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(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)	*(Primary Standard Industrial Classification Code Number)*	*(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)*

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PRELIMINARY PROXY STATEMENT/PROSPECTUS
SUBJECT TO COMPLETION, DATED AUGUST 19, 2011

LETTER TO PHC STOCKHOLDERS

PROXY STATEMENT **PROSPECTUS**

To the Stockholders of PHC, Inc.:

The Boards of Directors of PHC, Inc. (PHC) and Acadia Healthcare Company, Inc. (Acadia) have approved a merger combining PHC and Acadia.

If the merger is completed, PHC will become a wholly-owned subsidiary of Acadia. The terms of the merger agreement provide for Acadia to issue shares of its common stock to PHC stockholders in exchange for all of the outstanding shares of PHC, with holders of PHC Class A Common Stock receiving one-quarter of a share of Acadia common stock for each share of PHC common stock that they hold and holders of PHC Class B Common Stock receiving one-quarter of a share of Acadia common stock for each share of PHC Class B Common Stock that they hold and an amount of cash equal to $5,000,000 *divided by* the aggregate number of issued and outstanding shares of PHC Class B Common Stock immediately prior to the effective time of the merger (other than (i) any shares of PHC Class B Common Stock to be cancelled pursuant to the merger agreement and (ii) any share of PHC Class B Common Stock owned by a subsidiary of PHC). Based on the number of shares of PHC Class B Common Stock outstanding as of May 23, 2011, this calculation would have resulted in a cash payment of $6.46 per share of PHC Class B Common Stock. Upon completion of the merger, Acadia stockholders will retain 77.5% and the former PHC stockholders will own 22.5% of Acadia s common stock on a fully diluted basis (as defined in the merger agreement). All of the outstanding options and warrants to purchase PHC Class A Common Stock will be assumed by Acadia in connection with the merger. The merger is intended to qualify for federal income tax purposes as a reorganization under the provisions of Section 368 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

PHC and Acadia anticipate that concurrent with the closing of the merger, Acadia s common stock will be listed for trading on The NASDAQ National Market (NASDAQ) under the symbol ACHC. Acadia has applied for listing on NASDAQ and, in order to be listed, will be required to meet the initial listing requirements established by NASDAQ. Following the merger, PHC will be delisted from the NYSE Amex Stock Market.

You are requested, at the special meeting of PHC stockholders, to approve the merger agreement. Your vote is important. We cannot complete the merger unless the merger agreement is approved by the affirmative vote of the holders of at least (i) two-thirds of our outstanding Class A Common Stock and Class B Common Stock, voting together as a single class (with the holders of our Class A Common Stock having one vote per share and the holders of our Class B Common Stock having five votes per share), (ii) two-thirds of our outstanding Class A Common Stock, voting as a separate class and (iii) two-thirds of our outstanding Class B Common Stock, voting as a separate class. **The PHC board of directors recommends that you vote FOR approval of the merger agreement.**

The proxy statement/prospectus provides you with detailed information about Acadia, PHC, the merger agreement and the proposed merger. We encourage you to read and carefully consider the proxy statement/prospectus in its entirety. For a discussion of significant matters that should be considered before voting at the special meeting, see Risk Factors beginning on page 18.

Your vote is important regardless of the number of shares you own. Even if you plan to attend the special meeting, you may vote your shares via the toll-free telephone number or via the Internet, or you may complete, sign and date the enclosed proxy card or voting instruction card and return it in the enclosed, postage-paid envelope. Instructions regarding all three methods of voting are contained on the proxy card and voting instruction card and in the attached proxy statement/prospectus. If you attend the annual meeting and prefer to vote in person, you may do so in accordance with the procedures described in the accompanying proxy statement/prospectus. If you hold shares in the name of a brokerage firm, bank, nominee or other institution, you must provide a proxy from that institution in order to vote your shares at the special meeting, except as otherwise discussed in the proxy statement/prospectus.

Sincerely,

Bruce A. Shear
President and Chief Executive Officer

Peabody, Massachusetts
, 2011

Important Notice Regarding the Availability of Proxy Materials for the Special Meeting: The proxy statement/prospectus is available at www.proxyvote.com.

Neither the Securities and Exchange Commission nor any state securities commission has approved or disapproved of this transaction or the Acadia common stock to be issued in the PHC merger or determined whether this proxy statement/prospectus is accurate or adequate. Any representation to the contrary is a criminal offense.

This proxy statement/prospectus is dated , 2011, and is first being mailed to PHC stockholders on or about , 2011

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NOTICE OF MEETING

PHC, Inc.
200 Lake Street
Suite 102
Peabody, Massachusetts 01960

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS
TO BE HELD ON , 2011

Dear PHC Stockholder:

You are cordially invited to attend a special meeting of Stockholders of PHC, Inc. (PHC), which will be held on , 2011, at a.m., at the corporate offices of PHC, Inc., 200 Lake Street, Suite 102, Peabody, Massachusetts 01960, for the purpose of acting upon the following proposals:

1. To consider and vote on a proposal to approve the Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of May 23, 2011, among PHC, Inc., Acadia Healthcare Company, Inc. and Acadia Merger Sub, LLC, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Acadia (the merger agreement), pursuant to which PHC will merge with and into Acadia Merger Sub, LLC;

2. To consider and cast an advisory vote on the compensation to be received by PHC s named executive officers in connection with the merger;

3. To consider and vote on a proposal to approve the adjournment of the special meeting, if necessary or appropriate, to solicit additional proxies, in the event that there are not sufficient votes at the time of such adjournment to approve the merger agreement; and

4. To transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournments thereof.

The PHC board of directors recommends that you vote FOR the resolution to approve the merger agreement. The PHC board of directors has fixed the close of business on , 2011 as the record date for determination of stockholders entitled to notice of, and to vote at, the special meeting and at any adjournments or postponements thereof.

Stockholders are entitled to appraisal rights under the Massachusetts Business Corporation Act (the MBCA) in connection with the merger. Any stockholder seeking to assert appraisal rights should carefully follow the procedures described in the accompanying proxy statement/prospectus. A copy of the applicable provisions of the MBCA is attached as Annex B to the accompanying proxy statement/prospectus.

By order of the Board of Directors of PHC

Paula C. Wurts, Clerk

Peabody, Massachusetts

, 2011

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SUMMARY

This summary highlights selected information contained elsewhere in this proxy statement/prospectus relating to the merger. To understand the merger and related transactions fully and for a more complete description of the merger and other transactions contemplated by the merger agreement, you should carefully read this entire proxy statement/prospectus as well as the additional documents to which it refers, including the merger agreement attached to this proxy statement/prospectus as Annex A. For instructions on obtaining more information, see Who Can Answer Other Questions on page 8.

Parties to the Merger (See pages 120 and 152)

Acadia Healthcare Company, Inc. (Acadia). Founded in December 2005, Acadia is a leading provider of behavioral health care services in the United States. Acadia operates 19 inpatient behavioral health care facilities in 13 states. On April 1, 2011, Acadia acquired Youth & Family Centered Services, Inc. (YFCS), the largest private, for-profit provider of behavioral health, education and long term support services exclusively for abused and neglected children and adolescents. YFCS services include residential treatment care, community-based services, acute care, specialized education services, therapeutic group homes, therapeutic foster care and medical and behavioral services. The address of Acadia s principal executive offices is 830 Crescent Centre Drive, Suite 610, Franklin, TN 37067.

Acadia Merger Sub, LLC (Merger Sub). Acadia Merger Sub, LLC is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Acadia that was recently formed in Delaware solely for the purpose of completing the merger. It does not conduct any business and has no material assets. Its principal executive offices have the same address and telephone number as Acadia.

PHC, Inc. (PHC). PHC is a national healthcare company, which, through wholly-owned subsidiaries, provides psychiatric services to individuals who have behavioral health disorders, including alcohol and drug dependency, and to individuals in the gaming and transportation industries. PHC s subsidiaries operate various substance abuse treatment and psychiatric facilities in Delaware, Michigan, Nevada, Pennsylvania, Utah and Virginia. PHC provides management, administrative and help line services through contracts with major railroads and operates a call center through a contract with Wayne County, Michigan. PHC also operates a website, Wellplace.com, which provides education and training for behavioral health professionals and internet support services to all of PHC s subsidiaries. On July 1, 2011, PHC acquired substantially all of the assets of HHC Delaware, Inc. and its subsidiary (HHC Delaware), relating to MeadowWood Behavioral Health System (the assets acquired are referred to in this proxy statement/prospectus as MeadowWood), an acute care psychiatric hospital located in New Castle, Delaware, with 58 beds providing services to adults suffering with mental illness and substance abuse. PHC was incorporated in 1976 and is a Massachusetts corporation with corporate offices located at 200 Lake Street, Suite 102, Peabody, MA 01960.

The Combined Company. The combined company s corporate name will be Acadia Healthcare Company, Inc. Acadia will do business as Pioneer Behavioral Health following the effective time of the merger. The combined company will be the leading publicly traded pure-play provider of inpatient behavioral health care services based upon the number of licensed beds. Acadia s principal executive office located in Franklin, Tennessee will be the combined company s principal executive office. Upon the completion of the merger, Acadia stockholders will own 77.5% and PHC stockholders will own 22.5% of the combined company s issued and outstanding common stock on a fully diluted basis. Fully diluted (as defined in the merger agreement and as used in this proxy statement/prospectus with respect to a party s post-closing ownership percentage in the combined company) means the sum of (i) the aggregate number of shares of Acadia common stock issued and outstanding immediately prior to the effective time of the merger, plus (ii) the aggregate number of shares of Acadia common stock into which shares of PHC Class A Common Stock and Class B Common Stock issued and outstanding immediately prior to the effective time of the merger will be converted

in accordance with the merger agreement, plus (iii) the aggregate number of shares of Acadia common stock issuable pursuant to PHC stock options and warrants issued and outstanding immediately prior to the effective time of the merger that have an exercise price equal to or less than the average per share closing prices of PHC Class A Common Stock as reported on AMEX for the ten full trading days ending on May 20, 2011. Acadia intends to apply for listing of its common stock to be issued in the merger on NASDAQ. Joey A. Jacobs, the Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Acadia, will become the Chairman and Chief Executive

Officer of the combined company. Bruce A. Shear, President & Chief Executive Officer of PHC, will become the Executive Vice Chairman and a member of the board of directors of the combined company.

From and after the effective time of the merger, unless otherwise contemplated by Acadia s certificate of incorporation, the authorized number of directors on the Acadia board of directors will be established and maintained at 12, and the Acadia board of directors will be divided into three classes designated as Class I, Class II and Class III. The term of office of the initial Class I directors will expire at the first annual meeting of stockholders after the merger, the term of office of the initial Class II directors will expire at the second succeeding annual meeting of stockholders after the merger and the term of office of the initial Class III directors will expire at the third succeeding annual meeting of the stockholders after the merger. At each annual meeting of stockholders after the merger, directors elected to replace those of a class whose terms expire at such annual meeting will be elected to hold office until the third succeeding annual meeting after their election and until their respective successors will have been duly elected and qualified.

Except as set forth below, the following persons will be appointed to the Acadia board of directors as of immediately prior to the effective time of the merger and nominated for re-election and elected to the Acadia board of directors as follows: (i) Mr. Jacobs, as a Class III director and, after the expiration of his initial term as a director, for so long as he serves as the chief executive officer of Acadia or any of its subsidiaries; (ii) Mr. Shear, as a Class III director and, after the expiration of his initial term as a director, for one additional three-year term as a Class III director; (iii) William F. Grieco, a Class II director designated by Mr. Shear and a current director of PHC; and (iv) four directors designated by Waud Capital Partners. Pursuant to the stockholders agreement to be entered into in connection with the consummation of the merger; provided that (A) so long as Waud Capital Partners, L.L.C. and certain of its affiliates (collectively, Waud Capital Partners) retain voting control over at least 50% of the outstanding voting securities of Acadia, Waud Capital Partners will have the right to designate seven directors, four of which will be Class I directors and three of which will be Class II directors and (B) in the event Waud Capital Partners ceases to have voting control over at least 50% of the outstanding voting securities of Acadia, Waud Capital Partners will have the right to designate such number of directors of the total authorized number of directors in proportion to the total number of shares of Acadia over which Waud Capital Partners retains voting control relative to the total number of shares of Acadia then issued and outstanding (with the number of representatives rounded up to the next whole number in all cases); provided that all such rights will terminate when Waud Capital Partners ceases to hold at least 17.5% of Acadia s outstanding voting securities.

Risks Associated with Acadia, PHC and the Merger (See page 18)

The merger poses a number of risks to each company and its respective stockholders. In addition, both Acadia and PHC are subject to various risks associated with their businesses and their industry. These risks are discussed in detail under the caption Risk Factors beginning on page 18. You are encouraged to read and consider all of these risks carefully.

Special Meeting of the PHC Stockholders (See page 50)

The purpose of the special meeting is to hold a vote on the merger agreement and related matters. The special meeting will be held on , 2011, at a.m., local time, at PHC s headquarters located at 200 Lake Street, Suite 102, Peabody, MA 01960.

Recommendation of the PHC Board of Directors (See page 51)

After careful consideration, the PHC board of directors has unanimously (with Mr. Shear abstaining) approved the merger agreement and determined that the merger agreement is fair to, and in the best interests of, the stockholders of PHC. Therefore, the PHC board of directors recommends PHC stockholders vote FOR the approval of the merger

agreement.

Opinion of Stout Risius Ross, Inc. (See page 61)

In connection with the merger, Stout Risius Ross, Inc. (SRR) delivered a written opinion to the PHC board of directors as to the fairness, from a financial point of view, as of the date of their opinion, to the holders of PHC s Class A Common Stock and Class B Common Stock (collectively, the PHC common stock), of the merger

consideration to be received by such holders (in the aggregate), and to the holders of PHC s Class A Common Stock, of the merger consideration to be received by such holders (in the aggregate). The full text of SRR s written opinion, dated May 19, 2011, is attached hereto as Annex C. You are encouraged to read this opinion carefully in its entirety for a description of the procedures followed, assumptions made, matters considered and limitations on the review undertaken. SRR s opinion is addressed to the PHC board of directors and does not constitute a recommendation to any stockholder as to any matters relating to the merger.

Acadia s Financing for the Merger (See page 76)

In connection with the merger, Acadia has entered into a second amendment, dated July 12, 2011 (the Second Amendment), to its senior secured credit facility (the Senior Secured Credit Facility). The Second Amendment will, among other things, permit the merger and other transactions contemplated by the merger agreement. The effectiveness of the Second Amendment is subject to certain closing conditions as described in Acadia Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations Liquidity and Capital Resources Following the Merger, including consummation of the merger and related transactions on or prior to December 15, 2011.

In connection with the merger agreement, Acadia received an amended and restated debt commitment letter, dated July 12, 2011 (the Debt Commitment Letter), from Jefferies Finance LLC (Jefferies Finance) to provide a senior unsecured bridge loan facility of up to $150 million in the event that $150 million of senior unsecured notes (the Senior Notes) are not issued by Acadia to finance the merger (the Bridge Facility). Net proceeds from the issuance of $150 million of Senior Notes or, if the Senior Notes are not issued, drawings under the $150 million Bridge Facility will be used, in addition to existing cash balances, to pay the aggregate $5.0 million in cash payable to holders of PHC Class B Common Stock in connection with the merger, pay a dividend to Acadia s existing stockholders, refinance certain existing indebtedness of PHC and pay fees and expenses incurred in connection with the merger. Acadia expects to issue $150.0 million in aggregate principal amount of the Senior Notes and/or borrow $150.0 million in aggregate principal amount under the Bridge Facility. A portion of the borrowings will be used to make a payment to Waud Capital in connection with the termination of the Professional Services Agreement between Acadia and Waud Capital (as more fully described in Acadia Interested Transactions Professional Services Agreement, the Professional Services Agreement) and to pay a dividend to the stockholders of Acadia immediately prior to the merger. The aggregate amount of such payments will be between $90 million and $80 million depending on the amount of net cash available after repayment of PHC s indebtedness, the Class B merger consideration and fees and expenses related to the merger. We refer to such amount as the net proceeds . For a description of this calculation, see The Merger Agreement Acadia Dividend. To the extent the amount available for such payments is less than $90 million, up to $10 million may be paid to Acadia s stockholders in the form of promissory notes (each a Deficit Note) issued by Acadia. Pursuant to the terms of the merger agreement, it is a condition to the obligation of both PHC and Acadia to complete the merger that the net proceeds not be less than $80 million. The first $15.6 million of the net proceeds will be used to make a payment to Waud Capital in connection with the termination of the Professional Services Agreement, with the remainder (including any Deficit Notes) issued to Acadia stockholders immediately prior to the merger as a dividend.

The Bridge Facility commitment is subject to certain closing conditions described under Acadia Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations Liquidity and Capital Resources Following the Merger. The Bridge Facility commitment will terminate on December 15, 2011 if the closing of the Bridge Facility has not been consummated on or before such date or if the merger agreement has been terminated or if the merger has been abandoned. In addition, the commitments to provide and arrange unsecured bridge loans will terminate upon the issuance of the Senior Notes.

