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ROCKFORD HEALTHCARE SERVICE COMPANY, KLAAR TRANSCRIPTION, ADDS ORTHOPEDIC HOSPITAL OF OKLAHOMA TO GROWING CLIENT LIST

December 24, 2002, ROCKFORD-KLAAR Transcription recently secured a new, nationally recognized healthcare client, the Orthopedic Hospital of Oklahoma. The hospital represents the latest addition to the Rockford-based company's expanding client list.

Located in Tulsa's CityPlex Towers, the Orthopedic Hospital of Oklahoma provides high-quality care focused exclusively on musculoskeletal disorders. Founded by physicians, the hospital is staffed by independent orthopedic experts, including orthopedic surgeons, neurosurgeons, and anesthesiologists from the largest specialty practices in the region. The facility provides a wide range of services, including diagnostic testing and rehabilitation. Surgical services include arthroscopic, microscopic, and reconstructive surgery, as well as sports medicine. The hospital also provides physical and occupational therapy in technologically advanced rehabilitation facilities.

"Securing such a well-respected out-of-state client is an exciting opportunity for us, and it's part of our continuing growth as a national provider of transcription services," says Rick Wilfong, President of KLAAR Transcription. "We look forward to providing the hospital with our high-quality services," says Mr. Wilfong.

KLAAR Transcription provides state-of-the-art transcription and archival services to Rockford regional hospitals and independent physician practices. Serving hundreds of area physicians and healthcare workers, KLAAR provides some of the fastest transcription turn-around times in the industry.

In addition, KLAAR's digital systems allow physicians to continue to use portable recorders to dictate patient records without having to rely on telephone systems or problematic analog tape recorders. KLAAR provides the records electronically on HIPAA-compliant servers, thereby helping medical practices to eliminate administrative and process errors.