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**NHIA congratulates Option Care and BioScrip on successful merger**

**Alexandria, Va.** (August 8, 2019) — The [National Home Infusion Association](#) (NHIA) congratulates member companies Option Care and BioScrip for the completion of their merger.

The newly formed company, [Option Care Health](#), will be the largest independent home and alternate site infusion services provider in the United States. It is now the only national health care company solely focused on infusion services.

“Today marks the beginning of an exciting new chapter as we unite two strong organizations with proud histories as market leaders. This combination enables us to reimagine the infusion care experience to unleash the full potential of high-quality care in a lower cost setting on a national scale. We are now the only independent provider focused on delivering a full spectrum of infusion therapies to patients across the country. Our deep clinical expertise, broad therapy portfolio and enhanced financial profile empower us to deliver superior outcomes and set the standard for patient care,” said Option Care Health Chief Executive Officer John Rademacher in a statement on the merger.

NHIA’s President and CEO Connie Sullivan, BSPHarm, acknowledged the work both companies have done to advance the industry.

“NHIA congratulates Option Care and BioScrip on their merger and formation of Option Care Health, which will allow the company to provide high-quality home and specialty infusion services to patients across the country. Both companies are rooted in clinical excellence, and as NHIA members they have collaborated with the association and infusion community on issues critical to our industry and providing patient-centered care. We wish Option Care Health continued success as they advance infusion therapy services, so that their patients can lead healthy, independent lives,” said Sullivan.

*NHIA is a trade association that represents companies that provide infusion therapy to patients in their homes, as well as companies that manufacture and supply infusion and specialty pharmacy products. Infusion therapy involves patient-specific compounded medications, supplies, and a range of pharmacy, nursing, and other clinical services for delivering care to patients in the home setting. For more information, visit [www.nhia.org](http://www.nhia.org).*

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