Each of Acadia and PHC is obligated under the merger agreement to use its reasonable best efforts to arrange the debt financing on the terms contemplated. The receipt of the debt financing on the terms and conditions set forth in the Debt Commitment Letter is a condition to the obligation of both Acadia and PHC to consummate the merger.

Record Date (See page 50)

The PHC board of directors has fixed the close of business on , 2011, as the record date for determining the holders of PHC s Class A Common Stock and Class B Common Stock entitled to notice of and to

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vote at the special meeting. As of the record date, PHC had shares of Class A Common Stock and shares of Class B Common Stock outstanding.

Vote Required and Voting Power (See page 50)

PHC stockholders are being asked to vote on a proposal to approve the merger agreement. The merger agreement provides that it is a condition to completion of the merger that the proposal to approve the merger agreement be approved by the stockholders of PHC. Approval of this proposal requires an affirmative vote of (i) at least two-thirds of the outstanding Class A Common Stock and Class B Common Stock entitled to vote, voting as a single class, (ii) at least two-thirds of the outstanding Class A Common Stock entitled to vote, voting as a single class and (iii) at least two-thirds of the outstanding Class B Common Stock entitled to vote, voting as a single class.

Each record holder of shares of PHC Class A Common Stock will be entitled at the special meeting to one vote for each share of PHC Class A Common Stock held on the record date. Each record holder of shares of PHC Class B Common Stock will be entitled at the special meeting to five votes for each share of PHC Class B Common Stock held on the record date on any matter on which they vote together with the holders of the Class A Common Stock.

Conversion of PHC Shares (See page 85)

Each share of PHC Class A Common Stock issued and outstanding immediately prior to the effective time (other than (i) any shares of PHC Class A Common Stock to be cancelled pursuant to the merger agreement, (ii) any shares of PHC Class A Common Stock owned by any PHC subsidiary and (iii) any shares held by stockholders that properly demand and perfect their appraisal rights under the Massachusetts Business Corporation Act (MBCA) and the merger agreement (Excluded Shares)) will be converted into and become exchangeable for one-quarter (1/4) of one fully paid and nonassessable share of Acadia common stock, par value $0.01 per share. Each share of PHC Class B Common Stock issued and outstanding immediately prior to the effective time (other than the Excluded Shares) will be converted into and become exchangeable for (x) one-quarter (1/4) of one fully paid and nonassessable share of Acadia common stock, par value $0.01 per share and (y) an amount of cash equal to $5.0 million *divided by* the aggregate number of issued and outstanding shares of PHC Class B Common Stock immediately prior to the effective time of the merger (other than (i) any shares of PHC Class B Common Stock to be cancelled pursuant to the merger agreement and (ii) any share of PHC Class B Common Stock owned by a subsidiary of PHC). Based on the number of shares of PHC Class B Common Stock outstanding as of May 23, 2011, this calculation would have resulted in a cash payment of $6.46 per share of PHC Class B Common Stock.

Voting Agreement (See page 101)

The directors and executive officers of PHC, who as of May 23, 2011 held in the aggregate approximately 11% of the outstanding PHC Class A Common Stock, 93.2% of PHC Class B Common Stock and 24.8% of the outstanding voting power of the PHC Class A Common Stock and the PHC Class B Common Stock voting together as a single class, have agreed to vote their shares in favor of approval of the merger agreement.

Interests of PHC s Directors and Executive Officers (See page 82)

Upon completion of the merger and the issuance of Acadia common stock in the merger, the directors and executive officers of PHC will collectively beneficially own approximately 3.2% of the outstanding stock of Acadia, calculated on the basis set forth under Beneficial Ownership of Acadia Common Stock After the Merger.

The directors and executive officers of PHC have interests in the merger that are different from, and in addition to, the interests of PHC stockholders generally.

Pursuant to the merger agreement, upon completion of the merger, holders of PHC s Class B Common Stock will collectively receive cash consideration in the merger of $5.0 million. Mr. Shear, PHC s current Chief Executive Officer, beneficially owns approximately 93.2% of PHC s Class B Common Stock and will be entitled to receive cash merger consideration of approximately $4.7 million.

Mr. Shear, Robert H. Boswell, PHC s current Senior Vice President, and Paula C. Wurts, PHC s current Chief Financial Officer, are participants in the PHC change-in-control supplemental benefit plan for certain executive

employees. Pursuant to such plan, upon the closing of the merger, Mr. Shear, Mr. Boswell and Ms. Wurts are entitled to receive change in control payments of approximately $1,530,000, $465,000 and $408,000, respectively, payable as soon as practicable, but in no event later than 30 days, following the date of the closing of the merger.

Mr. Shear, Mr. Boswell and Ms. Wurts hold stock options to purchase shares of PHC Class A Common Stock, subject to various vesting provisions. Pursuant to the merger agreement, upon completion of the merger, Acadia will assume these options in accordance with their existing terms, with the number of shares and the exercise prices adjusted in accordance with the merger exchange rate. Mr. Shear currently holds 170,000 options exercisable at prices ranging from $1.08 per share to $2.95 per share, Mr. Boswell currently holds 85,000 options exercisable at prices ranging from $1.08 per share to $2.95 per share and Ms. Wurts currently holds 85,000 options exercisable at prices ranging from $1.08 per share to $2.95 per share.

Upon the closing of the merger, notwithstanding the terms and conditions of the corresponding PHC stock option plan or as otherwise set forth in a stock option agreement, with respect to the assumed PHC options granted to current PHC directors, (i) all such assumed options (other than those held by Mr. Shear) will be fully vested at closing, and (ii) such assumed options will not terminate as a result of such holder ceasing or failing to be a director or employee and will be fully exercisable at any time prior to the expiration of the option term.

After the closing of the merger, Messrs. Shear and Boswell are expected to be employed by the combined company pursuant to employment agreements which are to become effective upon the closing of the merger.

Upon the closing of the merger, Mr. Shear will join the Acadia board of directors. In addition, upon the closing of the merger, Mr. Shear will become Acadia s Executive Vice Chairman. After the closing of the merger, Messrs. Shear and Boswell may receive stock options to purchase shares of Acadia common stock.

Structure and Effects of the Merger (See page 85)

At the completion of the merger, PHC will be merged with and into Merger Sub, and Merger Sub will continue as the surviving company of the merger and a wholly-owned subsidiary of Acadia.

Treatment of PHC Stock Options and Warrants to Purchase PHC Stock (See pages 85 and 86)

After the completion of the merger, each outstanding PHC option granted under PHC s stock option plans will be assumed by Acadia and will be converted into an option to purchase one-quarter of one share of Acadia common stock and each warrant to purchase one share of PHC stock will be assumed by Acadia and will be converted into a warrant to purchase one-quarter of one share of Acadia common stock. Except with respect to stock options previously granted to PHC directors (other than Mr. Shear), as further described in The Merger Agreement Assumption of Stock Options, each assumed option and warrant will be subject to the same terms and conditions (including expiration date and exercise provisions as contemplated by the applicable award agreement) as were applicable to the corresponding option or warrant, as applicable, immediately prior to the effective time of the merger.

Completion and Effectiveness of the Merger (See page 85)

Acadia and PHC expect to complete the merger when all of the conditions to completion of the merger contained in the merger agreement have been satisfied or waived. The merger will become effective upon the filing of a certificate of merger with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware and the Secretary of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Acadia and PHC are working toward satisfying the conditions to the merger and expect to complete the merger in the fourth quarter of 2011.

Restrictions on Solicitation of Alternative Transactions by PHC (See page 91)

The merger agreement contains restrictions on the ability of PHC to solicit or engage in discussions or negotiations with a third party with respect to a proposal to acquire a significant interest in the equity or assets of PHC. Notwithstanding these restrictions, the merger agreement provides that, under specified circumstances, if PHC receives an unsolicited proposal from a third party to acquire a significant interest in PHC that PHC may engage in discussions or

negotiations with a third party if the PHC board of directors determines in good faith, after consultation with outside legal counsel, that failure to take such action would be inconsistent with the directors fiduciary duties under applicable laws, and the PHC board of directors determines in good faith, based on the information then available and after consultation with its independent financial advisor and outside legal counsel, that such acquisition proposal either constitutes a superior proposal or is reasonably likely to result in a superior proposal.

Conditions to the Completion of the Merger (See page 95)

Acadia s and PHC s obligations to complete the merger are subject to certain conditions described under the heading The Merger Agreement Conditions to the Merger.

Termination of the Merger Agreement and Payment of Certain Termination Fees (See page 98)

Acadia and PHC may terminate the merger agreement by mutual agreement and under certain other circumstances. Acadia and PHC have agreed that if the merger agreement is terminated under the circumstances described under The Merger Agreement Termination Fee, PHC will pay Acadia $3,000,000 in fees.

Fees and Expenses; Expense Reimbursement (See pages 99 and 100)

The merger agreement provides that, except in circumstances described below, regardless of whether the merger is completed, Acadia and PHC will each pay their own expenses incurred in connection with the merger, except that Acadia and PHC will pay 75% and 25%, respectively, of all fees and expenses, other than attorneys and accountants fees, incurred in relation to the printing and filing with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the SEC) of the registration statement of which this proxy statement/prospectus is a part, the proxy statement/prospectus and any amendments or supplements to any of such filings, the filing fees under any applicable antitrust law or regulation or state blue sky laws or the listing fees incurred in obtaining (or attempting to obtain) listing and/or eligibility on NASDAQ or another national securities exchange.

In the event the merger agreement is terminated by PHC due to the fact that Acadia or Merger Sub has breached any of its covenants, agreements, representations or warranties set forth in the merger agreement such that a condition related to PHC s obligation to close would not be satisfied, then Acadia will pay all of PHC s reasonably documented out-of-pocket fees and expenses (including reasonable legal fees and expenses) actually incurred by PHC and its affiliates on or prior to the termination of merger agreement in connection with the transactions contemplated by the merger agreement, which amount will in no event exceed $1,000,000 in the aggregate and shall be paid in four annual installments, with the first annual installment due within two business days of such termination, and the remaining payments being made on the first, second and third anniversary of such termination date.

In the event the merger agreement is terminated by Acadia under circumstances in which the termination fee is not then payable, due to the fact that (i) PHC has breached any of its covenants, agreements, representations or warranties such that a condition related to Acadia s obligation to close would not be satisfied or (ii) the supplement to the disclosure schedules delivered to Acadia in connection with PHC s recent acquisition of MeadowWood would cause a breach of a PHC representation or warranty such that a condition related to Acadia s obligation to close would not be satisfied, then PHC will pay all of Acadia s reasonably documented out-of-pocket fees and expenses (including reasonable legal fees and expenses) actually incurred by Acadia and its affiliates on or prior to the termination of the merger agreement in connection with the transactions contemplated by the merger agreement, which amount will in no event exceed $1,000,000 in the aggregate and shall be paid in four annual installments, with the first annual installment due within two business days of such termination, and the remaining payments being made on the first, second and third anniversary of such termination date.

Stockholders Agreement (See page 183)

Acadia, certain members of Acadia s management and Waud Capital Partners and certain of its affiliates will enter into a stockholders agreement in connection with the consummation of the merger. The stockholders agreement will contain certain voting agreements and transfer restrictions with respect to equity of Acadia held by the stockholders party to the stockholders agreement and impose certain negative and affirmative covenants on

Acadia and its subsidiaries. The stockholders agreement will also grant certain board nomination, information and consent rights to Waud Capital Partners. See Stockholders Agreement for a description of the agreement.

Material United States Federal Tax Consequences of the Merger (See page 77)

The closing of the merger is conditioned upon the receipt by Acadia and PHC of opinions that the merger will constitute a reorganization for United States federal income tax purposes and that Acadia and PHC will be parties to the reorganization for United States federal income tax purposes. Assuming the merger constitutes a reorganization, subject to the limitations and qualifications described in The Merger Material United States Federal Income Tax Consequences of the Merger, PHC stockholders whose shares of PHC common stock are exchanged in the merger solely for shares of Acadia common stock will not recognize capital gain or loss for United States federal income tax purposes on the exchange (except to the extent they receive cash in lieu of a fractional share of Acadia common stock), and PHC stockholders whose shares of PHC common stock are exchanged in the merger for shares of Acadia common stock and cash will recognize capital gain (but not loss) realized on the exchange in an amount not exceeding the amount of cash received (excluding cash received in lieu of a fractional share of Acadia common stock). This tax treatment may not apply to certain PHC stockholders, as described in The Merger Material United States Federal Income Tax Consequences of the Merger. Determining the actual tax consequences of the merger to you may be complex and will depend on the facts of your own situation. You should consult your own tax advisors to fully understand the tax consequences to you of the merger, including estate, gift, state, local or non-United States tax consequences of the merger.

Accounting Treatment of the Merger (See page 76)

In accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP), Acadia will account for the acquisition of shares of PHC Class A Common Stock and Class B Common Stock through the merger under the acquisition method of accounting for business combinations.

Dissenters Rights (See page 87)

Holders of shares of PHC Class A Common Stock and Class B Common Stock that are issued and outstanding immediately prior to the effective time who have not voted in favor of or consented in writing to the merger and who have properly demanded and perfected their rights to be paid the fair value of such shares in accordance with Section 13.02 of the MBCA, will not have such shares converted into or exchangeable for the right to receive merger consideration and will be entitled only to receive payment of the fair value of such shares, in accordance with Section 13.02 of the MBCA, unless and until such stockholder withdraws or effectively loses the right to dissent.

Surrender of PHC Stock Certificates (See page 87)

Following the effective time of the merger, Acadia will cause a letter of transmittal to be mailed to all holders of PHC Class A Common Stock and Class B Common Stock containing instructions for surrendering their certificates. Certificates should not be surrendered until the letter of transmittal is received, fully completed and returned as instructed in the letter of transmittal.

Regulatory Approvals (See page 83)

We do not believe that notification will be required under the Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Act of 1976, as amended (the HSR Act), and the rules promulgated thereunder. However, given uncertainties regarding the future market price of the publicly traded stock of PHC and the uncertain closing date, we cannot currently predict with certainty whether notification will be required under the HSR Act. If such notification is required, the merger cannot be completed until

each of Acadia and PHC files a notification and report form with the FTC and the Antitrust Division of the Department of Justice under the HSR Act and the applicable waiting period has expired or been terminated.

Acadia and/or PHC currently intend to obtain approvals from, file new license and/or permit applications with, or provide notice to applicable governmental authorities in connection with the merger. The approval of such governmental authorities, if any, is not a condition to Acadia or PHC s obligation to complete the merger except where the failure to obtain any such approval would reasonably be expected to have a Pioneer Material Adverse

Effect or an Acadia Material Adverse Effect (each as defined in the merger agreement) or a material adverse effect on the parties ability to consummate such transactions.

Litigation Regarding the Merger (See page 84)

In connection with the merger, a putative stockholder class action lawsuit (as amended) has been filed in Massachusetts state court. A second lawsuit has also been filed in federal district court in Massachusetts making essentially the same allegations against the same defendants. PHC, Acadia and Merger Sub believe that these lawsuits are without merit and intend to defend them vigorously.

Comparison of Acadia and PHC Stockholder Rights (See page 187)

Upon completion of the merger, PHC stockholders will become stockholders of Acadia. The internal affairs of Acadia will be governed by Acadia s amended and restated certificate of incorporation and amended and restated bylaws attached hereto as Annexes D and E. The internal affairs of PHC are governed by PHC s restated articles of organization and bylaws. Due to differences between the governing documents of Acadia and PHC, the merger will result in PHC stockholders having different rights once they become Acadia stockholders.

Who Can Answer Other Questions (See page 51)

If you have any questions about the mergers or the other transactions contemplated by the merger agreement or, if you are a PHC stockholder, how to submit your proxy or would like additional copies of this proxy statement/prospectus, you should contact PHC s proxy solicitor:

Georgeson Inc.
199 Water Street, 26th Floor
New York, New York 10038-3560
Banks and Brokers Call (212) 440-9800
All Others Call Toll-Free (888) 658-3624

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Summary Historical Condensed Consolidated Financial Data and Pro Forma Condensed Combined Financial Data

Acadia Historical Financial Data

The following table sets forth summary historical condensed consolidated financial data for Acadia Healthcare Company, Inc. and its subsidiaries on a consolidated basis for the periods ended and at the dates indicated and does not give effect to YFCS operating results prior to April 1, 2011 or the consummation of the merger. Acadia has derived the historical consolidated financial data as of December 31, 2009 and 2010 and for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2010 from Acadia Healthcare Company, LLC s audited consolidated financial statements included elsewhere in this proxy statement/prospectus. Acadia has derived the summary consolidated financial data as of and for the six months ended June 30, 2010 and 2011 from Acadia Healthcare Company, Inc. s unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements included elsewhere in this proxy statement/prospectus. Acadia has derived the summary consolidated financial data as of December 31, 2008 from Acadia Healthcare Company, LLC s audited consolidated financial statements not included in this proxy statement/prospectus. The results for the six months ended June 30, 2010 and 2011 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the entire fiscal year. The summary consolidated financial data below should be read in conjunction with Acadia Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations, Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Combined Financial Statements and Acadia Healthcare Company, LLC s consolidated financial statements and the notes thereto included elsewhere in this proxy statement/prospectus. On May 13, 2011, Acadia Healthcare Company, LLC elected to convert to a corporation (Acadia Healthcare Company, Inc.) in accordance with Delaware law.

