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McKesson to Present Quality Initiative Study at ASCO 2010 Annual Meeting

Innovative technology used to gather physician feedback in evaluating bisphosphonate use

South San Francisco, Calif. – June 2, 2010 – Onmark, a leading national group purchasing organization (GPO) for community-based practices and a McKesson Specialty Care Solutions company, today announced it will present a clinical abstract based on a study featuring physician feedback on the evaluation of bisphosphonate use. Results from the study will be presented at the 46th Annual Meeting of the American Society of Clinical Oncology (ASCO) at McCormick Place in Chicago from June 4-8, 2010.

In the study, McKesson Specialty Care Solutions investigated a quality initiative across its Onmark membership of community oncology practices nationwide which measures intravenous bisphosphonate compliance and provided clinical education using Web-based drug dispensing technology with interactive physician queries.

"Our innovative Lynx® technology platform allowed us to capture physician feedback related to evaluating a key quality initiative in oncology," said Kim Bergstrom, Pharm.D., Chief Clinical Officer at McKesson Specialty Care Solutions. "McKesson’s commitment to clinical and technology innovation is highlighted through this abstract submission. Our experienced clinical team focuses on integrating clinical topics such as quality care and guideline adherence with technology advancements to drive community oncology forward."

Poster Presentation Information:

Abstract Title: Innovative quality initiative measurement using web-based drug dispensing technology with interactive physician queries to evaluate bisphosphonate use across community oncology practices nationwide.

Poster Session Date/Time: Monday, June 7 from 1:00pm – 5:00pm
Permanent Abstract ID: 9070
Location: S Hall A2, Board #43C
The full abstract can be accessed through the ASCO website. The complete poster will also be available on the Onmark website, www.onmarkservices.com following the presentation. Additional information will be available at the McKesson/Onmark ASCO Booth #12107.

**About Onmark**
Onmark, a McKesson Specialty Care Solutions company, is a leading national group purchasing organization (GPO) for community-based practices with more than 3,000 members representing over 4,800 physicians and in excess of $8 billion in annual drug purchases. Through strategic relationships with McKesson Corporation, pharmaceutical companies and industry experts, Onmark provides its members with access to a full portfolio of competitive contracts for pharmaceutical products and medical/surgical supplies, the most aggressive pricing available through McKesson, practice management resources, clinical tools and educational programs. For information about the products, services and programs available to Onmark members, visit www.onmarkservices.com.

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