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## ANDERSON'S DRUG STORE WINS NATIONAL AWARD

Elizabethtown pharmacy selected from more than 24,000 community drug stores

Elizabethtown, N.C., Oct. 8, 2009 ... Universal American Corp. named Anderson's Drug Store the 2008-2009 Community CCRx National Top Pharmacy as a model for managing drug costs through a close relationship with patients.

Anderson's Drug Store in Elizabethtown was selected from more than 24,000 eligible community pharmacies in the Community CCRx Pharmacy Network. Universal American sponsors Community CCRx through a collaboration with the National Community Pharmacy Association (NCPA). Community CCRx is a national Medicare Part D prescription drug plan.

Universal American will present the award Monday October 19<sup>th</sup> at the NCPA's Annual Convention and Trade Exposition in New Orleans.

"We're thrilled and humbled to receive this award," said Gene Anderson, owner of Anderson's Drug Store. "Our top priority has always been taking care of our customers and helping them manage their prescription medication."

Anderson's Drug Store was chosen for promoting low-cost generics, suggesting money-saving maintenance supplies when appropriate, and being active in completing the Part D Medication Therapy Management program tasks for Community CCRx beneficiaries.

"We're pleased to recognize Anderson's Drug Store as a model of how community pharmacies are truly effective at managing health care costs through a close relationship with their patients," Michael Bukach, R.Ph., Senior Vice President of Pharmacy Network and Clinical Operations for Universal American. "The work of Gene Anderson and his staff with Community CCRx truly represents a healthy collaboration."

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