	Year Ended December 31,			**Six Months Ended June 30,**	
	2008	**2009**	**2010**	**2010**	**2011**
			($ in thousands)		
Income Statement Data:					
Net patient service revenue	$ 33,353	$ 51,821	$ 64,342	$ 32,472	$ 82,961
Salaries, wages and benefits*	22,342	30,752	36,333	18,374	70,538
Professional fees	952	1,977	3,612	1,240	3,130
Provision for doubtful accounts	1,804	2,424	2,239	1,186	1,002
Other operating expenses**	8,328	12,116	13,286	6,523	23,406
Depreciation and amortization	740	967	976	480	1,001
Interest expense, net	729	774	738	358	2,215
Income (loss) from continuing operations, before income taxes	(1,542)	2,811	7,158	4,311	(18,331)
Income tax provision (benefit)	20	53	477	287	2,997
Income (loss) from continuing operations	(1,562)	2,758	6,681	4,024	(21,328)
(Loss) income from discontinued operations, net of income taxes	(156)	119	(471)	96	(58)
Net income (loss)	$ (1,718)	$ 2,877	$ 6,210	$ 4,120	$ (21,386)

	December 31,			June 30,	
	2008	2009	2010	2010	2011
	($ in thousands)				
Balance Sheet Data (as of end of period):					
Cash and equivalents	$ 45	$ 4,489	$ 8,614	$ 6,961	$ 3,456
Total assets	32,274	41,254	45,412	42,938	260,203
Total debt	11,062	10,259	9,984	10,103	140,313
Total members equity	15,817	21,193	25,107	22,781	74,583

* Salaries, wages and benefits for the six months ended June 30, 2011 includes $19.8 million of equity-based compensation expense recorded related to equity units issued in conjunction with the YFCS acquisition.

** Transaction-related expenses of $8.4 million are reflected in other operating expenses for the six months ended June 30, 2011.

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YFCS Historical Financial Data

The following table sets forth summary historical condensed consolidated financial data for YFCS and its subsidiaries on a consolidated basis for the periods ended and at the dates indicated and does not give effect to Acadia s acquisition of YFCS or the consummation of the merger . Acadia has derived the historical consolidated financial data as of December 31, 2009 and 2010 and for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2010 from YFCS audited consolidated financial statements included elsewhere in this proxy statement/prospectus. Acadia has derived the summary consolidated financial data as of and for the three months ended March 31, 2010 and 2011 from YFCS unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements included elsewhere in this proxy statement/prospectus. Acadia has derived the summary consolidated financial data as of December 31, 2008 from YFCS audited consolidated financial statements not included in this proxy statement/prospectus. The results for the three months ended March 31, 2010 and 2011 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may have been expected for the entire fiscal year. The summary financial data below should be read in conjunction with Acadia Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations YFCS Acquisition and Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Combined Financial Statements and YFCS consolidated financial statements and the notes thereto included elsewhere in this proxy statement/prospectus.

	Year Ended December 31,			Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2008	2009	2010	2010	2011
	($ in thousands)				
Income Statement Data:					
Revenue	$ 180,646	$ 186,586	$ 184,386	$ 45,489	$ 45,686
Salaries and benefits	110,966	113,870	113,931	27,813	29,502
Other operating expenses	37,704	37,607	38,146	8,944	9,907
Provision for bad debts	1,902	(309)	525	56	208
Interest expense	12,488	9,572	7,514	1,954	1,726
Depreciation and amortization	9,419	7,052	3,456	914	819
Impairment of goodwill			23,528		
Income (loss) from continuing operations, before income taxes	8,167	18,794	(2,714)	5,808	3,524
Provision for income taxes	3,132	7,133	5,032	2,267	1,404
Income (loss) from continuing operations	5,035	11,661	(7,746)	3,541	2,120
Income (loss) from discontinued operations, net of income taxes	964	(1,443)	(4,060)	(151)	(64)
Net income (loss)	$ 5,999	$ 10,218	$ (11,806)	$ 3,390	$ 2,056

	December 31,			March 31,	
	2008	2009	2010	2010	2011
	($ in thousands)				

Balance Sheet Data (as of end of period):					
Cash and equivalents	$ 20,874	$ 15,294	$ 5,307	$ 8,570	$ 4,009
Total assets	271,446	254,620	217,530	249,748	216,609
Total debt	138,234	112,127	86,073	98,831	84,304
Total stockholders equity	102,696	113,921	102,126	117,311	104,182

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PHC Historical Financial Data

The following table sets forth summary historical condensed consolidated financial data for PHC and its subsidiaries on a consolidated basis for the periods ended and at the dates indicated and does not give effect to the recently completed MeadowWood acquisition completed on July 1, 2011 or the consummation of the merger. PHC has derived the historical consolidated financial data as of June 30, 2010 and 2011 and for each of the two years in the period ended June 30, 2011 from PHC s audited financial statements included elsewhere in this proxy statement/prospectus. Certain amounts for all periods presented have been reclassified to be consistent with Acadia s financial information. PHC has derived the historical consolidated financial data as of June 30, 2009 and for the year ended June 30, 2009 from PHC s audited financial statements not included in this proxy statement/prospectus. The summary financial data below should be read in conjunction with the PHC Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations and Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Combined Financial Statements and PHC s consolidated financial statements and the notes thereto included elsewhere in this proxy statement/prospectus.

	Fiscal Year Ended June 30, ($ in thousands)		
	2009	**2010**	**2011**
Income Statement Data:			
Revenues	$ 46,411	$ 53,077	$ 62,008
Patient care expenses	23,835	26,307	30,236
Contract expenses	3,016	2,965	3,618
Provision for doubtful accounts	1,638	2,131	3,406
Administrative expenses	18,721	19,111	22,206
Legal settlement			446
Operating income (loss)	(799)	2,563	2,096
Other income including interest expense, net	(177)	(37)	(108)
Income (loss) before income taxes	(976)	2,526	1,988
Provision for (benefit from) income taxes	65	1,106	1,408
Net income (loss) from continuing operations	(1,041)	1,420	580
Net income (loss) from discontinued operations	(1,413)		
Net income (loss)	$ (2,454)	$ 1,420	$ 580

	June 30, ($ in thousands)		
	2009	**2010**	**2011**
Balance Sheet Data (as of end of period):			
Cash and equivalents	$ 3,199	$ 4,540	$ 3,668
Total assets	22,692	25,207	28,282
Total debt	2,241	2,557	2,239
Total stockholders equity	16,044	17,256	17,915

Summary Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Combined Financial Data

The following summary unaudited pro forma condensed combined statements of operations for the six months ended June 30, 2011 and year ended December 31, 2010 reflect (i) Acadia s acquisition of YFCS on April 1, 2011, (ii) PHC s acquisition of MeadowWood on July 1, 2011 and (iii) consummation of the merger and related transactions, as if the transactions had occurred on June 30, 2011 for the unaudited pro forma combined balance sheet and January 1, 2010 for the unaudited pro forma condensed statements of operations. The YFCS acquisition is reflected in Acadia s consolidated balance sheet as of June 30, 2011 and the following unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet data as of June 30, 2011 reflects the MeadowWood acquisition and the consummation of the merger and related transactions as if each had occurred on June 30, 2011.

The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial data is based on the historical financial statements of Acadia, YFCS, PHC and HHC Delaware and certain assumptions and adjustments as discussed in the section entitled Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Combined Financial Information beginning on page 37 of this proxy statement/prospectus, including assumptions relating to the fair value of consideration transferred, assets acquired and liabilities assumed in the acquisitions of YFCS, MeadowWood and PHC. MeadowWood was acquired in an asset acquisition. The assets acquired consisted of substantially all of the assets of HHC Delaware. The pro forma adjustments reflect the elimination of any assets of HHC Delaware not acquired by PHC. The fiscal years of Acadia, YFCS and HHC Delaware end December 31 while the fiscal year of PHC ends on June 30. The combined company will use Acadia s fiscal year ending December 31. The unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet data combines Acadia s unaudited consolidated balance sheet as of June 30, 2011 with the consolidated balance sheet of PHC and the unaudited condensed consolidated balance sheet of HHC Delaware as of June 30, 2011. The unaudited pro forma condensed combined statement of operations for the year ended December 31, 2010 combines Acadia s audited consolidated statement of operations for the year ended December 31, 2010 with the audited consolidated statement of operations of YFCS for the year ended December 31, 2010, the audited consolidated statement of operations of HHC Delaware for the year ended December 31, 2010 and the unaudited condensed consolidated statement of operations of PHC for the twelve months ended December 31, 2010 (which was derived from the audited consolidated statement of operations of PHC for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2010 less the unaudited condensed consolidated statement of operations of PHC for the six months ended December 31, 2009 plus the unaudited condensed consolidated statement of operations of PHC for the six months ended December 31, 2010). The unaudited pro forma condensed combined statement of operations for the six months ended June 30, 2011 combines Acadia s unaudited condensed consolidated statement of operations for the six months ended June 30, 2011 with the unaudited condensed consolidated statement of operations of YFCS for the three months ended March 31, 2011, the unaudited condensed consolidated statement of operations of HHC Delaware for the six months ended June 30, 2011 and the unaudited condensed consolidated statement of operations of PHC for the six months ended June 30, 2011 (which was derived from the audited consolidated statement of operations of PHC for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2011 less the unaudited condensed consolidated statement of operations of PHC for the six months ended December 31, 2010). The adjustments necessary to fairly present the unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial data have been made based on available information and in the opinion of management are reasonable. Assumptions underlying the pro forma adjustments are described in the section of this proxy statement/prospectus entitled Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Combined Financial Information beginning on page 37 of this proxy statement/prospectus. and other information included in this proxy statement/prospectus. The following should be read in conjunction with the Selected Historical Financial Information, Acadia Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations, PHC Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations, the consolidated financial statements and the notes thereto included elsewhere in this proxy statement/prospectus and other information included in this proxy statement/prospectus.

Preliminary estimates of the fair value of assets acquired and liabilities assumed in the YFCS, MeadowWood and PHC acquisitions have been incorporated into the unaudited condensed combined financial information. The

finalization of the fair value of assets acquired and liabilities assumed will most likely result in changes in the values assigned to property and equipment and other assets acquired and liabilities assumed. The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial data is for illustrative purposes only and does not purport to represent what Acadia s

financial position or results of operations actually would have been had the events noted above in fact occurred on the assumed dates or to project our financial position or results of operations for any future date or future period.

	December 31, 2010	June 30, 2011
	($ in thousands)	
	(Unaudited)	(Unaudited)
Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Combined Statement of Operations Data:		
Revenue	$ 320,298	$ 168,493
Salaries, wages and benefits	189,000	121,587
Professional fees	18,245	9,180
Supplies	15,305	8,152
Rent	10,046	5,219
Other operating expenses	32,723	17,683
Provision for doubtful accounts	6,141	3,292
Depreciation and amortization	4,777	2,378
Interest expense, net	22,467	11,270
Impairment of goodwill	23,528	
Sponsor management fees		90
Legal settlement		446
Total expenses	322,232	179,297
Income (loss) from continuing operations before income taxes	(1,934)	(10,804)
Provision for income taxes	5,499	6,473
Income (loss) from continuing operations	$ (7,433)	$ (17,277)
Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Combined Balance Sheet Data (as of June 30, 2011):		
Cash and equivalents		$ 7,474
Total assets		350,276
Total debt		290,313
Total stockholders equity		6,601

The foregoing unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial data does not give effect to any anticipated cost savings or synergies. For a discussion of anticipated cost savings and synergies, see page 133 in Acadia Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations Anticipated Synergies, Cost Savings and Revenue Improvements.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS ABOUT THE MERGER

The following are some questions that you, as a stockholder of PHC, may have regarding the merger and the other matters being considered at the special meeting and brief answers to those questions. Acadia and PHC urge you to read carefully the remainder of this proxy statement/prospectus, including the documents attached to this proxy statement/prospectus.

Q: Why are Acadia and PHC proposing the merger? (See pages 57 and 58)

A: Acadia and PHC are proposing the merger because they believe the resulting combined company will be a stronger, more competitive company capable of achieving greater financial strength, earning power, access to capital and growth potential than either company would have separately.

Acadia and PHC believe that the merger may result in a number of benefits, including the following positive factors that they believe will contribute to the success of the combined enterprise:

the opportunity to diversify service types and payor mix;

the ability to expand the number of facilities and beds and expand into additional new states;

Acadia s and PHC s facilities are complementary and their combination will increase geographic diversity;

the increased ability to access private and public equity markets, including for purposes of acting on attractive opportunities to further expand Acadia s business;

Acadia s management will provide additional resources and has a demonstrated record of achievement;

the opportunity to expand PHC s internet and telephonic-based support services, which include crisis intervention, critical incidents coordination, employee counselor support, client monitoring, case management and health promotion; and

the opportunity for PHC stockholders to own 22.5% of the combined company on a fully diluted basis (as defined in the merger agreement).

Q: What percentage of Acadia will the former PHC stockholders own collectively immediately following the merger? (See page 53)

A: Upon completion of the merger, Acadia stockholders will retain 77.5% and the former PHC stockholders will own 22.5% of the combined company s common stock issued and outstanding on a fully diluted basis (as defined in the merger agreement).

Q: What will PHC stockholders receive in exchange for PHC common stock in the merger? (See page 85)

A: Each share of PHC Class A Common Stock issued and outstanding immediately prior to the effective time will be converted into and become exchangeable for one-quarter (1/4) of one fully paid and nonassessable share of Acadia common stock, par value $0.01 per share. Each share of PHC Class B Common Stock issued and outstanding immediately prior to the effective time will be converted into and become exchangeable for

(x) one-quarter (1/4) of one fully paid and nonassessable share of Acadia common stock, par value $0.01 per share and (y) and an amount of cash equal to $5.0 million *divided by* the aggregate number of issued and outstanding shares of PHC Class B Common Stock immediately prior to the effective time of the merger (other than (i) any shares of PHC Class B Common Stock to be cancelled pursuant to the merger agreement and (ii) any share of PHC Class B Common Stock owned by a subsidiary of PHC). Based on shares of PHC Class B Common Stock outstanding as of May 23, 2011, this calculation would have resulted in a cash payment of $6.46 per share of PHC Class B Common Stock.

Q: Will PHC stockholders be able to trade the Acadia common stock that they receive in the merger? (See page 94)

A: Yes. Each of Acadia and PHC have agreed to cooperate and use reasonable best efforts to take all actions necessary to authorize for listing on NASDAQ the shares of Acadia common stock to be issued in the merger or if such listing is not possible, to be listed on NYSE Amex Stock Market or another securities exchange. In

addition, it is a condition to completion of the merger that the shares of Acadia common stock to be issued in the merger are authorized for listing on a national securities exchange or eligible for trading on the over the counter bulletin board. Acadia has applied to be listed on NASDAQ under the symbol ACHC. Please see the risk factors beginning on page 18 for a discussion of risks associated with these listings.

Q: Who will be the directors of Acadia following the merger? (See page 103)

A: Except as set forth below the following persons will be appointed to the Acadia board of directors as of immediately prior to the effective time of the merger and nominated for re-election and elected to the Acadia board of directors as follows: (i) Mr. Jacobs, as a Class III director and, after the expiration of his initial term as a director, for so long as he serves as the chief executive officer of Acadia or any of its subsidiaries; (ii) Mr. Shear, as a Class III director and, after the expiration of his initial term as a director, for one additional three-year term as a Class III director; (iii) Mr. Grieco, a Class II director designated by Mr. Shear and a current director of PHC; and (iv) four directors designated by Waud Capital Partners pursuant to the stockholders agreement to be entered into in connection with the consummation of the merger; provided that (A) so long as Waud Capital Partners retains voting control over at least 50% of the outstanding voting securities of Acadia, Waud Capital Partners will have the right to designate seven directors, four of which will be Class I directors and three of which will be Class II directors and (B) in the event Waud Capital Partners ceases to have voting control over at least 50% of the outstanding voting securities of Acadia, Waud Capital Partners will have the right to designate such number of directors of the total authorized number of directors in proportion to the total number of shares of Acadia over which Waud Capital Partners retains voting control relative to the total number of shares of Acadia then issued and outstanding (with the number of representatives rounded up to the next whole number in all cases); provided that all such rights will terminate when Waud Capital Partners ceases to hold at least 17.5% of Acadia s outstanding voting securities.

Q: What constitutes a quorum for the special meeting? (See page 51)

A: A majority of the votes entitled to be cast by holders of issued and outstanding shares of PHC common stock must be present or represented by proxy to constitute a quorum for action on each of the matters to be voted upon at the special meeting. All shares of PHC common stock represented at the special meeting, including abstentions and broker non-votes, will be treated as present for purposes of determining the presence or absence of a quorum for all matters voted on at the special meeting of the PHC stockholders.

