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## **Iatric Systems PtAccess® Receives 2014 ONC HIT Certification**

**BOXFORD, Mass. – October 17, 2013** – Iatric Systems, a comprehensive healthcare IT integration company, today announced that PtAccess®, VERSION 1.011, is compliant with the ONC 2014 Edition criteria and was certified as an EHR Module on October 17, 2013 by the Certification Commission for Health Information Technology (CCHIT®), an ONC-ACB, in accordance with the applicable HOSPITAL and ELIGIBLE PROVIDER certification criteria adopted by the Secretary of Health and Human Services. The ONC 2014 Edition criteria support both Stage 1 and 2 meaningful use measures required to qualify eligible providers and hospitals for funding under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA).

“The ability for patients to access their medical records online via a patient portal is not only required for Meaningful Use, it is an essential piece of patient-centered care and a key driver for improving patient engagement,” said Frank Fortner, President of Iatric Systems. “Iatric Systems leveraged its comprehensive healthcare IT integration expertise in the development of PtAccess so it would be vendor-agnostic and therefore have the ability to aggregate data from any system. This allows PtAccess to give patients a complete view of their medical records. We believe that achieving this certification means that Iatric Systems can help patients take a more active role in their own healthcare, while also providing hospitals and eligible providers a way to engage with their patients.”

The ONC HIT Certification Program certifies that Complete EHRs meet all of the 2014 Edition criteria and EHR Modules meet one or more — but not all — of the criteria approved by the Secretary of Health and Human Services (HHS) for either eligible provider or hospital technology.

“CCHIT congratulates companies successfully achieving EHR technology certification,” said Alisa Ray, executive director, CCHIT. “These companies are now able to make their products available to providers wishing to adopt health IT to demonstrate meaningful use and earn federal incentives.”

PtAccess, VERSION 1.011’s certification number for Hospitals is CC-2014-290560-9 and for Eligible Providers is CC-2014-290560-10. ONC HIT certification conferred by CCHIT does not represent an endorsement of the certified EHR technology by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

PtAccess, version 1.011, meets the following certification criteria for Hospitals and Eligible Providers: *170.314 (e)(1) View, Download, and Transmit to a 3rd party; 170.314(g)(1) Automated Numerator Recording.*

The additional types of costs that an ELIGIBLE HOSPITAL, CRITICAL ACCESS HOSPITAL OR ELIGIBLE PROVIDER would pay to implement the PtAccess, Version 1.011 in order to attempt to meet meaningful use objectives and measures include the following, if required: MS-SQL licensing, data storage, and initial hardware investment.

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### **About Iatric Systems**

Iatric Systems helps healthcare providers achieve success by delivering the most comprehensive healthcare IT integration. Our products and services focus on data integration, systems integration, and process integration. This allows providers to leverage existing IT investments to meet the growing demands of Meaningful Use, Health Information Exchange, HIPAA, and other industry requirements. During the past 23 years, Iatric Systems has delivered solutions to more than 1,000 healthcare organizations. For more information, please contact [info@iatric.com](mailto:info@iatric.com) or visit [www.iatric.com](http://www.iatric.com).

### **About CCHIT**

The Certification Commission for Health Information Technology (CCHIT®) is an independent, 501(c)3 nonprofit organization with the public mission of accelerating the adoption of robust, interoperable health information technology. The Commission has been certifying electronic health record technology since 2006 and is authorized by the Office of the National Coordinator for Health Information Technology (ONC) of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) as a certification body (ONC-ACB). CCHIT is accredited by the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) as a certification body for the ONC HIT Certification Program for electronic health record (EHR) technology and accredited by the National Voluntary Laboratory Accreditation Program (NVLAP) of the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) as an Accredited Testing Laboratory (ATL) to test EHRs. More information on CCHIT and its programs is available at <http://cchit.org>.

### **About the ONC HIT Certification Program**

The ONC HIT Certification Program, provided by the Certification Commission for Health Information Technology (CCHIT®) as an Office of the National Coordinator – Authorized Certification Body (ONC-ACB), evaluates EHR technology that has been tested against criteria and standards adopted by the Secretary of Health and Human Services (HHS). This certification qualifies EHRs as capable of supporting achievement of meaningful use for the Medicare and Medicaid EHR incentive programs authorized by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA). ONC HIT certification conferred by the Certification Commission does not represent an endorsement of the certified EHR technology by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

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