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Intercede Health partners with Kindred Hospital Richmond

Hospitalist Program model developed for Richmond, VA
Long Term Acute Care Hospital

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Intercede Health, a privately held medical management company and a leader in the field of Hospitalist medicine, today announced the signing of an agreement to provide a full service Hospitalist program for Kindred Hospital Richmond, a Long Term Acute Care (LTAC) Hospital in Richmond, VA. Kindred Hospital Richmond is part of Kindred Healthcare, Inc. Kindred is the largest operator of LTAC hospitals as ranked by revenues.

Founded in 1996, Intercede Health delivers clinical efficiency and real bottom line results for hospitals. Intercede's Hospitalist programs leverage the company's experience as one of the first Hospitalist companies in the United States, and incorporate innovative motivational techniques, computerized support tools, and rigorous, data driven processes.

The new Hospitalist program expands Intercede Health's presence in Richmond and marks Intercede Health's first LTAC partnership. "We are excited to be working with the country's largest long term acute care hospital company and we look forward to working together with Kindred in managing this unique patient population," notes company

founder Philip Sanger, MD. Intercede Health President and CEO, Gray Miller comments, "We are pleased that Kindred will participate in the application of our innovative inpatient management techniques for the benefit of their patients in Richmond."

About Intercede Health

Intercede Health (IH) provides physicians, hospitals and health plans with innovative tools and services designed to improve the quality, safety, and efficiency of patient care. Intercede Health offers Hospitalist services, consulting, chronic care outpatient clinics, inpatient utilization review and Order Optimizer™ software.

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About Kindred Hospital Richmond

Kindred Hospital Richmond offers a full range of services for patients whose medically complex conditions require specialized care and extended recovery time. For more information, go to www.kindredrichmond.com.