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THE ILLINOIS ASSOCIATION OF LONG TERM CARE PHARMACY PROVIDERS ANNOUNCES ITS FORMATION AND ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Springfield, IL – November 2, 2014 – The Illinois Association of Long Term Care Pharmacy Providers (IALTCPP) formally announces its formation as a not-for-profit organization and the election of its first group of officers. The founding member pharmacies of the organization are: Forum Extended Care Services, Green Tree Pharmacy, Omnicare Pharmacies of Illinois, Oregon Healthcare Pharmacy Services, Pharmerica Bensenville, Pharmore Drugs, Symbia Rx Services, United RX, Uvanta Pharmacies of Illinois, and Williams Bros. Healthcare Pharmacy.

The newly elected officers of the organization are: Brian Kramer, President; John Stoecklin, Vice President; Pete Toke, Secretary; and Bob Barnato, Treasurer. Board members include: Avi Goldfeder, CC Williams, John Arreola, Dave Wegman, Mark Mongan, Jay Mandra, and Michael Milcarek.

The organization is looking to grow in general membership as well as by adding associate members.

About Illinois Association of Long Term Care Pharmacy Providers

The organization's common business interest is to establish and maintain the stability of the long term care pharmacy industry in the state of Illinois, with the following goals:

1. To promote fair and equitable regulatory oversight and reimbursement for the long term care pharmacy industry;
2. To educate the general public on the usefulness of the industry;
3. To present the viewpoints of the industry to the public and other interested parties;
4. To represent the industry before governmental bodies and agencies; and
5. To serve the best interests of the long term care pharmacy provider industry.

Given the impact of continuing regulatory and reimbursement changes in our industry, achievement of these goals will help partner pharmacies in their commitment to ensuring that the best interests of our client base and their health care organizations are met.