Q: What stockholder approval is needed to complete the merger? (See page 50)

A: Approval of the merger agreement requires an affirmative vote of (i) at least two-thirds of the outstanding Class A Common Stock and Class B Common Stock entitled to vote, voting as a single class, (ii) at least two-thirds of the outstanding Class A Common Stock entitled to vote, voting as a single class and (iii) at least two-thirds of the outstanding Class B Common Stock entitled to vote, voting as a single class.

Each record holder of shares of PHC Class A Common Stock will be entitled at the special meeting to one vote for each share of PHC Class A Common Stock held on the record date. Each record holder of shares of PHC Class B Common Stock will be entitled at the special meeting to five votes for each share of PHC Class B Common Stock held on the record date on any matter on which they vote together with the holders of the Class A Common Stock.

Q: What vote of PHC s stockholders is required to approve the non-binding, advisory proposal regarding certain merger-related executive compensation arrangements? (See page 50)

A: Approval of the non-binding, advisory proposal regarding certain merger-related executive compensation arrangements requires the affirmative vote of holders of majority of the outstanding shares of PHC Class A Common Stock and the outstanding shares of PHC Class B Common Stock present and voting (voting together, with the shares of Class B Common Stock casting five votes for each share held). Stockholders should note that the proposal regarding certain merger-related executive compensation arrangements is merely an advisory vote which will not be binding on PHC, Acadia or the Acadia board of directors.

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Q: What do I need to do now? (See page 51)

A: After reading and considering the information contained in and incorporated into this proxy statement/prospectus, please submit your proxy card according to the instructions on the enclosed proxy card as soon as possible. If you do not submit a proxy card or attend the special meeting and vote in person, your shares will not be represented or voted at the meeting. This will have the same effect as voting against the proposal to approve the merger agreement.

Q: If my shares of PHC common stock are held in street name by my bank or broker, will my bank or broker vote my shares for me? (See page 51)

A: Your bank or broker will vote your shares only if you provide instructions on how to vote by following the information provided to you by your bank or broker.

Without instructions from you on how to vote your shares, your bank or broker will not have discretionary authority to vote your shares on the matters currently proposed to be presented at the special meeting. As a result, your bank or broker may deliver a proxy card expressly indicating that it is NOT voting your shares. This indication that a broker is not voting your shares is referred to as a broker non-vote. Broker non-votes will be counted for the purpose of determining the presence or absence of a quorum at the special meeting. However, a broker non-vote will not be entitled to vote on the proposal to approve the merger agreement, and thus a broker non-vote will have the effect of a vote against this proposal.

Q: What will happen if I abstain from voting or fail to vote? (See page 51)

A: With respect to the proposal to approve the merger agreement, if you abstain from voting on the proposal, fail to cast your vote in person or by proxy or if your shares are held by your broker or other nominee (i.e., in street name) and you fail to give voting instructions to your broker or other nominee on how to vote your shares, it will have the same effect as a vote AGAINST the proposal to approve the merger agreement.

With respect to the non-binding, advisory proposal regarding certain merger-related executive compensation and the proposal to approve any adjournment of the special meeting for the purpose of soliciting additional proxies, if you abstain from voting on either proposal, fail to cast your vote in person or by proxy or if you hold your shares in street name and fail to give voting instructions to your broker or other nominee on how to vote your shares, it will not have any effect on the outcome of the vote on such proposal.

Q: If I am a PHC stockholder, what do I do if I want to change my vote after I have submitted my proxy? (See page 51)

A: You may change your vote at any time before your proxy is voted at the special meeting. There are three ways for you to do this:

by delivering to the clerk of PHC a signed notice that you wish to revoke your proxy;

by delivering to the clerk of PHC a signed and later-dated proxy; or

by attending the special meeting and voting in person.

If your shares are held in street name by a bank or broker and you have instructed your bank or broker to vote your shares, you must follow your bank s or broker s instructions to change your vote.

Q: When do you expect the merger to be completed? (See page 53)

A: PHC and Acadia are working to complete the merger as quickly as possible. Acadia and PHC expect to complete the merger in the fourth quarter of 2011.

Q: Will the merger trigger the recognition of gain or loss for United States federal income tax purposes for PHC stockholders? (See page 77)

A: The closing of the merger is conditioned upon the receipt by PHC and Acadia of legal opinions that the merger will constitute a reorganization for United States federal income tax purposes. Assuming the merger constitutes a reorganization, subject to the limitations and qualifications described in The Merger Material United States Federal Income Tax Consequences of the Merger, PHC stockholders whose shares of PHC common

stock are exchanged in the merger solely for shares of Acadia common stock will not recognize capital gain or loss for United States federal income tax purposes on the exchange (except to the extent they receive cash in lieu of a fractional share of Acadia common stock), and PHC stockholders whose shares of PHC common stock are exchanged in the merger for shares of Acadia common stock and cash will recognize capital gain (but not loss) realized on the exchange in an amount not exceeding the amount of cash received (excluding cash received in lieu of a fractional share of Acadia common stock). The tax consequences to PHC stockholders will depend on each stockholder s own circumstances. This tax treatment may not apply to certain PHC stockholders, as described in The Merger Material United States Federal Income Tax Consequences of the Merger. Determining the actual tax consequences of the merger to you may be complex and will depend on the facts of your own situation. You should consult your own tax advisors to fully understand the tax consequences to you of the merger, including estate, gift, state, local or non-United States tax consequences of the merger.

Q: Should PHC stockholders send in their stock certificates now? (See page 87)

A: No. After the merger is completed, Acadia will send you written instructions for exchanging your PHC stock certificates for Acadia stock certificates.

Q: Whom should I call with questions? (See page 51)

A: Georgeson Inc.
199 Water Street, 26th Floor
New York, New York 10038-3560
Banks and Brokers Call (212) 440-9800
All Others Call Toll-Free (888) 658-3624

RISK FACTORS

You should carefully consider the following risk factors, together with all of the other information included in this proxy statement/prospectus, before you decide whether to vote or direct your vote to be cast to approve the merger or the merger agreement. References to we, us and our in this Risk Factor section refer to the operations of the combi company following completion of the merger.

Risks Related to the Merger

The directors and executive officers of PHC have interests that differ from those of PHC stockholders.

The directors and executive officers of PHC have interests in the merger as individuals that are different from, and in addition to, the interests of PHC stockholders generally, including the following:

Holders of Class B Common Stock of PHC will receive $5.0 million in aggregate cash consideration for shares of Class B Common Stock exchanged for shares of Acadia common stock in the merger. Mr. Shear, PHC s current Chief Executive Officer, beneficially owns approximately 93.2% of PHC s Class B Common Stock and will be entitled to receive cash merger consideration of approximately $4.7 million;

Mr. Shear, Mr. Boswell, PHC s current Senior Vice President, and Ms. Wurts, PHC s current Chief Financial Officer, are participants in the PHC change-in-control supplemental benefit plan. Pursuant to such plan, upon the closing of the merger, Mr. Shear, Mr. Boswell and Ms. Wurts are entitled to receive certain change in control payments in the amount of approximately $1,530,000, $465,000 and $408,000, respectively;

Mr. Shear, Mr. Boswell and Ms. Wurts hold stock options to purchase shares of PHC Class A Common Stock, subject to various vesting provisions. Pursuant to the merger agreement, upon completion of the merger, Acadia will assume these options in accordance with their existing terms, with the number of shares and the exercise prices adjusted in accordance with the merger exchange rate. Mr. Shear currently holds 170,000 options exercisable at prices ranging from $1.08 per share to $2.95 per share, Mr. Boswell currently holds 85,000 options exercisable at prices ranging from $1.08 per share to $2.95 per share and Ms. Wurts currently holds 85,000 options exercisable at prices ranging from $1.08 per share to $2.95 per share;

Upon the closing of the merger, notwithstanding the terms and conditions of the corresponding PHC stock option plan or as otherwise set forth in a stock option agreement, with respect to the assumed PHC options granted to current PHC directors other than Mr. Shear, (i) all such assumed options will be fully vested at closing, and (ii) such assumed options will not terminate as a result of such holder ceasing or failing to be a director or employee and will be fully exercisable at any time prior to the expiration of the option term;

Upon the closing of the merger, notwithstanding the terms and conditions of the corresponding stock option plan or otherwise set forth in Mr. Shear s stock option agreement, with respect to the assumed PHC options granted to Mr. Shear, (i) all such assumed options shall be subject to the same vesting conditions to which they were subject prior to the assumption and (ii) the vested portion of such assumed options will not terminate as a result of Mr. Shear ceasing or failing to become a director or employee and, subject to satisfaction of the vesting conditions, will be fully exercisable at any time prior to the expiration of the option term;

Upon the closing of the merger, Mr. Shear will become a director of Acadia and the Executive Vice Chairman of the Acadia board of directors and Mr. Boswell will become Acadia s Senior Vice President and their new

employment agreements will become effective upon the closing of the merger; and

Acadia will maintain all rights to indemnification existing in favor of the directors and officers of PHC and its subsidiaries for their acts and omissions occurring prior to the completion of the merger and will maintain the directors and officers liability insurance to cover any such liabilities for six years following the completion of the merger.

In addition, you should be aware that Mr. Shear has a significant relationship with PHC due to his position as a current director of PHC and will have a significant relationship with Acadia following the merger as a future director of Acadia, which is why his assumed options will be treated differently than those of the other PHC

directors. This relationship may have influenced his decision to vote his PHC Class B Common Stock in favor of the merger agreement. Mr. Shear abstained from the vote of the PHC directors on the merger.

PHC stockholders should consider whether these interests may have influenced these directors and executive officers to vote in favor of the merger agreement and to recommend that PHC stockholders vote in favor of the merger agreement.

Following the merger the combined company will have a substantial amount of indebtedness, which could adversely affect our financial health.

Following the merger the combined company will have a substantial amount of indebtedness. As of June 30, 2011, on a pro forma basis giving effect to the merger, the combined company would have had approximately $290 million of total indebtedness and approximately $23 million of available borrowing capacity under its revolving credit facility. Between $80.0 million and $90.0 million of Acadia s borrowings under the Senior Notes and/or Bridge Facility shall be used to pay a dividend to Acadia s existing shareholders and to make a payment to Waud Capital Partners in connection with the termination of the Professional Services Agreement. For a description of the expected financing for the merger, see The Merger Acadia s Financing for the Merger and Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements.

Our substantial level of indebtedness could have important consequences to you. For example, it could:

- increase our vulnerability to adverse economic and industry conditions;
- limit our ability to obtain additional financing for future working capital, capital expenditures, raw materials, strategic acquisitions and other general corporate requirements;
- expose us to interest rate fluctuations because the interest on the debt under our the Senior Secured Credit Facility is imposed at variable rates;
- require us to dedicate a substantial portion of our cash flow from operations to payments on our debt (including scheduled repayments on our outstanding term loan borrowings under the Senior Secured Credit Facility), thereby reducing the availability of our cash flow for operations and other purposes;
- make it more difficult for us to satisfy our obligations to our lenders, resulting in possible defaults on and acceleration of such indebtedness;
- limit our ability to refinance indebtedness or increase the associated costs;
- require us to sell assets to reduce debt or influence our decision about whether to do so;
- limit our flexibility in planning for, or reacting to, changes in our business and the industry in which we operate or prevent us from carrying out capital spending that is necessary or important to our growth strategy and efforts to improve operating margins or our business; and
- place us at a competitive disadvantage compared to any competitors that have less debt or comparable debt at more favorable interest rates and that, as a result, may be better positioned to withstand economic downturns.

We will incur substantial expenses related to the merger and issue a significant cash dividend to Acadia s stockholders prior to the merger in connection with the merger.

Acadia and PHC estimate that they will incur aggregate costs of approximately $40.6 million associated with the merger, as well as severance costs relating to employees of PHC of approximately $3.7 million. In addition, the combined company expects to incur certain costs in connection with the integration of the two companies. Such costs cannot now be reasonably estimated, because they depend on future decisions to be made by management of the combined company, but they could be material. Between $80.0 million and $90.0 million of Acadia s borrowings under the Senior Notes and/or Bridge Facility shall be used to pay a dividend to Acadia s existing shareholders and to make a payment to Waud Capital Partners in connection with the termination of the Professional Services Agreement.

PHC stockholders will have a reduced ownership and voting interest after the merger and will exercise less influence over management of the combined company following the merger.

After the merger, PHC stockholders will own a significantly smaller percentage of Acadia than they currently own of PHC. Following completion of the merger, PHC stockholders will own 22.5% of the combined company on a fully diluted basis (as defined in the merger agreement). Consequently, PHC stockholders will be able to exercise less influence over the management and policies of Acadia than they currently exercise over the management and policies of PHC.

If we do not successfully integrate the operations of Acadia and PHC and realize the expected benefits of the merger, our results of operations could be adversely affected.

Achieving the expected benefits of the merger will depend in part upon the retention of the chief executive officer, chief financial officer, medical director, physicians and other key personnel at the facilities owned and operated by Acadia and PHC and the successful integration of the operations, medical and management personnel, suppliers and technology of Acadia and PHC in a timely and efficient manner. Retention and integration efforts may be difficult and unpredictable because of possible cultural conflicts and different opinions on technical decisions, strategic plans and other decisions. We do not know whether we will be successful in these retention and integration efforts and cannot give assurances that we will realize the expected benefits of the merger.

In addition, successful integration of the operations of Acadia and PHC may place a significant burden on our management and internal resources. The diversion of management s attention and any difficulties encountered in the transition and integration process could have an adverse effect on the future business, financial condition and operating results of the combined company.

Although the PHC board of directors received a fairness opinion with respect to some aspects of the merger consideration, the opinion is limited and does not address the fairness of all aspects of the merger.

SRR has delivered to the PHC board of directors an opinion dated May 19, 2011 to the effect that, as of that date and subject to the assumptions made, matters considered and limitations as set forth therein, (i) the merger consideration to be received by the holders of outstanding shares of PHC s Class A Common Stock and Class B Common Stock (in the aggregate) was fair, from a financial point of view, to such holders, and (ii) the merger consideration to be received by the holders of the outstanding shares of PHC s Class A Common Stock (in the aggregate) was fair, from a financial point of view, to such holders. SRR was not requested to opine as to, and its opinion does not in any manner address: (A) PHC s underlying business decision to proceed with or effect the merger, (B) the amount of the merger consideration to be paid to holders of PHC s Class B Common Stock, the amount of any distribution paid to Acadia stockholders, the allocation of the merger consideration among the PHC stockholders or the amount per share of the merger consideration, the amount of the merger consideration paid to the holders of PHC s Class A Common Stock relative to the merger consideration paid to the holders of PHC s Class B Common Stock or relative to the merger consideration paid to all holders of PHC common stock, the amount of any payments made to PHC directors, officers or employees relative to the amount of the merger consideration paid to the holders of PHC s common stock or any other term or condition or any agreement or document related to, or the form or any other portion or aspect of, the merger, except as expressly stated in its opinion letter, or (C) the solvency, creditworthiness or fair value of PHC, Acadia or any other participant in the merger under any applicable laws relating to bankruptcy, insolvency or similar matters.

Risks Affecting Acadia, PHC and the Combined Company

Our revenues and results of operations are significantly affected by payments received from the government and third-party payers.

A significant portion of our revenues is from the government, principally Medicare and Medicaid. For the year ended December 31, 2010, Acadia derived approximately 68% of its revenues (on a pro forma basis giving effect to the YFCS acquisition) from the Medicare and Medicaid programs. PHC derived approximately 37% of its revenues from such programs for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2010 (on a pro forma basis giving effect to the MeadowWood

acquisition). Changes in government health care programs may reduce the reimbursement we receive and could adversely affect our business and results of operations.

Changes in these government programs in recent years have resulted in limitations on reimbursement and, in some cases, reduced levels of reimbursement for healthcare services. Payments from federal and state government programs are subject to statutory and regulatory changes, administrative rulings, interpretations and determinations, requirements for utilization review, and federal and state funding restrictions, all of which could materially increase or decrease program payments, as well as affect the cost of providing service to patients and the timing of payments to facilities. We are unable to predict the effect of recent and future policy changes on our operations. In addition, since most states operate with balanced budgets and since the Medicaid program is often a state s largest program, some states can be expected to enact or consider enacting legislation formulated to reduce their Medicaid expenditures. Furthermore, the current economic downturn has increased the budgetary pressures on the federal government and many states, which may negatively affect the availability of taxpayer funds for Medicare and Medicaid programs. If the rates paid or the scope of services covered by government payers are reduced, there could be a material adverse effect on our business, financial position and results of operations.

On August 2, 2011, the Budget Control Act of 2011 (the Budget Control Act) was enacted into law. The Budget Control Act imposes annual spending limits on many federal agencies and programs aimed at reducing budget deficits by $917 billion between 2012 and 2021, according to a report released by the Congressional Budget Office. The Budget Control Act also establishes a bipartisan joint select committee of Congress that is responsible for developing recommendations to reduce future federal budget deficits by an additional $1.2 trillion over 10 years. If the joint select committee is unable to reach an agreement, across-the-board cuts to mandatory and discretionary federal spending could be automatically implemented, which could result in reductions of payments to Medicare providers of up to 2%. We cannot predict if reductions to future Medicare or other government payments to providers will be implemented as a result of the Budget Control Act or what impact, if any, the Budget Control Act will have on our business or results of operations.

