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Accredited Home Health Services purchases Downey Regional Medical Center's home health agency

DOWNEY, Calif. – Barry Berger, president of Accredited Home Health Services, and Kenneth Strople, Chief Executive Officer of Downey Regional Medical Center, announced today the sale of the medical center's home health care agency.

"We are excited about the opportunity to work with the local medical community, and to bring the Accredited home care brand to Downey and the surrounding area," noted Berger. "This acquisition allows us to greatly expand the geographic reach of our comprehensive disease management programs, and our 29 years of home health care experience makes us an instant asset to the community."

"Downey Regional Medical Center is looking forward to developing a relationship with Accredited Home Health Services by taking advantage of the quality care and reputation they have provided throughout Los Angeles County," said Strople.

Accredited Home Health Services is a proud member of The Accredited Family of Home Care Services, one of the largest home care providers in California. Founded by Berger in 1980, Accredited's team of 2,200 home care professionals provides licensed home health services, non-medical home care and home medical equipment to more than 12,000 patients per month.

Downey Regional Medical Center is a full-service, 199-bed hospital committed to improving the community's health by providing high quality, comprehensive services to more than 160,000 patients annually.

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