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HSCA NAMES SUPPLY CHAIN VETERAN TODD EBERT AS PRESIDENT AND CEO

Executive With More Than 40 Years of Healthcare Expertise to Be Chief Advocate for the Healthcare Supply Chain Industry Amid Ongoing COVID-19 Response Efforts

Washington, DC (December 7, 2021) – The Healthcare Supply Chain Association (HSCA), which represents the nation's leading healthcare group purchasing organizations (GPOs), today announced that it has named supply chain veteran and healthcare expert Todd Ebert as permanent President and CEO of the Healthcare Supply Chain Association, effective today. Ebert has been the Interim CEO since June 2021 and previously served as HSCA's CEO from 2015 to 2019.

"Throughout his distinguished career, Todd Ebert has been at the forefront of some of the most significant developments and challenges in healthcare and there is no better advocate for the healthcare supply chain at a critical time in the healthcare industry," said Bharat Sundaram, Vizient President and Chief Operating Officer (COO) and HSCA Board Chair. "We are grateful to Todd for his leadership over the past six months as Interim CEO of HSCA, and we are thrilled to have him at the helm of the organization permanently."

"As the United States continues to respond to the challenges of the COVID-19 pandemic, the important role that healthcare group purchasing organizations play as critical partners to America's hospitals and other healthcare providers has never been more vital," said HSCA President and CEO Todd Ebert. "I look forward to continuing to be a strong voice for the supply chain in Washington and to serving as a private-sector partner for policymakers and all supply chain stakeholders."

Ebert first joined HSCA as President and CEO in 2015 where he helped establish the organization as the leading advocate in Washington for the healthcare supply chain before retiring in June of 2019 and then rejoining the organization in June of 2021 as Interim CEO. Prior to HSCA, Ebert joined Amerinet (now Intalere) in 1992 and subsequently served in a variety of leadership roles, including vice president of Amerinet's pharmacy program, president of Amerinet's private-label company, and president and COO. He took over as president and CEO in 2007 and served in that capacity until 2015. A registered pharmacist, Ebert has gained extensive experience across various sectors of the healthcare industry. He is a former vice president and general manager of a specialty healthcare product logistics company; a director of hospital and retail pharmacy; and he has owned and operated a nursing home clinical pharmaceutical consulting company.

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About the Healthcare Supply Chain Association (HSCA)

The Healthcare Supply Chain Association (<u>HSCA</u>) represents the nation's leading healthcare group purchasing organizations (GPOs), which are critical cost-savings partners to America's hospitals, nursing



homes, nursing home pharmacies, clinics, home healthcare providers and surgery centers. GPOs deliver billions in savings annually to healthcare providers, Medicare and Medicaid, and taxpayers. HSCA and its member GPOs are committed to delivering the best products at the best value to healthcare providers, to increasing competition and innovation in the market, and to being supply chain leaders in transparency and accountability. For more information, visit www.supplychainassociation.org. Follow HSCA on Twitter @HSCA.