

News Release



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Accelovance Joins the Council for Responsible Nutrition

Rockville, MD – May 18, 2009 – Accelovance joins the Council for Responsible Nutrition (CRN), the leading trade association committed to advocate for public policy based on sound science and consumer access to safe, beneficial, and high quality dietary supplemental products. The Washington, DC based association provides member companies with expertise and action in the areas of science, regulation, legislation, communication, and international affairs, and enhances an environment for its members to responsibly market dietary supplements and their ingredients.

Stephen J. Trevisan, Accelovance President and CEO, commented, “CRN is a very reputable organization that provides an industry-leading voice about dietary supplements for members, consumers and the government. We look forward to growing our presence in this niche market and increasing our knowledge of the industry standards; ultimately allowing Accelovance to better respond to the clinical research needs and trends within.”

Accelovance caters to companies with dietary supplement and consumer products in development by providing flexible services and clinical sites for the cost-effective and quality conduct of clinical trials. Its Patient Recruitment department can help access target populations and the Clinical Call Center capabilities can optimize safety studies and surveillance programs. In 2008, Accelovance joined Consumer Health Products Association (CHPA) which focuses on over the counter (OTC), generics and personal care products.

Headquartered in Rockville, Maryland, Accelovance is a privately held company that has developed a unique system for delivering quality, on time, and cost effective clinical studies. In China, the Company operates through its wholly-owned foreign enterprise in Beijing as a contract research organization (CRO). Accelovance is focused on optimizing the quality and productivity of multiple clinical sites, through strong central management and targeted pro-active patient recruitment. Delivering high quality and timely clinical trial support services, Accelovance is committed to understanding and meeting its clients needs to contribute to their success.

For more information, visit the company’s website at <http://www.accelovance.com>.