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Hill Physicians Reports Strong 2010 Results
Net Income Grows by 16%

SAN RAMON, CA (May 17, 2011) – Hill Physicians Medical Group released its 2010 Annual Report and financial results today, reporting \$5.4 million in net income on \$455 million in revenue, an increase of 16% and 8.5%, respectively, compared to 2009.

“While our numbers are strong, we also achieved success outside the math,” said CEO Steve McDermott. “We continued to leverage technology to support more efficient and productive practices for our physicians.”

2010 was a year of balanced, strategic growth for Hill Physicians with membership increases in HMO, Medicare Advantage and Medi-Cal lines of business, and the implementation of a nationally watched Accountable Care Organization (ACO). The ACO program reduced the rate of premium increases for 41,000 CalPERS enrollees of Blue Shield of California, achieved more than \$15 million in savings, and maintained or improved overall quality. This replicable virtual integration approach includes the medical group, hospitals and health plan partners and offers a promising path for national healthcare reform.

“These collaborative efforts are the key to our continuing success,” McDermott added. “While there is truly strength in numbers, there is an enduring strength in forging meaningful partnerships.”

Hill Physicians also earned “Elite” status designation from the California Association of Physician Groups and was named a “Top Performer” by the Integrated Healthcare Association in 2010.

Hill Physicians’ 2010 Annual Report and consolidated financial statements are posted at www.HillPhysicians.com/2010

About Hill Physicians Medical Group

Hill Physicians Medical Group is the largest independent physician association in Northern California and is a nationally known leader in innovative healthcare. The Integrated Healthcare Association and California Association of Physician Groups have recognized Hill Physicians as one of the top-performing medical groups in the state. Committed to serving healthy lifestyles, Hill Physicians Medical Group offers extensive health education services to its patients, including wellness classes, health screenings and self-help through its online information portal at www.HillPhysicians.com.