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**At Home Care, Inc. Named as “Top 500” Home Health Care Provider in U.S. for 2009 [December 2009, Oneonta NY] — At Home Care, Inc.** today announced that it has been named to the 2009 HomeCare Elite™, a compilation of the top performing home health agencies in the United States. This annual review identifies the Top 25 percent of agencies and further highlights the top 100 and top 500 agencies overall. Winners are ranked by an analysis of performance measures in quality outcomes, quality improvement and financial performance.

“The 2009 HomeCare Elite winners exemplify a commitment to providing their patients with the best possible care while performing at the highest level,” said Nancy Buller, senior director of marketing communications at national benchmarking company, OCS HomeCare. “We congratulate At Home Care, Inc. on being one of the Top 500 home care agencies in the country.”

Mr. Nicholas J. Nicoletta, Chair of At Home Care, Inc.’s Board of Directors, congratulates the staff of At Home Care, Inc. for their commitment to quality performance and ability to rank as one of the **Top 500** home healthcare agencies in the nation. “Access to quality service is the basis of the entire mission of AHC, Inc. On behalf of the Board of Director’s of AHC, Inc., to receive an acknowledgement of this kind is truly rewarding but more important gives recognition and credit to the day in and day out commitment of the staff, management and leadership.”

The 2009 HomeCare Elite is the only performance recognition of its kind in the home health industry. Data used for the analysis was compiled from publicly available information: <http://www.medicare.gov/HHCompare>  
The entire list of the 2009 HomeCare Elite agencies is available at the OCS Web site: [www.ocshomecare.com](http://www.ocshomecare.com).

At Home Care, Inc. is a partnership of the AO Fox Memorial and MI Bassett Hospitals. As a Medicare Certified Home Health Agency, AHC provides in home professional and paraprofessional services throughout the NYS Counties of: Herkimer, Delaware, Otsego and Chenango ([www.ahcnys.org](http://www.ahcnys.org)).