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U.S. AIR FORCE'S DAVID GRANT USAF MEDICAL CENTER GOES LIVE WITH CLINIComp INTL.'S ESSENTRIS SOLUTION

CliniComp, Intl. helps DoD meet Congressional mandate to implement solution at a hospital in each of the U.S. Army, Navy and Air Force Health Services by Oct. 1, 2009

SAN DIEGO – Nov. 4, 2009 – [CliniComp Intl.](#), a global provider of clinical documentation systems, announced today that [David Grant USAF Medical Center](#) (DGMC) at Travis Air Force Base, Calif., went live with its [Essentris®](#) inpatient clinical documentation solution on Sept. 28, 2009.

"The implementation was extremely smooth," said Maj. William Fecke, Chief, Medical Information Systems at DGMC. "The go-live is a critical milestone for us, as we strive to leverage information technology to further enhance care delivery, patient safety and outcomes by enabling clinicians at DGMC to make faster and more informed decisions while sharing data with other MTFs in the DoD and VA health systems."

The clinical documentation system deployment at DGMC includes [Essentris® CPOE™](#) (Computerized Provider Order Entry), [Essentris® GDR™](#) (Global Data Repository) and [Essentris® OnWatch®](#) (clinical surveillance) in the medical/surgical, intensive care and medical health units. In the near future the hospital, which is currently staffed to operate 84 inpatient beds that can be expanded to 176, will implement *Essentris* in the emergency department, perinatal, same-day surgery and post-anesthesia care units.

"The 6-week installation is a significant achievement for CliniComp, as it underscores the efficiency of our implementation methodology, scalability of *Essentris* and our ability to roll out the system to hundreds of clinicians at the same time across several facilities," said Alan Portela, CliniComp's president. "We are very pleased to partner with the DoD to improve quality and safety not only at a facility-wide level but also across the military continuum of care."

The deployment of the *Essentris* EMR at DGMC was part of a contract DoD recently awarded CliniComp to provide clinical documentation solutions to 36 MTFs over the next 24 months. The

department selected DGMC along with General Leonard Wood Army Community Hospital, Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., and Naval Hospital Bremerton (Wash.) as the first MTFs to receive the *Essentris* system.

CliniComp's *Essentris* system is a multidisciplinary suite of solutions comprised of intelligent, inpatient clinical documentation; computerized provider order entry (CPOE); data repository, and decision support tools for hospitals with both low and high acute care specialties and complex environments including MTFs, academic medical centers and integrated delivery networks. The solution streamlines clinical workflows, simplifies access to unified patient data and helps organizations build a true longitudinal patient health record.

About David Grant USAF Medical Center

The David Grant USAF Medical Center (DGMC) at Travis AFB, Calif., is the U.S. Air Force's largest medical facility on the West Coast. Serving military beneficiaries throughout eight western states, DGMC is the largest inpatient military treatment facility in Air Mobility Command and the second largest in the United States Air Force, providing a full spectrum of care to a prime service area population of nearly 96,000 TRICARE eligible beneficiaries in the immediate San Francisco-Sacramento vicinity and 377,000 Department of Veterans Affairs Northern California Health Care System eligibles. A Joint Commission-accredited teaching hospital, DGMC provides postgraduate training programs in family medicine, radiology, surgery, transitional year, dentistry, oral surgery, nurse anesthesia, pharmacy, and social work, as well as training for technicians and clinical nurses. Situated on a 55-acre campus at the entrance to Travis Air Force Base, DGMC includes the VA Fairfield Outpatient Clinic, a Clinical Investigation Facility and a community-supported Fisher House. DGMC also serves as a premier staging platform for combat support of Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom, as well as humanitarian missions, such as the Indonesian tsunami, Hurricane Rita and California's annual wildfire season. For more information, visit www.travis.af.mil/units/dgmc/index.asp.

About CliniComp, Intl.

San Diego-based CliniComp, Intl. is a global provider of enterprise clinical documentation systems proven to improve the efficiency and safety of health care providers' highest-acuity workflows. The *Essentris* enterprise suite comprises integrated electronic charting and surveillance solutions for acute, critical, emergency and perinatal care built on an open systems architecture and delivering 100 percent uptime. The *Essentris* suite supports over 60 percent of military health system inpatient beds as the inpatient solution for AHLTA and has supported patient care at leading health care systems such as VA North Texas Health Care System, UCLA Health System and Tenet Healthcare throughout the country for over 25 years. For more information, visit www.clinicomp.com or call 800.350.8202.

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