothecaries

The American College of Apothecaries (ACA) is a nonprofit association supporting independent, community, and compounding pharmacy professionals. Since 1940, ACA has advanced clinical excellence and innovation through education, advocacy, and Fellowship. We empower pharmacists to expand their roles in patient care, medication management, and emerging specialties.

Learn more at <https://acainfo.org/>

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

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Infusion Center/Suite, 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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