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ACHC and Thermal Shipping Solutions Partner to Support Safe Cold Chain Shipping

CARY, N.C. – Leading accreditor Accreditation Commission for Health Care (ACHC) announced today a new partnership with Thermal Shipping Solutions (TSS), a leading provider of sustainable cold chain solutions.

“Cold chain performance is a critical part of protecting product integrity from the pharmacy to the patient,” said Caroline Girardeau, PharmD, ACHC Program Director. “Pharmacies need packaging solutions that are supported by sound testing, reliable data, and processes they can execute consistently. This partnership helps connect pharmacies with additional technical expertise and resources to help them strengthen those systems and support the safe delivery of temperature-sensitive medications.”

“Temperature-sensitive medications require more than a box and an ice pack. They require confidence that the right solution has been selected, properly qualified and consistently executed,” said Max Cardinale, CEO, Thermal Shipping Solutions. “By combining ACHC’s expertise in healthcare accreditation with TSS’s expertise in engineering cold chain packaging and performance qualification, we can help healthcare organizations build cold chain programs that are operationally practical, scientifically defensible and designed to protect critical therapies throughout distribution.”

Through this collaboration, TSS clients receive special discounts on select ACHC Pharmacy Accreditation services and ACHCU educational resources, supporting their efforts to achieve and maintain compliance while advancing operational excellence.

Pharmacies currently accredited by ACHC are also eligible to receive a 50% discount on testing services subject to the purchase of TSS products qualified by those testing services.

About Thermal Shipping Solutions

Thermal Shipping Solutions (TSS) provides cold chain packaging solutions designed to protect temperature-sensitive pharmaceuticals and medications throughout distribution. From insulated box liners and thermal mailers to pre-qualified shipping solutions, TSS combines proven packaging technologies with in-house thermal testing, cold chain expertise and scalable solutions. TSS helps pharmacies and healthcare organizations maintain product integrity, improve shipping performance and confidently deliver critical therapies to patients.

Learn more at https://www.thermalshipping.com/

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/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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