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Fifty pharmacies nationwide are PCAB-Accredited *Patients have greater choice when looking for a quality compounding pharmacy.*

WASHINGTON DC - More local pharmacies are making it easier for prescribers and patients to choose a compounding pharmacy that meets the highest quality standards. The Pharmacy Compounding Accreditation Board reached a milestone by accrediting its 50th pharmacy in January. These 50 PCAB-Accredited pharmacies are located in 24 states, and there are over 110 more pharmacies which have applied for PCAB Accreditation.

PCAB utilizes comprehensive standards created by some of the leading organizations and pharmacy compounding experts in the pharmacy profession. To earn PCAB Accreditation, these 50 pharmacies met strict criteria which included completion of an extensive application, documentation of their written policies, and an on-site inspection of its quality procedures.

“PCAB is excited to reach this significant milestone,” said Tom Murry, PCAB Executive Director. “Patients want to know their compounding pharmacy is high quality and has been independently verified. PCAB offers these patients a way to verify that their compounding pharmacy is meeting the highest national standard.”

The Pharmacy Compounding Accreditation Board is a not-for-profit corporation formed by eight national pharmacy organizations that recognized the need for a national standards organization for compounding pharmacy. Together, these leading organizations developed the policies and standards for the practice of compounding pharmacy, as well as the PCAB Accreditation criteria and processes.

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