In addition to changes in government reimbursement programs, our ability to negotiate favorable contracts with private payers, including managed care providers, significantly affects the revenues and operating results of our facilities.

We expect continued third-party efforts to aggressively manage reimbursement levels and cost controls. Reductions in reimbursement amounts received from third-party payers could have a material adverse effect on our financial position and our results of operations.

A worsening of the economic and employment conditions in the United States could materially affect our business and future results of operations.

During periods of high unemployment, governmental entities often experience budget deficits as a result of increased costs and lower than expected tax collections. These budget deficits at the federal, state and local levels have decreased, and may continue to decrease, spending for health and human service programs, including Medicare and Medicaid, which are significant payer sources for our facilities. In periods of high unemployment, we also face the risk of potential declines in the population covered under managed care agreements, patient decisions to postpone or decide against receiving behavioral health services, potential increases in the uninsured and underinsured populations we serve and further difficulties in collecting patient co-payment and deductible receivables.

Furthermore, the availability of liquidity and credit to fund the continuation and expansion of many business operations worldwide has been limited in recent years. Our ability to access the capital markets on acceptable terms may be severely restricted at a time when we would like, or need, access to those markets, which could have a

negative impact on our growth plans, our flexibility to react to changing economic and business conditions and our ability to refinance existing debt (including indebtedness under the Senior Secured Credit Facility). The current economic downturn or other economic conditions could also adversely affect the counterparties to our agreements, including the lenders under the Acadia Senior Secured Facility, causing them to fail to meet their obligations to us.

If we fail to comply with extensive laws and government regulations, we could suffer penalties or be required to make significant changes to our operations.

Our industry is required to comply with extensive and complex laws and regulations at the federal, state and local government levels relating to, among other things: billing practices and prices for services; relationships with psychiatrists, physicians and other referral sources; necessity and quality of medical care; condition and adequacy of facilities; qualifications of medical and support personnel; confidentiality, maintenance and security issues associated with health-related information and patient personal information and medical records; the screening, stabilization and/or transfer of patients who have emergency medical conditions; certification, licensure and accreditation of our facilities; operating policies and procedures, activities regarding competitors; and addition or expansion of facilities and services.

Among these laws are the Anti-Kickback Statute, the Stark Law, the federal False Claims Act and similar state laws. These laws, and particularly the Anti-Kickback Statute and the Stark Law, impact the relationships that we may have with psychiatrists and other referral sources. We have a variety of financial relationships with physicians who refer patients to our facilities, including employment contracts, leases and professional service agreements. These laws govern those relationships. The Office of the Inspector General of the Department of Health and Human Services (the OIG) has enacted safe harbor regulations that outline practices that are deemed protected from prosecution under the Anti-Kickback Statute. While we endeavor to comply with applicable safe harbors, certain of our current arrangements with physicians and other referral sources may not qualify for safe harbor protection. Failure to meet a safe harbor does not mean that the arrangement necessarily violates the Anti-Kickback Statute, but may subject it to greater scrutiny. We cannot offer assurances that practices that are outside of a safe harbor will not be found to violate the Anti-Kickback Statute. Allegations of violations of the Anti-Kickback Statute may be brought under the federal Civil Monetary Penalty Law, which requires a lower burden of proof than other fraud and abuse laws, including the Anti-Kickback Statute.

These laws and regulations are extremely complex, and, in many cases, we do not have the benefit of regulatory or judicial interpretation. In the future, it is possible that different interpretations or enforcement of these laws and regulations could subject our current or past practices to allegations of impropriety or illegality or could require us to make changes in our facilities, equipment, personnel, services, capital expenditure programs and operating expenses. A determination that we have violated one or more of these laws could subject us to liabilities, including civil penalties (including the loss of our licenses to operate one or more facilities), exclusion of one or more facilities from participation in the Medicare, Medicaid and other federal and state health care programs and, for violations of certain laws and regulations, criminal penalties. Even the public announcement that we are being investigated for possible violations of these laws could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition or results of operations, and our business reputation could suffer. In addition, we cannot predict whether other legislation or regulations at the federal or state level will be adopted, what form such legislation or regulations may take or what their impact on us may be.

We may be required to spend substantial amounts to comply with legislative and regulatory initiatives relating to privacy and security of patient health information and standards for electronic transactions.

There are currently numerous legislative and regulatory initiatives at the federal and state levels addressing patient privacy and security concerns. In particular, federal regulations issued under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, or HIPAA, require our facilities to comply with standards to protect the privacy, security and integrity of health care information. These regulations have imposed extensive administrative requirements, technical and physical information security requirements, restrictions on the use and disclosure of individually identifiable patient health and related financial information and have provided patients with additional rights with respect to their health information. Compliance with these regulations requires substantial expenditures, which could

negatively impact our financial results. In addition, our management has spent, and may spend in the future, substantial time and effort on compliance measures.

Violations of the privacy and security regulations could subject our inpatient facilities to civil penalties of up to $25,000 per calendar year for each provision contained in the privacy and security regulations that are violated and criminal penalties of up to $250,000 per violation for certain other violations, in each case with the size of such

penalty based on certain factors. Because there is no significant history of enforcement efforts by the federal government at this time, it is not possible to ascertain the likelihood of enforcement efforts in connection with these regulations or the potential for fines and penalties that may result from the violation of the regulations.

We may be subject to liabilities from claims brought against our facilities.

We are subject to medical malpractice lawsuits and other legal actions in the ordinary course of business. Some of these actions may involve large claims, as well as significant defense costs. We cannot predict the outcome of these lawsuits or the effect that findings in such lawsuits may have on us. All professional and general liability insurance we purchase is subject to policy limitations. We believe that, based on our past experience and actuarial estimates, our insurance coverage is adequate considering the claims arising from the operations of our facilities. While we continuously monitor our coverage, our ultimate liability for professional and general liability claims could change materially from our current estimates. If such policy limitations should be partially or fully exhausted in the future, or payments of claims exceed our estimates or are not covered by our insurance, it could have a material adverse effect on our operations.

We have been and could become the subject of governmental investigations, regulatory actions and whistleblower lawsuits.

Healthcare companies are subject to numerous investigations by various governmental agencies. Further, under the federal False Claims Act, private parties are permitted to bring qui tam or whistleblower lawsuits against companies that submit false claims for payments to, or improperly retain overpayments from, the government. Because qui tam lawsuits are filed under seal, we could be named in one or more such lawsuits of which we are not aware.

Certain of our facilities have received, and other facilities may receive, government inquiries from, and may be subject to investigation by, federal and state agencies. Depending on whether the underlying conduct in these or future inquiries or investigations could be considered systemic, their resolution could have a material adverse effect on our financial position, results of operations and liquidity.

If any of our existing health care facilities lose their accreditation or any of our new facilities fail to receive accreditation, such facilities could become ineligible to receive reimbursement under Medicare or Medicaid.

The construction and operation of healthcare facilities are subject to extensive federal, state and local regulation relating to, among other things, the adequacy of medical care, equipment, personnel, operating policies and procedures, fire prevention, rate-setting and compliance with building codes and environmental protection. Additionally, such facilities are subject to periodic inspection by government authorities to assure their continued compliance with these various standards.

We are subject to uncertainties regarding recent health care reform, which represents a significant change to the health care industry.

On March 23, 2010, President Obama signed into law the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (the PPACA). The Healthcare and Education Reconciliation Act of 2010 (the Reconciliation Act), which contains a number of amendments to the PPACA, was signed into law on March 30, 2010. Two primary goals of the PPACA, combined with the Reconciliation Act (collectively referred to as the Health Reform Legislation), are to provide for increased access to coverage for healthcare and to reduce healthcare-related expenses.

The expansion of health insurance coverage under the Health Reform Legislation may increase the number of patients using our facilities who have either private or public program coverage. In addition, a disproportionately large

percentage of new Medicaid coverage is likely to be in states that currently have relatively low income eligibility requirements and may include states where we have facilities. Furthermore, as a result of the Health Reform Legislation, there may be a reduction in uninsured patients, which should reduce our expense from uncollectible accounts receivable.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Health Reform Legislation makes a number of other changes to Medicare and Medicaid which we believe may have an adverse impact on us. The Health Reform Legislation revises

reimbursement under the Medicare and Medicaid programs to emphasize the efficient delivery of high quality care and contains a number of incentives and penalties under these programs to achieve these goals. The Health Reform Legislation provides for decreases in the annual market basket update for federal fiscal years 2010 through 2019, a productivity offset to the market basket update beginning October 1, 2011 for Medicare Part B reimbursable items and services and beginning October 1, 2012 for Medicare inpatient hospital services. The Health Reform Legislation will reduce Medicare and Medicaid disproportionate share payments beginning in 2014, which would adversely impact the reimbursement we receive under these programs.

The various provisions in the Health Reform Legislation that directly or indirectly affect reimbursement are scheduled to take effect over a number of years. Health Reform Legislation provisions are likely to be affected by the incomplete nature of implementing regulations or expected forthcoming interpretive guidance, gradual implementation, future legislation, and possible judicial nullification of all or certain provisions of the Health Reform Legislation. Further Health Reform Legislation provisions, such as those creating the Medicare Shared Savings Program and the Independent Payment Advisory Board, create certain flexibilities in how healthcare may be reimbursed by federal programs in the future. Thus, we cannot predict the impact of the Health Reform Legislation on our future reimbursement at this time.

The Health Reform Legislation also contains provisions aimed at reducing fraud and abuse in healthcare. The Health Reform Legislation amends several existing laws, including the federal Anti-Kickback Statute (the Anti-Kickback Statute) and the False Claims Act, making it easier for government agencies and private plaintiffs to prevail in lawsuits brought against healthcare providers. Congress revised the intent requirement of the Anti-Kickback Statute to provide that a person is not required to have actual knowledge or specific intent to commit a violation of the Anti-Kickback Statute in order to be found guilty of violating such law. The Health Reform Legislation also provides that any claims for items or services that violate the Anti-Kickback Statute are also considered false claims for purposes of the federal civil False Claims Act. The Health Reform Legislation provides that a healthcare provider that knowingly retains an overpayment in excess of 60 days is subject to the federal civil False Claims Act. The Health Reform Legislation also expands the Recovery Audit Contractor program to Medicaid. These amendments also make it easier for severe fines and penalties to be imposed on healthcare providers that violate applicable laws and regulations.

The impact of the Health Reform Legislation on each of our facilities may vary. Because Health Reform Legislation provisions are effective at various times over the next several years and in light of federal lawsuits challenging the constitutionality of the Health Reform Legislation, we anticipate that many of the provisions in the Health Reform Legislation may be subject to further revision or judicial nullification. We cannot predict the impact the Health Reform Legislation may have on our business, results of operations, cash flow, capital resources and liquidity, or whether we will be able to successfully adapt to the changes required by the Health Reform Legislation.

We operate in a highly competitive industry, and competition may lead to declines in patient volumes.

The healthcare industry is highly competitive, and competition among healthcare providers (including hospitals) for patients, psychiatrists and other healthcare professionals has intensified in recent years. There are other healthcare facilities that provide behavioral and other mental health services comparable to at least some of those offered by our facilities in each of the geographical areas in which we operate. Some of our competitors are owned by tax-supported governmental agencies or by nonprofit corporations and may have certain financial advantages not available to us, including endowments, charitable contributions, tax-exempt financing and exemptions from sales, property and income taxes.

If our competitors are better able to attract patients, recruit and retain psychiatrists, physicians and other healthcare professionals, expand services or obtain favorable managed care contracts at their facilities, we may experience a

decline in patient volume and our business may be harmed.

The trend by insurance companies and managed care organizations to enter into sole source contracts may limit our ability to obtain patients.

Insurance companies and managed care organizations are entering into sole source contracts with healthcare providers, which could limit our ability to obtain patients. Private insurers, managed care organizations and, to a

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lesser extent, Medicaid and Medicare, are beginning to carve-out specific services, including mental health and substance abuse services, and establish small, specialized networks of providers for such services at fixed reimbursement rates. Continued growth in the use of carve-out arrangements could materially adversely affect our business to the extent we are not selected to participate in such smaller specialized networks or if the reimbursement rate is not adequate to cover the cost of providing the service.

Our performance depends on our ability to recruit and retain quality psychiatrists and other physicians.

The success and competitive advantage of our facilities depends, in part, on the number and quality of the psychiatrists and other physicians on the medical staffs of our facilities and our maintenance of good relations with those medical professionals. Although we employ psychiatrists and other physicians at many of our facilities, psychiatrists and other physicians generally are not employees of our facilities, and, in a number of our markets, they have admitting privileges at hospitals providing acute or inpatient behavioral health services. Such physicians (including psychiatrists) may terminate their affiliation with us at any time or admit their patients to competing healthcare facilities or hospitals. If we are unable to attract and retain sufficient numbers of quality psychiatrists and other physicians by providing adequate support personnel and facilities that meet the needs of those psychiatrists and other physicians, they may be discouraged from referring patients to our facilities and our results of operations may decline.

It may become difficult for us to attract and retain an adequate number of psychiatrists and other physicians to practice in certain of the communities in which our facilities are located. Our failure to recruit psychiatrists and other physicians to these communities or the loss of such medical professionals in these communities could make it more difficult to attract patients to our facilities and thereby may have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition and results of operations.

Additionally, our ability to recruit psychiatrists and other physicians is closely regulated. The form, amount and duration of assistance we can provide to recruited psychiatrists and other physicians is limited by the federal physician self-referral law (the Stark Law), the Anti-Kickback Statute, state anti-kickback statutes, and related regulations. For example, the Stark Law requires, among other things, that recruitment assistance can only be provided to psychiatrists and other physicians who meet certain geographic and practice requirements, that the amount of assistance cannot be changed during the term of the recruitment agreement, and that the recruitment payments cannot generally benefit psychiatrists and other physicians currently in practice in the community beyond recruitment costs actually incurred by them.

Our facilities face competition for staffing that may increase our labor costs and reduce our profitability.

Our operations depend on the efforts, abilities, and experience of our management and medical support personnel, including our therapists, nurses, pharmacists and mental health technicians, as well as our psychiatrists and other physicians. We compete with other healthcare providers in recruiting and retaining qualified management, physicians (including psychiatrists) and support personnel responsible for the daily operations of our facilities.

The nationwide shortage of nurses and other medical support personnel has been a significant operating issue facing us and other healthcare providers. This shortage may require us to enhance wages and benefits to recruit and retain nurses and other medical support personnel or require us to hire more expensive temporary or contract personnel. In addition, certain of our facilities are required to maintain specified nurse-staffing levels. To the extent we cannot meet those levels, we may be required to limit the services provided by these facilities, which would have a corresponding adverse effect on our net operating revenues.

Increased labor union activity is another factor that could adversely affect our labor costs. To date, labor unions represent employees at only three of our facilities. Although we are not aware of any union organizing activity at any of our other facilities, we are unable to predict whether any such activity will take place in the future. To the extent that a greater portion of our employee base unionizes, it is possible that our labor costs could increase materially.

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We cannot predict the degree to which we will be affected by the future availability or cost of attracting and retaining talented medical support staff. If our general labor and related expenses increase, we may not be able to raise our rates correspondingly. Our failure to either recruit and retain qualified management, nurses and other medical support personnel or control our labor costs could harm our results of operations.

We depend heavily on key management personnel and the departure of one or more of our key executives or a significant portion of our local facility management personnel could harm our business.

The expertise and efforts of our senior executives and the chief executive officer, chief financial officer, medical director, physicians and other key members of our facility management personnel are critical to the success of our business. The loss of the services of one or more of our senior executives or of a significant portion of our facility management personnel could significantly undermine our management expertise and our ability to provide efficient, quality healthcare services at our facilities, which could harm our business.

We could face risks associated with, or arising out of, environmental, health and safety laws and regulations.

We are subject to various federal, state and local laws and regulations that (i) regulate certain activities and operations that may have environmental or health and safety effects, such as the generation, handling and disposal of medical wastes, (ii) impose liability for costs of cleaning up, and damages to natural resources from, past spills, waste disposals on and off-site, or other releases of hazardous materials or regulated substances, and (iii) regulate workplace safety. Compliance with these laws and regulations could increase our costs of operation. Violation of these laws may subject us to significant fines, penalties or disposal costs, which could negatively impact our results of operations, financial position or cash flows. We could be responsible for the investigation and remediation of environmental conditions at currently or formerly operated or leased sites, as well as for associated liabilities, including liabilities for natural resource damages, third party property damage or personal injury resulting from lawsuits that could be brought by the government or private litigants, relating to our operations, the operations of facilities or the land on which our facilities are located. We may be subject to these liabilities regardless of whether we lease or own the facility, and regardless of whether such environmental conditions were created by us or by a prior owner or tenant, or by a third party or a neighboring facility whose operations may have affected such facility or land. That is because liability for contamination under certain environmental laws can be imposed on current or past owners or operators of a site without regard to fault. We cannot assure you that environmental conditions relating to our prior, existing or future sites or those of predecessor companies whose liabilities we may have assumed or acquired will not have a material adverse affect on our business.

