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Michigan Home Care Announces New Name

TRAVERSE CITY, Mich. – Heralding in a new era of comprehensive home care services, the Michigan Association for Home Care today announced its new name, the Michigan HomeCare & Hospice Association (MHHA) during its Annual Conference at Grand Traverse Resort.

The name change responds to the merger of the Hospice and Palliative Care Association of Michigan (HPCAM) into MHHA. The new name equates to representation of all segments of Association's membership, including certified home health, home medical equipment, hospice, palliative, private duty and pharmacy infusion.

"As the needs of our population demand more and diverse care services, our Association and members have heeded the call to continually provide exceptional value and excellent service," said Barry Cargill, executive director. "Along with our new name, the Association has updated its logo, collateral materials and is upgrading its website", Cargill said.

"Health care, as a whole, is changing dramatically," said Don Gillespie, MHHA Board President. "The Michigan HomeCare & Hospice Association and its diverse membership is leading the way on many fronts."

In addition to public policy, the Association provides its member with advocacy, continuing education, leadership development, and networking.

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