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1095 Strong Drives AAAHC Relocation to Newly Designed Facility in Deerfield, Illinois
Bright, new corporate office, designed with latest technology uses natural light to enhance
work environment

(Skokie, III.) April 25, 2023 – Today, the Accreditation Association for Ambulatory Health Care (AAAHC) announces its move to a new corporate office in Deerfield, IL. The bright, welcoming space, located at 3 Parkway North, unifies the organization through a thoughtfully designed location to maximize engagement opportunities and build upon the AAAHC *1095 Strong* philosophy.

Aligned with the organization's commitment to strategic growth, the office relocation will allow AAAHC to expand collaboration with clients and surveyors, while continuing to attract top talent. With large window views, natural light floods the entire workspace, creating a welcoming and engaging environment.

"Our new corporate office builds upon our connection to people and elevates that theme throughout the site to bring our entire AAAHC community together," said Noel Adachi, MBA, president and CEO of AAAHC. "The vitality afforded by this venue with the latest technology, sunlit collaboration areas, more staff amenities, and a dedicated learning center enables us to present and deliver on the value of 1095 Strong. Our environmental branding represents the diversity of our accredited facilities, the patients they serve, and our employees and surveyors. More than anything, this move represents our continued ironclad commitment to serving our clients and helping them deliver quality patient care in a safe environment."

With the Deerfield location conveniently accessible through expressways and public transportation, AAAHC aims to further strengthen its team of health care and administrative professionals as the transition takes place in early May.

"Our state-of-the-art, strategically located facility elevates our workplace and workforce capabilities to further deliver upon our mission. We are excited to welcome our dedicated professionals to an innovative environment providing space for daily collaboration as well as special events and education opportunities," said Kathleen Fagan Dale, senior vice president, CFO and IT Administration at AAAHC. "We carefully designed our enhanced environment to support both current operations and future growth. As our needs evolve, this space and its infrastructure are designed to evolve with us."

For additional information on AAAHC programs, products, process, client education, history, governance, and Surveyors, visit <u>AAAHC.org</u>.

About AAAHC

Founded in 1979, AAAHC is the leader in ambulatory health care accreditation, with more than 6,700 organizations accredited. We accredit a wide range of outpatient settings, including ambulatory surgery centers, office-based surgery facilities, endoscopy centers, student health centers, medical and dental group practices, community health centers, employer-based health clinics, retail clinics, and Indian/Tribal health centers, among others.

AAAHC advocates for the provision of high-quality health care through the development and adoption of nationally recognized standards. We provide a valuable survey experience founded on a peer-based, educational approach to onsite review. The AAAHC Certificate of Accreditation, along with specialized programs including Advanced Orthopaedic Certification and Patient-Centered Medical Home Certification, demonstrates an organization's commitment to providing safe, high-quality services to its patients—every day of the 1,095-day accreditation cycle. AAAHC Accreditation and Certification Programs are recognized by third-party payors, medical professional associations, liability insurance companies, state and federal agencies, and the public. For more information on AAAHC, please visit www.aaahc.org.