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PROGENYHEALTH RECEIVES URAC CASE MANAGEMENT ACCREDITATION

Conshohocken, PA– ProgenyHealth, Inc. announced today that it has been awarded Case Management Accreditation from URAC, a Washington, DC-based health care accrediting organization that establishes quality standards for the health care industry. URAC’s Case Management Accreditation standards require companies to establish a process to assess, plan and implement case management interventions.

“ProgenyHealth, Inc. is honored to receive Case Management Accreditation from URAC,” said Dr. Ellen Stang, president and CEO of ProgenyHealth. “We are very pleased to be recognized in the industry for providing outstanding services. Such a distinction also underscores the quality of our work with customers, patients, clients, payers, and providers by demonstrating compliance with national standards for case management services.”

ProgenyHealth is a leading provider of neonatal care coordination services. Focusing on the unique health care needs of infants in intensive care nurseries, ProgenyHealth neonatologists, pediatricians and NICU nurses partner with neonatologists and primary care providers to provide care management services from birth throughout the first year of life. Case managers are available to families 24/7 and work closely with them educating and supporting them so they can be active participants in the health care decision making process.

“By applying for and receiving URAC Case Management Accreditation, ProgenyHealth has demonstrated a commitment to quality health care,” said Alan P. Spielman, URAC president and CEO. “Quality health care is crucial to our nation’s welfare and it is important to have organizations that are willing to measure themselves against national standards and undergo rigorous evaluation by an independent accrediting body.”

URAC’s Case Management Accreditation standards address approaches to ensuring appropriate patient protections have been established, such as policies for confidentiality of patient information, informed consent, dispute resolution and other issues. The standards cover staff structure and qualifications, quality improvement, information management, oversight of delegated functions, ethics, complaints, and the case management process.

URAC, an independent, nonprofit organization, is a leader in promoting health care quality through accreditation and certification programs. URAC's standards keep pace with the rapid changes in the health care system, and provide a mark of distinction for health care organizations to demonstrate their commitment to quality and accountability. Through its broad-based governance structure and an inclusive standards development process, URAC ensures that all stakeholders are represented in setting meaningful standards for the health care industry. For more information, visit www.urac.org.

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