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Chartwell Pennsylvania, LP Expands into Eastern Pennsylvania

(**PITTSBURGH, PA**) —<u>Chartwell Pennsylvania, LP</u> is pleased to announce that it now offers its stateof-the-art pharmacy services to the east-central Pennsylvania region. Chartwell, already the largest and most clinically-advanced home infusion and specialty pharmacy in western Pennsylvania, now services patients in the Harrisburg area, including Carlisle, Hanover, Hershey, Lancaster, Reading and York.

Chartwell President Kathleen Patrick emphasizes the value Chartwell brings to any community. "Our company is among the most advanced – clinically and technologically - in what we do," she said. "Patient safety is our number one concern. We want our patients to get the right medication, at the right time, in the most convenient place for them."

Listed among the fastest growing companies in the United States by Inc. Magazine, Chartwell services more than 14,000 patients each month across Pennsylvania, Ohio, West Virginia and New York. The company boasts a patient satisfaction score of 98 percent.

"For us, it's all about the patients," said David Benedict, PharmD BCPS, Chartwell's Chief Operating Officer. "Our goal is to provide their therapy in the most simplistic and unobtrusive way possible. We want to maximize their ability to get their lives back to normal."

Chartwell services a wide array of patients, including those discharging from area hospitals in need of home antibiotics, antivirals, chemotherapy, IV nutrition and more. Chartwell also services patients with chronic illnesses such as cancer, rheumatoid arthritis, hepatitis, Crohn's Disease and multiple sclerosis.

Benedict is eager to expand Chartwell services, both geographically and clinically. "We're excited about working with the hospitals and physicians in this region," he said. "Chartwell has developed many great clinical programs over the past 29 years, and it's a priority for us to continually build upon our services to make sure our patients receive the care they deserve."

ABOUT CHARTWELL

Chartwell is a limited partnership between UPMC Health System, Butler Health System, Heritage Valley Health System and Washington Health System with three branch locations in Altoona, Erie, Pittsburgh, and York. For almost 30 years, Chartwell has provided many of the latest, most advanced therapies and medications to patients for the treatment of a variety of complex conditions, including cancer, transplant, multiple sclerosis, hepatitis, and rheumatoid arthritis. The pharmacy provides services, therapies and medications for both home infusion and specialty pharmacy patients throughout the state of Pennsylvania, as well as Ohio, New York, and West Virginia.

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