McKesson Supports National Health Center Week 2020

RICHMOND, VA – McKesson Medical-Surgical, an affiliate of the McKesson Corporation, will be participating as a silver sponsor of National Association of Community Health Centers National Health Center Week 20 20 (NHCW 2020) August 09-15. The theme of NHCW 2020 is "Lighting the Way for Healthier Communities Today and in the Future."

As a strong supporter of the nation's community health centers, McKesson is sponsoring seven events across the U.S. McKesson will donate \$1,000 per event and coordinate with these centers to support their local events. In addition, McKesson is contributing 200 kits of giveaway items for community health centers to distribute within their health care centers, including lip balm, adhesive bandages and holders, ear/mask relievers, hand lotion, tissues and other personal products.

The seven McKesson-sponsored Community Health Center events for NHCW 2020 include Brockton Neighborhood Health Center in Brockton, MA; Health Point in Renton, WA; San Ysidro Health Center in San Ysidro, CA; HRHCare in Poughkeepsie, NY; Vista Community Clinic in Vista, CA; PrimaryOne Health in Columbus, OH.

"Our sponsorship targeted locations that helped raise awareness of the health centers in their communities and generated support of legislative action that aims to improve access to this vital point of care for more than 29 million people nationwide," said Chris Garnett, Vice President, Segment Marketing for McKesson Medical-Surgical.

About McKesson Medical-Surgical

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About National Health Center Week 2020

National Health Center Week has been celebrated for more than 30 years to recognize the services and contributions of Community, Migrant, Homeless and Public Housing Health Centers. While there are countless reasons to celebrate America's Health Centers, among the most important and unique is their long success in providing access to affordable, high quality, cost effective health care to medically vulnerable and underserved people through the United States. To learn more about National Health Center Week visit www.healthcenterweek.org and follow the #NHCW20 hashtag on Twitter. To learn more about the Community Health Center success story, visit www.nachc.org.

About National Association of Community Health Centers

The National Association of Community Health Centers (NACHC) was founded in 1971 to promote efficient, high quality, comprehensive health care that is accessible, culturally and linguistically competent, community directed, and patient centered for all. NACHC also works closely with chartered State and Regional Primary Care Associations (PCAs) to fulfill their shared health care mission and support the growth and development of community-based health center programs.

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