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## American College of Health Care Administrators Recognizes Long Term Care Administrator's Week

**Alexandria, VA – March 3, 2012** – March 12-16, 2012 is National Long Term Care Administrator's Week. During this week, staff, residents, families, and volunteers have the opportunity to say "thank you" and honor Administrators who contribute to our nation's long term care centers.

Administrators must undertake a rigorous internship, followed by state and national board exams, in order to be entrusted with the care of a vulnerable population. There are ongoing educational requirements. Administrators must be masters of multi-tasking, taking into account every aspect of a person's lifestyle, not just medical needs, on a 24-7 basis. On behalf of the American College of Health Care Administrators, we commend, salute and thank those Administrators in nursing homes and assisted living centers who are committed to providing excellent quality of care and quality of life for the elderly. Congratulations on a job very well done.

The American College of Health Care Administrators (ACHCA) is the sponsor of Long Term Care Administrator's Week. For suggestions on honoring and recognizing an Administrator, please visit <a href="www.achca.org">www.achca.org</a>. Celebrating 50 years of excellence (1962-2012), the American College of Health Care Administrators (ACHCA) is the only professional association devoted solely to meeting the professional needs of today's long term care administrators and executives. Focusing on advancing leadership excellence, ACHCA provides professional education and certification to its diverse membership of administrators from across the continuum of long term care. Celebrate ACHCA's 50th anniversary at the 46th Annual Convocation and Exposition, May 4-8, 2012 in Nashville, Tennessee. For more information about ACHCA and the 2012 Convocation, call the national office at (202) 536-5120 or visit <a href="www.achca.org">www.achca.org</a>.

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