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Consumer Health Services Launches Series A Preferred Equity Round MedStar Health Agrees to Co-Lead

New Round Follows Site Development in New Mid-Atlantic Markets

August 6, 2008 - WASHINGTON, DC – Consumer Health Services, Inc., a privately held company based in Washington DC which operates retail-based physician clinics, announced today that it has opened a \$5 million Series A preferred equity financing round to be co-led by MedStar Health Systems of Columbia, MD.

The financing announcement follows on the heels of the groundbreaking of 4 new *MedStar PromptCARE* retail clinic sites to be hosted by Rite Aid, Inc. (RAD – NYSE) within select stores in the greater Baltimore and Washington DC metropolitan areas. The clinics are to be staffed by physicians to provide immediate care services on a walk-in basis and the doctors will be credentialed by MedStar Health affiliated hospitals in the region.

"Consumer Health Services is pleased to have initiated this financing round with leadership from such a highly regarded health system as MedStar," said James A. D'Orta, M.D., Chairman and CEO of Consumer Health Services. "We've seen the success and promise of our walk-in, retail based physician care model in New York. Our health system partners at North Shore Long Island Jewish and at Continuum Health Partners have helped us demonstrate the importance of an integrated retail care model. Equally important has been the commitment by health insurers like Wellpoint (WLP – NYSE) through our contract with Empire Blue Cross Blue Shield as well as Emblem Health who realize the value these services represent for their customers and their members." Consumer Health Services has been managing DR Walk-In Medical Care physician practices at select Duane Reade store locations in Manhattan since May of 2007.

"The continued support from our investors - new and existing – will allow us to now build on our prototype sites in New York and move to the next phase of our business plan by scaling our business to enter new markets."

About Consumer Health Services, Inc.

Launched in 2006, Consumer Health Services, Inc. (CHS) has emerged as a leader in the management of on-site consumer health centers. CHS implements its model through extensive collaboration and work with leading, insurance companies, local health care delivery systems, doctors, nurses, physician assistants to offer rapid, convenient, physician-directed care for individuals where they shop, where they work and where they travel. CHS is the partner of choice to launch and manage successful consumer health centers that deliver an exceptional customer experience. To learn more about CHS, visit us online at www.chscorp.com.