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Serving Millions Nationwide Centre for Neuro Skills® Announces New Partnerships with Coventry Healthcare, MultiPlan, and Texas Star Network®

Bakersfield, CA (March 14, 2008) - Centre for Neuro Skills® (CNS) today announced new partnerships with three leading healthcare management systems, affording millions of members nationwide access to rehabilitation services provided by CNS, the leading Center of Excellence for medical treatment, disease management and rehabilitation for those living with acquired brain injury.

COVENTRY HEALTHCARE

For quite some time, CNS has been fostering a relationship with First Health/Coventry Healthcare, resulting in the recent partnership. The new contract gives CNS exposure to the leading workers' compensation carriers across the nation, providing California members access to treatment at CNS. The First Health network is one of the nation's largest PPO networks, offering access to quality, affordable health care through its carriers and managed care plans.

Coventry Health Care is a diversified national managed healthcare company based in Bethesda, Maryland, operating health plans, insurance companies, network rental and workers' compensation services companies. Coventry provides a full range of risk and fee-based managed care products and services to a broad cross section of individuals, employer and government-funded groups, government agencies, and other insurance carriers and administrators.

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MULTIPLAN

CNS continues its longstanding relationship with the MultiPlan network by renewing the standing contract, which now includes the recently acquired Private Healthcare System (PHCS) and its nearly 5 million members.

MultiPlan is the nation's oldest and largest supplier of independent, network-based cost management solutions. MultiPlan provides an estimated 40 million consumers with access to more than one-half million healthcare providers through its primary PPO and complementary networks, PHCS Network and The Multiplan Network. The company processes more than 70 million claims each year.

TEXAS STAR NETWORK

The Texas Star Network[®] (TSN) is the largest comp carrier in Texas. TSN provides coverage for nearly 46,000 employers in Texas, covering more than 781,000 employees.

The Texas Star Network[®] was the first workers' compensation health care network certified by the Texas Department of Insurance and provides a stable, competitive source of workers' compensation insurance for Texas employers, acts as insurer of last resort, and helps to prevent on-the-job injuries and illnesses and minimize their consequences.

"CNS's position has always been that employers and insurers can benefit from an aggressive approach to claims and medical management of catastrophic brain injuries," said Dr. Mark Ashley President of Centre for Neuro Skills[?]. "These partnerships allow us to continue to demonstrate this by serving the millions of members combined in these three new partnerships."

Founded in 1980, Centre for Neuro Skills[?] is an experienced and respected source of rehabilitation programs for acquired brain injury. With facilities in Bakersfield and Los Angeles, California, and Dallas, Texas, CNS offers intensive, cost-effective and outcome-driven residential, outpatient, and in-home rehabilitation programs for individuals recovering from all types of acquired brain injury. The purpose of all rehabilitation programs at CNS is to reduce disabilities while obtaining the maximum independence and best quality of life in the least restrictive setting for our clients.

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