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VisionShare® Receives EHNAC Crystal Recognition Award at HIMSS 2010 Conference in Atlanta

Secure Exchange Platform receives recognition for its EHNAC accreditation status

MINNEAPOLIS, MN – March 1, 2010 – VisionShare, one of the nation’s largest and most secure health information exchanges for administrative and clinical transactions was recognized today with the EHNAC Crystal Recognition Award for achieving EHNAC accreditation.

The Electronic Healthcare Network Accreditation Commission (EHNAC) recognizes organizations for excellence in healthcare and compliance with industry-established standards and HIPAA regulations. In September 2009, VisionShare achieved full accreditation with EHNAC’s Healthcare Network Accreditation Program (HNAP) – Electronic Health Network (EHN), which recognizes excellence in health data processing and transactions.

“EHNAC represents a very high standard. For us, achieving accreditation was particularly gratifying as securing protected health information is core to everything we do”, said Steve Smerz, chief security officer of VisionShare. “Receiving this award at HIMSS – where the focus is largely around the future of health information exchange – just punctuates how critical security is to the success of healthcare reform initiatives.”

EHNAC evaluated VisionShare in the areas of privacy, security and confidentiality measures, technical performance, business practices and security resources. Through a thorough consultative review, EHNAC reviewed the company’s processes of managing and transferring protected health information and determined that VisionShare met or exceeded all EHNAC criteria and industry standards. Upon completion of this rigorous accreditation process, EHNAC found that VisionShare demonstrates adherence to a higher standard of quality, privacy and data management.

Since its inception, VisionShare has been recognized as a leader in secure, high-speed Internet-based information exchange within the healthcare industry. VisionShare Secure Exchange Platform has been setting the bar for secure healthcare information exchange, using military-grade encryption that is also CMS-approved, HIPAA-compliant, and CAQH CORE certified. Utilizing a security model currently being recommended as a standard for national reform, the VisionShare secure network already connects thousands of healthcare facilities across the nation.

At the HIMSS conference, VisionShare will be presenting four unique compliance demonstrations relevant to the new federal Meaningful Use requirements. Attendees will see

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how the company's Secure Exchange Platform can be immediately implemented for cross-enterprise health information exchange to include insurance eligibility checking, insurance claims submission, and for exchanging clinical information including diagnostic results and public health reports.

VisionShare will be at HIMSS booth #863. More information is also available at www.visionshareinc.com/HIMSS. Those interested in scheduling a private demonstration with VisionShare at the HIMSS conference may do so on the Web site or by calling 612.277.1421.

About VisionShare

VisionShare® Inc., Minneapolis, Minnesota, is an eHealth connectivity leader dedicated to creating, building and managing solutions for secure healthcare information exchange. VisionShare has cost-effective solutions for healthcare organizations of all sizes that enable safe, reliable, high-speed connections to multiple payers over the Internet.

The company's Secure Exchange Platform is setting new standards for secure healthcare information exchange, using military-grade encryption that is CMS approved, HIPAA compliant, EHNAC accredited and CAQH CORE certified. Today the VisionShare secure exchange national network connects thousands of healthcare facilities to Medicare Contractors, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid (CMS), many of the BlueCross-BlueShield plans, some Medicaid contractors and government agencies. Visit www.visionshareinc.com for more information.

About EHNAC

The Electronic Healthcare Network Accreditation Commission (EHNAC) is a voluntary, self-governing standards development organization established to develop standard criteria and accredit organizations that electronically exchange healthcare data. These entities include electronic health networks, payers, financial services firms and e-Prescribing and other solution providers.

EHNAC was founded in 1993 and is a tax-exempt 501(c)(6) nonprofit organization. Guided by peer evaluation, the EHNAC accreditation process promotes quality service, innovation, cooperation and open competition in healthcare. To learn more, visit www.ehnac.org or contact info@ehnac.org.

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