Acadia may not be able to successfully integrate its acquisition of YFCS or realize the potential benefits of the acquisition, which could cause an adverse effect on the combined company.

Acadia may not be able to combine successfully the operations of YFCS with its operations, and, even if such integration is accomplished, Acadia may never realize the potential benefits of the acquisition. The integration of YFCS with the Acadia operations requires significant attention from management, may impose substantial demands on Acadia s operations or other projects and may impose challenges on the combined business including, but not limited to, consistencies in business standards, procedures, policies and business cultures. The integration of YFCS also involves a significant capital commitment, and the return that Acadia achieves on any capital invested may be less than the return that Acadia would achieve on our other projects or investments. Furthermore, we cannot assure you that the combined company will achieve anticipated cost savings and synergies in a timely manner or at all. Any of these factors could cause delays or increased costs of combining YFCS with Acadia and could adversely affect our operations, financial results and liquidity.

Our growth strategy depends, in part, on acquisitions, and we may not be able to continue to acquire facilities that meet our target criteria.

Acquisitions of other behavioral healthcare facilities are a key element of our growth strategy. We face competition for acquisition candidates primarily from other for-profit healthcare companies, as well as from not-for-profit entities. Some of our competitors have greater resources than we do. Our principal competitors for

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acquisitions have included Universal Health Services, Inc. (UHS), Aurora Behavioral Health Care (Aurora) and Ascend Health Corporation (Ascend). Also, suitable acquisitions may not be accomplished due to unfavorable terms.

Further, the cost of an acquisition could result in a dilutive effect on our results of operations, depending on various factors, including the amount paid for an acquired facility, the acquired facility s results of operations, the fair value of assets acquired and liabilities assumed, effects of subsequent legislation and limits on rate increases.

We may not achieve all of the expected benefits from synergies, cost savings and recent improvements to our revenue base.

Although we have identified certain synergies and cost savings in connection with the merger, as well as recent improvements to our revenue base, we may not realize any benefits from expected operating improvements. The improvements to our revenue base result from a rate increase on one of our contracts effective in March 2011 and the expansion of one of our existing contracts in December 2010. In an effort to illustrate the impact of these items on our operating income, we have made an estimate of the impact of these improvements for 2010, even though they were not effective for the entire 2010 fiscal year. In addition, we have made an estimate of start up losses at the Seven Hills Behavioral Center, which was opened in the fourth quarter of 2008 and became CMS certified in July 2010, because we incurred certain of these start up losses in 2010 but do not expect to incur them in the future. See Acadia Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations Anticipated Synergies, Cost Savings and Revenue Improvements. Although these estimates are presented in Acadia Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations Anticipated Synergies, Cost Savings and Revenue Improvements with numerical specificity, they are inherently uncertain and are not intended to represent what our financial position or results of operations might be for any future period. Our ability to realize the expected benefits from these improvements are subject to significant business, economic and competitive uncertainties and contingencies, many of which are beyond our control, such as changes to government regulation governing or otherwise impacting the behavioral health care industry, reductions in reimbursement rates from third party payors, reductions in service levels under our contracts, operating difficulties, client preferences, changes in competition and general economic or industry conditions. If we are unsuccessful in implementing these improvements or if we do not achieve our expected results, it may adversely impact our results of operations.

If we are unable to improve the operations of the facilities we acquire, our growth strategy may be adversely affected.

We may be unable to timely and effectively integrate the facilities that we acquire (including from YFCS and PHC) with our ongoing operations. We may experience delays in implementing operating procedures and systems in newly acquired facilities. Integrating a new facility could be expensive and time consuming and could disrupt our ongoing business, negatively affect cash flow and distract management and other key personnel. In addition, some of the facilities we acquired may have had significantly lower operating margins than the facilities we operated prior to the time of our acquisition thereof or had operating losses prior to such acquisition. If we fail to improve the operating margins of the facilities we acquire, operate such facilities profitably or effectively integrate the operations of acquired facilities, our results of operations could be negatively impacted.

If we acquire facilities with unknown or contingent liabilities, we could become liable for material obligations.

Facilities that we acquire may have unknown or contingent liabilities, including, but not limited to, liabilities for failure to comply with healthcare laws and regulations. Although we typically attempt to exclude significant liabilities from our acquisition transactions and seek indemnification from the sellers of such facilities for at least a portion of these matters, we may experience difficulty enforcing those obligations or we may incur material liabilities for the past activities of acquired facilities. Such liabilities and related legal or other costs and/or resulting damage to a

facility s reputation could negatively impact our business.

State efforts to regulate the construction or expansion of health care facilities could impair our ability to operate and expand our operations.

A majority of the states in which we operate facilities have enacted Certificates of Need (CON) laws as a condition to the construction or expansion of healthcare facilities, to make certain capital expenditures or to make changes in services or bed capacity. In giving approval, these states consider the need for additional or expanded healthcare facilities or services. Our failure to obtain necessary state approval could result in our inability to acquire a targeted facility, complete a desired expansion or make a desired replacement, make a facility ineligible to receive reimbursement under the Medicare or Medicaid programs, result in the revocation of a facility s license or impose civil or criminal penalties on us, any of which could harm our business.

In addition, significant CON reforms have been proposed in a number of states that would increase the capital spending thresholds and provide exemptions of various services from review requirements. In the past, we have not experienced any material adverse effects from those requirements, but we cannot predict the impact of these changes upon our operations.

Controls designed to reduce inpatient services may reduce our revenues.

Controls imposed by Medicare, Medicaid and commercial third-party payers designed to reduce admissions and lengths of stay, commonly referred to as utilization review, have affected and are expected to continue to affect our facilities. Utilization review entails the review of the admission and course of treatment of a patient by health plans. Inpatient utilization, average lengths of stay and occupancy rates continue to be negatively affected by payer-required preadmission authorization and utilization review and by payer pressure to maximize outpatient and alternative healthcare delivery services for less acutely ill patients. Efforts to impose more stringent cost controls are expected to continue. For example, the Health Reform Legislation potentially expands the use of prepayment review by Medicare contractors by eliminating statutory restrictions on its use. Utilization review is also a requirement of most non-governmental managed-care organizations and other third-party payers. Although we are unable to predict the effect these controls and changes will have on our operations, significant limits on the scope of services reimbursed and on reimbursement rates and fees could have a material adverse effect on our business and results of operations.

We expect that our stock price will experience significant volatility due to external factors in our quarterly operating results.

We intend that our common stock will trade on NASDAQ. Acadia is currently a private company and its common stock does not currently trade on an exchange. Historically, PHC s common stock has generally experienced relatively low daily trading volumes in relation to the aggregate number of shares outstanding. Many economic and seasonal factors outside of our control could cause fluctuations in our quarterly earnings and adversely affect the price of our common stock. These factors include certain of the risks discussed herein, demographic changes, operating results of other behavioral healthcare companies (including hospitals providing such services), changes in our financial estimates or recommendations of securities analysts, speculation in the press or investment community, the possible effects of war, terrorist and other hostilities, adverse weather conditions, managed care contract negotiations and terminations, changes in general conditions in the economy or the financial markets, or other developments affecting the health care industry. If we are unable to operate our facilities as profitably as our stockholders expect us to in the future, the market price of our common stock will likely decline as stockholders could sell shares of our common stock when it becomes apparent that the market expectations may not be met.

The stock markets have experienced volatility that has often been unrelated to operating performance. These broad market fluctuations may adversely affect the trading price of our common stock and cause significant volatility in the market price of our common stock.

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If the ownership of Acadia common stock following the completion of the merger continues to be highly concentrated, it may prevent you and other stockholders from influencing significant corporate decisions and may result in conflicts of interest that could cause Acadia s stock price to decline.

Waud Capital Partners and Acadia s executive officers, directors and their affiliates will beneficially own 77.5% of the outstanding shares of Acadia common stock on a fully diluted basis (as defined in the merger agreement) following the completion of the merger. Accordingly, Waud Capital Partners and these executive officers, directors and their affiliates, acting as a group, will have substantial influence over the outcome of corporate actions requiring stockholder approval, including the election of directors, any merger, consolidation or sale of all or substantially all of our assets or any other significant corporate transactions. These stockholders may also delay or prevent a change of control of us, even if such a change of control would benefit our other stockholders. The significant concentration of stock ownership may cause the trading price of our common stock to decline due to investor perception that conflicts of interest may exist or arise.

Additionally, the stockholders agreement to be entered into by Acadia, Waud Capital Partners and certain of its affiliates and certain members of Acadia and PHC management in connection with the merger will grant Waud Capital Partners certain board nomination, information and consent rights. It will also impose certain restrictions on Acadia s business and operations for so long as Waud Capital Partners and its affiliates hold at least 17.5% of Acadia s outstanding voting securities. See Stockholders Agreement for a description of this agreement and the related restrictions.

We are a controlled company, controlled by Waud Capital Partners, whose interest in our business may be different from ours or yours.

After consummation of the merger, Waud Capital Partners will control approximately 63.0% of the voting power of our common stock and be able to elect a majority of our board of directors. As a result, we will be considered a controlled company for the purposes of the NASDAQ listing requirements. As a controlled company, we will be permitted to, and we intend to, opt out of the NASDAQ listing requirements that would otherwise require a majority of the members of our board of directors to be independent and require that we either establish a compensation committee and a nominating and governance committee, each comprised entirely of independent directors, or otherwise ensure that the compensation of our executive officers and nominees for directors are determined or recommended to our board of directors by the independent members of our board of directors. The NASDAQ listing requirements are intended to ensure that directors who meet the independence standard are free of any conflicting interest that could influence their actions as directors. It is possible that the interests of Waud Capital Partners may in some circumstances conflict with our interests and the interests of our other stockholders.

If securities or industry analysts do not publish research or reports about our business, if they were to change their recommendations regarding Acadia stock adversely or if the operating results of the combined company do not meet their expectations, Acadia s stock price and trading volume could decline.

Following the merger, the trading market for Acadia s common stock will be influenced by the research and reports that industry or securities analysts publish about the combined company. If one or more of these analysts cease coverage of Acadia or fail to regularly publish reports on Acadia, we could lose visibility in the financial markets, which in turn could cause Acadia s stock price or trading volume to decline. Moreover, if one or more of the analysts who cover Acadia downgrade its stock or if the operating results of the combined company do not meet their expectations, Acadia s stock price could decline.

Future sales of common stock by Acadia s existing stockholders may cause the Acadia stock price to fall.

The market price of Acadia s common stock could decline as a result of sales by Acadia s then existing stockholders in the market after the completion of the merger, or the perception that these sales could occur. These sales might also make it more difficult for Acadia to sell equity securities at a time and price that it deems appropriate.

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Waud Capital Partners and certain of its affiliates, along with certain members of our management, have certain demand and piggyback registration rights with respect to shares of Acadia common stock beneficially owned by them. The presence of additional shares of Acadia common stock trading in the public market, as a result of the exercise of such registration rights, may have an adverse effect on the market price of Acadia s securities.

Different interpretations of accounting principles could have a material adverse effect on our results of operations or financial condition.

Generally accepted accounting principles are complex, continually evolving and may be subject to varied interpretation by us, our independent registered public accounting firm and the SEC. Such varied interpretations could result from differing views related to specific facts and circumstances. Differences in interpretation of generally accepted accounting principles could have a material adverse effect on our financial position or results of operations.

Although we have facilities in 18 states, we have substantial operations in each of Arkansas, Indiana, Michigan, Mississippi and Nevada, which makes us sensitive to regulatory, economic, environmental and competitive conditions and changes in those states.

We operated 29 treatment facilities as of June 30, 2011 (on a pro forma basis giving effect to the merger, including PHC s acquisition of MeadowWood), 14 of which are located in Arkansas, Indiana, Michigan, Mississippi or Nevada. Our revenues in those states represented approximately 53% of our consolidated revenue for the year ended December 31, 2010 (on a pro forma basis giving effect to the YFCS acquisition and the merger, including PHC s acquisition of MeadowWood). This concentration makes us particularly sensitive to legislative, regulatory, economic, environmental and competition changes in those states. Any material change in the current payment programs or regulatory, economic, environmental or competitive conditions in these states could have a disproportionate effect on our overall business results.

In addition, our facilities in Florida, Louisiana and Mississippi and other areas across the Gulf Coast (including Texas) are located in hurricane-prone areas. In the past, hurricanes have had a disruptive effect on the operations of our facilities in the Gulf Coast and the patient populations in those states. Our business activities could be marked by a particularly active hurricane season or even a single storm, and our property insurance may not be adequate to cover losses from such storms or other natural disasters.

An increase in uninsured and underinsured patients or the deterioration in the collectability of the accounts of such patients could harm our results of operations.

Collection of receivables from third-party payers and patients is critical to our operating performance. Our primary collection risks relate to uninsured patients and the portion of the bill that is the patient s responsibility, which primarily includes co-payments and deductibles. We estimate our provisions for doubtful accounts based on general factors such as payer source, the agings of the receivables and historical collection experience. At December 31, 2010, the combined company s allowance for doubtful accounts represented approximately 19% of its accounts receivable balance as of such date (calculated on a pro forma basis to give effect to the YFCS acquisition, the MeadowWood acquisition and the merger). We routinely review accounts receivable balances in conjunction with these factors and other economic conditions that might ultimately affect the collectability of the patient accounts and make adjustments to our allowances as warranted. Significant changes in business office operations, payer mix, economic conditions or trends in federal and state governmental health coverage (including implementation of the Health Reform Legislation) could affect our collection of accounts receivable, cash flow and results of operations. If we experience unexpected increases in the growth of uninsured and underinsured patients or in bad debt expenses, our results of operations will be harmed.

Provisions of our charter documents following the completion of the merger or Delaware law could delay or prevent an acquisition of us, even if the acquisition would be beneficial to our stockholders, and could make it more difficult for you to change management.

Provisions of our amended and restated certificate of incorporation and amended and restated bylaws following the completion of the merger may discourage, delay or prevent a merger, acquisition or other change in control that stockholders may consider favorable, including transactions in which stockholders might otherwise receive a premium for their shares. This is because these provisions may prevent or frustrate attempts by stockholders to replace or remove our management following the completion of the merger. These provisions include:

a classified board of directors;

a prohibition on stockholder action through written consent (once Waud Capital Partners no longer beneficially own at least a majority of our outstanding common stock);

a requirement that special meetings of stockholders be called upon a resolution approved by a majority of our directors then in office;

advance notice requirements for stockholder proposals and nominations; and

the authority of the board of directors to issue preferred stock with such terms as the board of directors may determine.

Section 203 of the Delaware General Corporation Law (the DGCL) prohibits a publicly held Delaware corporation from engaging in a business combination with an interested stockholder, generally a person that together with its affiliates owns or within the last three years has owned 15% of voting stock, for a period of three years after the date of the transaction in which the person became an interested stockholder, unless the business combination is approved in a prescribed manner. Although we have elected not to be subject to Section 203 of the DGCL, Acadia s amended and restated certificate of incorporation will contain provisions that have the same effect as Section 203, except that they will provide that both Waud Capital Partners, its affiliates and any investment fund managed by Waud Capital Partners and any persons to whom Waud Capital Partners sells at least five percent (5%) of outstanding voting stock of Acadia will be deemed to have been approved by our board of directors, and thereby not subject to the restrictions set forth in Acadia s amended and restated certificate of incorporation that have the same effect as Section 203 of the DGCL. Accordingly, the provision in Acadia s amended and restated certificate of incorporation that adopts a modified version of Section 203 of the DGCL may discourage, delay or prevent a change in control of us.

As a result of these provisions in our charter documents following the completion of the merger and Delaware law, the price investors may be willing to pay in the future for shares of our common stock may be limited.

Acadia does not anticipate paying any cash dividends in the foreseeable future.

Following the completion of the merger and the payment of the dividend to holders of Acadia s common stock prior to the merger, Acadia intends to retain its future earnings, if any, for use in the business of the combined company or for other corporate purposes and does not anticipate that cash dividends in respect to common stock will be paid in the foreseeable future. Any decision as to the future payment of dividends will depend on the results of operations, the financial position of the combined company and such other factors, as the Acadia board of directors, in its discretion, deems relevant. In addition, the terms of Acadia s existing debt substantially limit its ability to pay these dividends. We anticipate that the indebtedness incurred in connection with the merger will also substantially limit Acadia s ability to pay dividends. As a result, capital appreciation, if any, of Acadia common stock will be your sole source of gain for

the foreseeable future.

CAUTIONARY STATEMENT CONCERNING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

The SEC encourages companies to disclose forward-looking information so that investors can better understand a company s future prospects and make informed investment decisions. This proxy statement/prospectus contains forward-looking statements. All statements included in this proxy statement/prospectus or made by management of Acadia or PHC, other than statements of historical fact regarding Acadia or PHC, are forward-looking statements.

Factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those forward-looking statements included in this prospectus include, among others:

- the impact of payments received from the government and third-party payers on our revenues and results of operations;
- the impact of the economic and employment conditions in the United States on our business and future results of operations;
- the impact of recent health care reform;
- the impact of our highly competitive industry on patient volumes;
- the impact of recruitment and retention of quality psychiatrists and other physicians on our performance;
- the impact of competition for staffing on our labor costs and profitability;
- our dependence on key management personnel, key executives and our local facility management personnel;
- compliance with laws and government regulations;
- the impact of claims brought against our facilities;
- the impact of governmental investigations, regulatory actions and whistleblower lawsuits;
- difficulties in successfully integrating Acadia s acquisition of YFCS and PHC (including Meadow Wood) or realizing the potential benefits of these acquisitions;
- the impact on our growth strategy from difficulties in acquiring facilities in general and from not-for-profit entities due to regulatory scrutiny;
- difficulties in improving the operations of the facilities we acquire;
- the impact of unknown or contingent liabilities on facilities we acquire;
- the impact of state efforts to regulate the construction or expansion of health care facilities on our ability to operate and expand our operations;
- the impact of controls designed to reduce inpatient services on our revenues;
- the impact of fluctuations in our operating results, quarter to quarter earnings and other factors on the price of our common stock;
- the impact of different interpretations of accounting principles on our results of operations or financial condition;
- the impact of an increase in uninsured and underinsured patients or the deterioration in the collectability of the accounts of such patients on our results of operations; and

the merger and the transactions contemplated by the merger agreement or the announcement thereof.

This proxy statement/prospectus contains forward-looking statements based on current projections about operations, industry, financial condition and liquidity. Words such as will, should, anticipate, predict, potential, estimate, continue, may, project, intend, plan, believe and words and terms of similar substance used in connection wit discussion of future operating or financial performance, the merger or the business of the combined company identify forward-looking statements. In addition, any statements that refer to expectations, projections or other characterizations of future events or circumstances, including any underlying assumptions, are forward-looking statements. Those statements are not guarantees of future performance and are subject to risks, uncertainties and assumptions that are difficult to predict. Therefore, actual results could differ materially and adversely from these forward-looking statements.

All forward-looking statements reflect present expectations of future events by Acadia s and PHC s management and are subject to a number of factors and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from those described in the forward-looking statements. In addition to the risks related to the businesses of Acadia,

PHC and the combined company, the uncertainty concerning the completion of the merger and the matters discussed above under Risk Factors, among others, could cause actual results to differ materially from those described in the forward-looking statements. These factors include the relative valuations of Acadia and PHC, the market s difficulty in valuing the combined business, the possible failure to realize the anticipated benefits of the merger and the conflicts of interest of directors recommending the merger. Investors are cautioned not to place undue reliance on the forward-looking statements. Neither Acadia nor PHC is under any obligation, and each expressly disclaims any obligation, to update or alter any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.

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SELECTED HISTORICAL FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Acadia Historical Financial Data

The selected financial data presented below as of and for the fiscal years ended December 31, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009 and 2010 and as of and for the six months ended June 30, 2010 and 2011 do not give effect to the YFCS operating results prior to April 1, 2011 or the consummation of the merger. Acadia has derived the selected consolidated financial data presented below as of December 31, 2009 and 2010 and for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2010 from Acadia Healthcare Company, LLC s audited consolidated financial statements included elsewhere in this proxy statement/prospectus. Acadia has derived the selected consolidated financial data presented below as of December 31, 2006, 2007 and 2008 and for each of the two years in the period ended December 31, 2007 from Acadia Healthcare Company, LLC s audited consolidated financial statements not included in this proxy statement/prospectus. Acadia has derived the selected consolidated financial data presented below as of and for the six months ended June 30, 2010 and 2011 from Acadia Healthcare Company, Inc. s unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements included elsewhere in this proxy statement/prospectus. The results for the six months ended June 30, 2010 and 2011 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the entire fiscal year. The selected consolidated financial data below should be read in conjunction with the Acadia Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations and Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Combined Financial Statements and Acadia Healthcare Company, LLC s consolidated financial statements and the notes thereto included elsewhere in this proxy statement/prospectus. In addition to the acquisitions described in the notes to the consolidated financial statements included elsewhere in this proxy statement/prospectus, Acadia completed the acquisitions of the Vermillion and Montana facilities in 2006 and the Abilene facility in 2007. On May 13, 2011, Acadia Healthcare Company, LLC elected to convert to a corporation (Acadia Healthcare Company, Inc.) in accordance with Delaware law.

	Year Ended December 31,					Six Months Ended June 30,	
	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2010	2011
	($ in thousands, except per unit data)						
Income Statement Data:							
Net patient service revenue	$ 8,542	$ 25,512	$ 33,353	$ 51,821	$ 64,342	$ 32,472	$ 82,961
Salaries, wages and benefits*	7,269	19,212	22,342	30,752	36,333	18,374	70,538
Professional fees	1,103	1,349	952	1,977	3,612	1,240	3,130
Provision for doubtful accounts	304	991	1,804	2,424	2,239	1,186	1,002
Other operating expenses**	4,865	8,112	8,328	12,116	13,286	6,523	23,406
Depreciation and amortization	202	522	740	967	976	480	1,001
Interest expense, net	171	992	729	774	738	358	2,215
Income (loss) from continuing operations, before income taxes	(5,372)	(5,666)	(1,542)	2,811	7,158	4,311	(18,331)

Income tax provision (benefit)			20	53	477	287	2,997
Income (loss) from continuing operations	(5,372)	(5,666)	(1,562)	2,758	6,681	4,024	(21,328)
(Loss) gain from discontinued operations, net of income taxes	(838)	(3,208)	(156)	119	(471)	96	(58)
(Loss) income on disposal of discontinued operations, net of income taxes		(2,019)					
Net income (loss)	$ (6,210)	$ (10,893)	$ (1,718)	$ 2,877	$ 6,210	$ 4,120	$ (21,386)
Income (loss) from continuing operations per unit	$ (0.54)	$ (0.57)	$ (0.16)	$ 0.28	$ 0.67	$ 0.40	$ (2.13)
Cash dividends per unit					$ 0.23	$ 0.08	$ 0.04

	December 31,					June 30,	
	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2010	2011
	($ in thousands)						
Balance Sheet Data (as of end of period):							
Cash and equivalents	$ 28	1,681	$ 45	$ 4,489	$ 8,614	$ 6,961	$ 3,456
Total assets	17,878	23,414	32,274	41,254	45,412	42,938	260,203
Total debt	3,889	11,608	11,062	10,259	9,984	10,103	140,313
Total members equity	7,568	7,135	15,817	21,193	25,107	22,781	74,583

* Salaries wages and benefits for the six months ended June 30, 2011 includes $19.8 million of equity-based compensation expense recorded related to equity units issued in conjunction with the YFCS Acquisition.

** Transaction-related expenses of $8.4 million are reflected in other operating expenses for the six months ended June 30, 2011.

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YFCS Historical Financial Data

The selected financial data presented below as of and for the fiscal years ended December 31, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009 and 2010 and as of and for the three months ended March 31, 2010 and 2011 do not give effect to Acadia s acquisition of YFCS or the consummation of the merger. Acadia has derived the selected financial data presented below for the fiscal years ended December 31, 2009 and 2010 and for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2010 from YFCS audited consolidated financial statements included elsewhere in this proxy statement/prospectus. Acadia has derived the selected consolidated financial data presented below for the fiscal years ended December 31, 2006, 2007 and 2008 and for each of the two years in the period ended December 31, 2007 from YFCS audited financial statements not included in this proxy statement/prospectus. Acadia has derived the selected consolidated financial data presented below as of and for the three months ended March 31, 2010 and 2011 from YFCS unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements included elsewhere in this proxy statement/prospectus. The results for the three months ended March 31, 2010 and 2011 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may have been expected for the entire fiscal year. The selected consolidated financial data below should be read in conjunction with the Acadia Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations YFCS Acquisition and Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Combined Financial Statements and YFCS consolidated financial statements and the notes thereto included elsewhere in this proxy statement/prospectus.

	Year Ended December 31,					Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2010	2011
	($ in thousands)						
Income Statement Data:							
Revenue	$ 149,837	$ 171,425	$ 180,646	$ 186,586	$ 184,386	$ 45,489	$ 45,686
Salaries and benefits	88,870	105,754	110,966	113,870	113,931	27,813	29,502
Other operating expenses	32,216	36,799	37,704	37,607	38,146	8,944	9,907
Provision for bad debts	365	1,411	1,902	(309)	525	56	208
Interest expense	14,280	14,768	12,488	9,572	7,514	1,954	1,726
Depreciation and amortization	8,846	9,890	9,419	7,052	3,456	914	819
Impairment of goodwill					23,528		
Income (loss) from continuing operations, before income taxes	5,260	2,803	8,167	18,794	(2,714)	5,808	3,524
Provision for income taxes	1,491	1,252	3,132	7,133	5,032	2,267	1,404
Income (loss) from continuing operations	3,769	1,551	5,035	11,661	(7,746)	3,541	2,120

Income (loss) from discontinued operations, net of income taxes	(2,160)	844	964	(1,443)	(4,060)	(151)	(64)
Net income (loss)	$ 1,609	$ 2,395	$ 5,999	$ 10,218	$ (11,806)	$ 3,390	$ 2,056

	December 31,					March 31,	
	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2010	2011
	($ in thousands)						
Balance Sheet Data (as of end of period):							
Cash and equivalents	$ 8,492	$ 6,875	$ 20,874	$ 15,294	$ 5,307	$ 8,570	$ 4,009
Total assets	279,091	268,622	271,446	254,620	217,530	249,748	216,609
Total debt	151,102	139,687	138,234	112,127	86,073	98,831	84,304
Total stockholders equity	94,244	96,647	102,696	113,921	102,126	117,311	104,182

PHC Historical Financial Data

The selected financial data presented below for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010 and 2011 do not give effect to the recently completed MeadowWood acquisition or consummation of the merger. PHC has derived the selected financial data presented below as of June 30, 2010 and 2011 and for each of the two years in the period ended June 30, 2011 from PHC s audited consolidated financial statements included elsewhere in this proxy statement/prospectus. PHC has derived the selected financial data presented below as of June 30, 2007, 2008 and 2009 and for each of the three years in the period ended June 30, 2009 from PHC s audited consolidated financial statements not included in this proxy statement/prospectus. Certain amounts for all periods presented have been reclassified to be consistent with Acadia s financial information. The selected financial data below should be read in conjunction with PHC Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations and Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Combined Financial Statements and PHC s consolidated financial statements and the notes thereto included elsewhere in this proxy statement/prospectus.

	Year Ended June 30,				
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
	($ in thousands, except per share data)				
Income Statement Data:					
Revenues	$ 40,563	$ 45,397	$ 46,411	$ 53,077	$ 62,008
Patient care expenses	19,738	22,133	23,835	26,307	30,236
Contract expenses	3,103	3,390	3,016	2,965	3,618
Provision for doubtful accounts	1,933	1,311	1,638	2,131	3,406
Administrative expenses	12,722	15,465	18,721	19,111	22,206
Legal settlement					446
Operating income (loss)	3,067	3,098	(799)	2,563	2,096
Other income including interest expense, net	(8)	(148)	(177)	(37)	(108)
Income (loss) before income taxes	3,059	2,950	(976)	2,526	1,988
Provision for (benefit from) income taxes	1,144	1,366	65	1,106	1,408
Net income (loss) from continuing operations	1,915	1,584	(1,041)	1,420	580
Net income (loss) from discontinued operations	(233)	(1,259)	(1,413)		
Net income (loss)	$ 1,682	$ 325	$ (2,454)	$ 1,420	$ 580
Net income (loss) from continuing operations per share of common stock					
Basic	$ 0.09	$ 0.02	$ (0.05)	$ 0.07	$ 0.03
Diluted	$ 0.09	$ 0.02	$ (0.05)	$ 0.07	$ 0.03
Cash dividends per share of common stock	$	$	$	$	$

	June 30,				
	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
	($ in thousands)				
Balance Sheet Data (as of end of period):					
Cash and equivalents	$ 3,308	$ 3,142	$ 3,199	$ 4,540	$ 3,668
Total assets	26,856	26,507	22,692	25,207	28,282
Total debt	1,047	2,422	2,241	2,557	2,239
Total stockholders equity	18,250	18,659	16,044	17,256	17,915

UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED COMBINED FINANCIAL INFORMATION

The following tables set forth the unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial data for Acadia, YFCS, PHC and MeadowWood as a combined company, giving effect to (1) Acadia s acquisition of YFCS and the related debt and equity financing transactions on April 1, 2011, (2) PHC s acquisition of MeadowWood and related debt financing transaction on July 1, 2011 and (3) Acadia s merger with PHC and the related transactions described elsewhere in this proxy statement/prospectus, as if the transactions had occurred on June 30, 2011 for the unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet and January 1, 2010 for the unaudited pro forma condensed combined statements of operations. Acadia s condensed consolidated balance sheet as of June 30, 2011 reflects the acquisition of YFCS and related debt and equity transactions and Acadia s condensed consolidated statement of operations reflects the results of YFCS operations for the period from April 1, 2011 to June 30, 2011.

MeadowWood was acquired by PHC in an asset acquisition. The assets acquired consisted of substantially all of the assets of HHC Delaware. The pro forma adjustments reflect the elimination of any assets of HHC Delaware not acquired by PHC. The fiscal years of Acadia, YFCS and HHC Delaware end December 31 while the fiscal year of PHC ends on June 30. The combined company will use Acadia s fiscal year ending December 31. The unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet combines Acadia s unaudited consolidated balance sheet as of June 30, 2011 with the consolidated balance sheet of PHC and the unaudited condensed consolidated balance sheet of HHC Delaware as of June 30, 2011. The unaudited pro forma condensed combined statement of operations for the year ended December 31, 2010 combines Acadia s audited consolidated statement of operations for the year ended December 31, 2010 with the audited consolidated statement of operations of YFCS for the year ended December 31, 2010, the audited consolidated statement of operations of HHC Delaware for the year ended December 31, 2010 and the unaudited condensed consolidated statement of operations of PHC for the twelve months ended December 31, 2010 (which was derived from the audited consolidated statement of operations of PHC for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2010 less the unaudited condensed consolidated statement of operations of PHC for the six months ended December 31, 2009 plus the unaudited condensed consolidated statement of operations of PHC for the six months ended December 31, 2010). The unaudited pro forma condensed combined statement of operations for the six months ended June 30, 2011 combines Acadia s unaudited condensed consolidated statement of operations for the six months ended June 30, 2011 with the unaudited condensed consolidated statement of operations of YFCS for the three months ended March 31, 2011, the unaudited condensed consolidated statement of operations of HHC Delaware for the six months ended June 30, 2011 and the unaudited condensed consolidated statement of operations of PHC for the six months ended June 30, 2011 (which was derived from the audited consolidated statement of operations of PHC for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2011 less the unaudited condensed consolidated statement of operations of PHC for the six months ended December 31, 2010).

The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial data has been prepared using the acquisition method of accounting for business combinations under GAAP. The adjustments necessary to fairly present the unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial data have been made based on available information and in the opinion of management are reasonable. Assumptions underlying the pro forma adjustments are described in the accompanying notes, which should be read in conjunction with this unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial data. The pro forma adjustments are preliminary and revisions to the fair value of assets acquired and liabilities assumed and the financing of the transactions may have a significant impact on the pro forma adjustments. A final valuation of assets acquired and liabilities assumed in the YFCS, MeadowWood and PHC acquisitions cannot be made prior to the completion of the merger and the completion of fair value determinations will most likely result in changes in the values assigned to property and equipment and other assets (including intangibles) acquired and liabilities assumed.

The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial data is for illustrative purposes only and does not purport to represent what Acadia s financial position or results of operations actually would have been had the events noted above in fact occurred on the assumed dates or to project our financial position or results of operations for any future date or future period.

The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial data does not reflect the effects of any future restructuring activities or operating efficiencies pertaining to the combined operations (for a discussion of anticipated cost savings and synergies, see page 133 of Acadia Management s Discussion and Analysis of

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Financial Condition and Results of Operations Anticipated Synergies, Cost Savings and Revenue Improvements).

The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial data should be read in conjunction with Selected Historical Financial Information, Acadia Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations, PHC Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations and the consolidated financial statements and the notes thereto of Acadia, YFCS, PHC and MeadowWood included elsewhere in this proxy statement/prospectus.

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UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED COMBINED BALANCE SHEET
As of June 30, 2011

			PHC Pro Forma						
	Acadia(1)	PHC(3)	HHC Delaware(4)	MeadowWood Adjustments	Notes	Pro Forma PHC	Pro Forma Merger Adjustments	Notes	Pro Forma Combined
	($ in thousands)								
ASSETS									
Current assets:									
Cash and cash equivalents	$ 3,456	$ 3,669	$ 32	$ (32)	(5)	$ 4,191	$ (173)	(13)	$ 7,474
				522	(8)				
Accounts receivable, net	22,560	11,079	1,482			12,561			35,121
Other current assets	10,246	4,615	1,055	(643)	(5)	5,027			15,273
Total current assets	36,262	19,363	2,569	(153)		21,779	(173)		57,868
Property and equipment, net	55,313	4,713	8,108	1,566	(7)	14,387	107	(12)	69,807
Goodwill	158,271	969	18,677	(9,136)	(7)	10,510	35,176	(12)	203,957
Intangible assets, net	936			700	(7)	700	1,100	(12)	2,736
Other assets	9,421	3,237		1,399	(8d)	4,593	3,800	(13)	15,908
				(43)	(10)		(1,906)	(10)	
Total assets	$ 260,203	$ 28,282	$ 29,354	$ (5,667)		$ 51,969	$ 38,104		$ 350,276
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY									
Current liabilities:									
Current portion of long-term debt	$ 6,750	$ 2,163	$ 52	$ (1,898)	(9)	$ 265	$ (265)	(14)	$ 6,750
				(52)	(5)				
Accounts payable	6,705	2,890	157			3,047			9,752
Accrued salaries and benefits	12,906	2,027	635	(635)	(5)	2,027			14,933
Other accrued liabilities	6,873	2,387	457	(401)	(8b)	2,138			9,011
				(305)	(5)				
Total current liabilities	33,234	9,467	1,301	(3,291)		7,477	(265)		40,446
Long-term debt	133,563	57	53	26,178	(9)	26,235	123,765	(14)	283,563
				(53)	(5)				

Other liabilities	18,823	843	27,744	(27,744)	(5)	843			19,666
Total liabilities	185,620	10,367	29,098	(4,910)		34,555	123,500		343,675
Equity:									
Member s equity			256	(256)	(6)				
Common stock	100	208				208	(208)	(6)	226
							77	(11)	
							49	(12)	
Additional paid-in capital	105,557	28,221				28,221	(28,221)	(6)	77,881
							(77)	(11)	
							46,842	(12)	
							(74,441)	(13)	
Treasury stock		(1,809)				(1,809)	1,809	(6)	
Accumulated deficit	(31,074)	(8,705)		(388)	(8c)	(9,206)	9,206	(6)	(71,506)
				(70)	(8a)		(40,432)	(13)	
				(43)	(10)				
Total equity	74,583	17,915	256	(757)		17,414	(85,396)		6,601
Total liabilities and equity	$ 260,203	$ 28,282	$ 29,354	$ (5,667)		$ 51,969	$ 38,104		$ 350,276

See accompanying notes to unaudited pro forma financial information.

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UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED COMBINED STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS
For the Six Months Ended June 30, 2011

Acadia Healthcare(1)	YFCS(2)	Acadia Pro Forma YFCS Adjustments	Notes	Pro Forma Acadia	PHC(3)	HHC Delaware(4)	PHC Pro Forma MeadowWood Adjustments	Notes	Pro Forma PHC	Pro Forma Merger Adjustme
($ in thousands, except share and per share amounts)										
$ 82,961	$ 45,686			$ 128,647	$ 32,305	$ 7,541	$		$ 39,846	
70,538	29,502			100,040	16,800	4,747			21,547	
3,130		1,901	(15)	5,031	3,695	454			4,149	
4,282		2,204	(15)	6,486	1,197	469			1,666	
2,062		1,320	(15)	3,382	1,818	19			1,837	
8,110	9,907	(5,425)	(15)	12,592	4,455	636			5,091	
1,002	208			1,210	1,743	339			2,082	
1,001	819	(294)	(18a)	1,526	559	179	31	(18b)	769	
2,215	1,726	(169)	(19a)	3,772	(15)	224	768	(19b)	977	6,5
590				590						(5
8,362		(8,362)	(16)		1,608		(1,608)	(16)		
					446				446	
101,292	42,162	(8,825)		134,629	32,306	7,067	(809)		38,564	6,1
(18,331)	3,524	8,825		(5,982)	(1)	474	809		1,282	(6,1
2,997	1,404	(133)	(20)	7,798	600	193	324	(21)	1,117	(2,4
		3,530	(21)							
$ (21,328)	$ 2,120	$ 5,428		$ (13,780)	$ (601)	$ 281	$ 485		$ 165	$ (3,6
$ (2.13)										
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See accompanying notes to unaudited pro forma financial information.

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UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED COMBINED STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS
For the Year Ended December 31, 2010

($ in thousands, except share and per share amounts)

adia care(1)	YFCS(2)	Acadia Pro Forma YFCS Adjustments	Notes	Pro Forma Acadia	PHC(3)	HHC Delaware(4)	PHC Pro Forma MeadowWood Adjustments	Notes	Pro Forma PHC	Pro Forma Merger Adjustments
64,342	$ 184,386			$ 248,728	$ 57,269	$ 14,301	$		$ 71,570	
36,333	113,931	1,239	(17)	151,503	28,647	8,850			37,497	
3,612		6,724	(15)	8,953	8,401	891			9,292	
		(1,383)	(16)							
3,709		8,380	(15)	12,089	2,319	897			3,216	
1,288		5,244	(15)	6,532	3,494	20			3,514	
8,289	38,146	(20,348)	(15)	24,848	6,644	1,231			7,875	
		(1,239)	(17)							
2,239	525			2,764	2,866	511			3,377	
976	3,456	(1,359)	(18a)	3,073	1,129	308	112	(18b)	1,549	155
738	7,514	(953)	(19a)	7,299	148	524	1,444	(19b)	2,116	13,052
	23,528			23,528						
57,184	187,100	(3,695)		240,589	53,648	13,232	1,556		68,436	13,207
7,158	(2,714)	3,695		8,139	3,621	1,069	(1,556)		3,134	(13,207)
477	5,032	2,448	(20)	9,435	1,532	437	(622)	(21)	1,347	(5,283)
		1,478	(21)							
6,681	$ (7,746)	$ (231)		$ (1,296)	$ 2,089	$ 632	$ (934)		$ 1,787	$ (7,924)

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See accompanying notes to unaudited pro forma financial information.

NOTES TO UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED COMBINED FINANCIAL INFORMATION

($ in thousands)

(1) The amounts in this column represent, for Acadia, actual balances as of June 30, 2011 or actual results for the periods presented.

(2) The amounts in this column represent, for YFCS, actual results for the periods from January 1, 2011 to the April 1, 2011 acquisition date and for the year ended December 31, 2010.

(3) The amounts in this column represent, for PHC, actual balances as of June 30, 2011 or actual results for the periods presented. The condensed consolidated statements of operations of PHC have been reclassified to conform to Acadia s expense classification policies.

(4) The amounts in this column represent, for HHC Delaware, actual balances as of June 30, 2011 or actual results for the periods presented.

(5) Represents the elimination of $32 of cash, $643 of deferred tax assets, $52 of current capital lease liabilities, $53 of long-term capital lease liabilities, $635 of accrued salaries and benefits, $305 of other accrued liabilities, $954 of deferred tax liabilities and a $26,790 payable to MeadowWood s former parent company not acquired by PHC in the MeadowWood acquisition.

(6) Reflects the elimination of the equity accounts and accumulated earnings of HHC Delaware and PHC.

(7) Represents the adjustments to acquired property and equipment and license intangible assets based on preliminary estimates of fair value and the adjustment to goodwill derived from the difference in the estimated total consideration transferred and the estimated fair value of assets acquired and liabilities assumed by PHC in the MeadowWood acquisition, calculated as follows:

Consideration transferred	$ 21,500
Accounts receivable	1,482
Other current assets	412
Property and equipment	9,674
Licenses	700
Accounts payable	(157)
Other accrued liabilities	(152)
Fair value of assets acquired less liabilities assumed	11,959
Estimated goodwill	9,541
Less: Historical goodwill	(18,677)
Goodwill adjustment	$ (9,136)

The acquired assets and liabilities assumed will be recorded at their estimated fair values as of the closing date of the MeadowWood acquisition. Estimated goodwill is based upon a determination of the fair value of assets acquired and liabilities assumed that is preliminary and subject to revision as the value of total consideration is finalized and additional information related to the fair value of property and equipment and other assets acquired and liabilities assumed becomes available. The actual determination of the fair value of assets acquired and liabilities assumed will differ from that assumed in these unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements and such differences may be material.

(8) Represents a $522 increase in cash as a result of the MeadowWood acquisition. The sources and uses of cash for the MeadowWood acquisition were as follows:

Sources:	
Incurrence of indebtedness under PHC s senior credit facility	$ 26,500
Uses:	
Cash consideration paid for MeadowWood	(21,500)
Repayment of existing debt	(2,220)
Transaction costs(a)	(2,258)
Net cash adjustment	$ 522

(a) The transaction costs paid at closing of $2,258 include $577 of acquisition-related costs, $1,611 of debt financing costs and debt prepayment penalties of $70

(b) Represents $401 of transaction-related expenses accrued as of June 30, 2011, including $189 of acquisition-related costs and $212 of capitalized debt financing costs

(c) Represents acquisition-related costs of $577 less $189 accrued as of June 30, 2011

(d) Represents debt financing costs of $1,611 less $212 already deferred as of June 30, 2011

(9) Represents the effect of the MeadowWood acquisition on the current portion and long-term portion of total debt, as follows:

	Current Portion	Long-term Portion	Total Debt
Repayment of PHC historical debt	$ (2,163)	$ (57)	$ (2,220)
Incurrence of indebtedness under PHC s senior credit facility	265	26,235	26,500
Adjustments	$ (1,898)	$ 26,178	$ 24,280

(10) Represents the elimination of PHC deferred financing costs in connection with the repayment of debt.

(11) Acadia plans to effect a stock split or issuance on or prior to the closing of the Merger with PHC such that approximately 17,676,101 shares of common stock will be issued and outstanding. Thus, on a pro forma basis, common stock has been increased by $77 based on the increase of 7,676,101 shares of common stock ($0.01 par value), and additional paid-in capital has been decreased by $77.

(12) Represents the adjustments to acquired property and equipment and intangible assets based on preliminary estimates of fair value and the adjustment to goodwill derived from the difference in the estimated total consideration transferred by Acadia and the estimated fair value of assets acquired and liabilities assumed by Acadia in the PHC merger, calculated as follows:

Estimated equity consideration(a)	$ 46,891
Estimated repayment of indebtedness under PHC s senior credit facility	26,500
Estimated cash consideration to Class B common stockholders	5,000
Estimated total consideration	78,391
Cash and cash equivalents	4,191
Accounts receivable	12,561
Other current assets	5,027
Property and equipment	14,494
Intangible assets	1,800

Other long-term assets	2,687
Accounts payable	(3,047)
Accrued salaries and benefits	(2,027)
Other accrued liabilities	(2,138)
Other long-term liabilities	(843)
Fair value of assets acquired less liabilities assumed	32,705
Estimated goodwill	45,686
Less: Historical goodwill	(10,510)
Goodwill adjustment	$ (35,176)

(a) The estimated fair value of Acadia common shares issuable to PHC stockholders is based on total outstanding PHC Class A and Class B shares of 19,537,835 as of June 30, 2011 multiplied by a current stock price of $2.40. The fair value of equity consideration will be adjusted based on the fair value of

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Acadia common stock distributed to PHC stockholders upon closing of the Merger. The equity consideration is reflected as a $49 increase in common stock based on the conversion of each PHC share into one-quarter of a share of Acadia common stock ($0.01 par value) and a $46,842 increase in additional paid-in capital.

The acquired assets and liabilities assumed will be recorded at their estimated fair values as of the closing date of the Merger. Estimated goodwill is based upon a determination of the fair value of assets acquired and liabilities assumed that is preliminary and subject to revision as the value of total consideration is finalized and additional information related to the fair value of property and equipment and other assets (including intangible assets) acquired and liabilities assumed becomes available. The actual determination of the fair value of assets acquired and liabilities assumed will differ from that assumed in these unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements and such differences may be material. Qualitative factors comprising goodwill include efficiencies derived through synergies expected by the elimination of certain redundant corporate functions and expenses, the ability to leverage call center referrals to a broader provider base, coordination of services provided across the combined network of facilities, achievement of operating efficiencies by benchmarking performance and applying best practices throughout the combined company.

(13) Represents a $173 decrease in cash as a result of the merger. The sources and uses of cash in connection with the merger are expected to be as follows:

Sources:	
Issuance of $150,000 of Senior Notes	$ 150,000
Uses:	
Dividend to be paid to Acadia stockholders	(74,441)
Repayment of indebtedness under PHC s senior credit facility	(26,500)
Cash portion of PHC merger consideration	(5,000)
Transaction costs(a)	(44,232)
Cash adjustment	$ (173)

(a) Costs incurred in connection with the PHC merger and related transactions are estimated to be $19,873 of acquisition-related expenses (including approximately $2,403 of change in control payments due to certain PHC executives), $20,559 to terminate the Professional Services Agreement and $3,800 of debt financing costs associated with the Senior Notes and the amendment to the Senior Secured Credit Facility.

(14) Represents the effect of the merger on the current portion and long-term portion of total debt, as follows:

	Current Portion	Long-term Portion	Total Debt
Repayment of indebtedness under PHC s senior credit facility	(265)	(26,235)	(26,500)
Issuance of Senior Notes		150,000	150,000
Adjustments	$ (265)	$ 123,765	$ 123,500

(15) Reflects the reclassification from YFCS other operating expenses of: (a) professional fees of $1,901 and $6,724 for the three months ended March 31, 2011 and the twelve months ended December 31, 2010, respectively, (b) supplies expense of $2,204 and $8,380 for the three months ended March 31, 2011 and the twelve months ended December 31, 2010, respectively, and (c) rent expense of $1,320 and $5,244 for the three months ended March 31, 2011 and the twelve months ended December 31, 2010, respectively, to conform to Acadia s classification of expenses.

(16) Reflects the removal of acquisition-related expenses included in the historical statements of operations of Acadia and YFCS relating to Acadia s acquisition of YFCS and the merger between Acadia and PHC. Acadia recorded $8,362 and $849 of acquisition-related expenses in the six months ended June 30, 2011 and the twelve months ended December 31, 2010, respectively. YFCS recorded $534 of acquisition-related expenses

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in the twelve months ended December 31, 2010. PHC recorded $1,608 of acquisition-related and sale-related expenses in the six months ended June 30, 2011.

(17) Reflects the reclassification of workers compensation insurance expense of $1,239 for the twelve months ended December 31, 2010 to salaries, wages and benefits.

(18) Represents the adjustments to depreciation and amortization expense as a result of recording the property and equipment and intangible assets at preliminary estimates of fair value as of the respective dates of the acquisitions, as follows:

(a) YFCS acquisition:

	Amount	Useful Lives (In Years)	Monthly Depreciation	Three Months Ended March 31, 2011	Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2010
Land	$ 5,122	N/A	$	$	$
Land improvements	2,694	10	22	66	264
Building and improvements	21,832	25, or lease term	73	219	876
Equipment	2,024	3-7	53	159	636
Construction in progress	239	N/A			
	31,911		148	444	1,776
Non-compete intangible asset	321	1	27	81	321
Total depreciation and amortization				525	2,097
Less: historical depreciation and amortization expense				(819)	(3,456)
Depreciation and amortization expense adjustment				$ (294)	$ (1,359)

(b) MeadowWood acquisition:

	Amount	Useful Lives (In Years)	Monthly Depreciation	Six Months Ended June 30, 2011	Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2010
Land	$ 1,420	N/A	$	$	$
Building and improvements	7,700	25	26	156	312
Equipment	554	3-7	9	54	108

	9,674		35		210		420
Indefinite-lived license intangibles	700	N/A					
Total depreciation and amortization					210		420
Less: historical depreciation and amortization expense					(179)		(308)
Depreciation and amortization expense adjustment				$	31	$	112

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(c) PHC acquisition:

	Amount	Useful Lives (In Years)	Monthly Depreciation	Six Months Ended June 30, 2011	Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2010
Land	$ 1,540	N/A	$	$	$
Building and improvements	11,150	25, or lease term	93	558	1,116
Equipment	1,804	3-7	30	180	360
	14,494		123	738	1,476
Indefinite-lived license intangibles	700	N/A			
Customer contract intangibles	1,100	5	19	114	228
Total depreciation and amortization				852	1,704
Less: PHC pro forma depreciation and amortization expense				(769)	(1,549)
Depreciation and amortization expense adjustment				$ 83	$ 155

(19) Represents adjustments to interest expense to give effect to the Senior Secured Credit Facility entered into by Acadia on April 1, 2011, the debt incurred by PHC to fund the MeadowWood acquisition, and the amendment of the Senior Secured Credit Facility and the Senior Notes to be issued on the closing date of the merger.

(a) The YFCS pro forma interest expense adjustment assumes that the interest rate of 4.2% at April 1, 2011, the closing date of the YFCS acquisition and the Senior Secured Credit Facility, was in effect for the entire period, as follows:

	Six Months Ended June 30, 2011	Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2010
Interest related to Senior Credit Facility	$ 1,489	$ 6,134
Amortization of debt discount and deferred loan costs	291	1,165
	1,780	7,299
Less: historical interest expense of Acadia and YFCS	(1,949)	(8,252)
Interest expense adjustment	$ (169)	$ (953)

An increase or decrease of 0.125% in the assumed interest rate would result in a change in interest expense of $43 and $178 for the six months ended June 30, 2011 and twelve months ended December 31, 2010, respectively.

(b) The PHC pro forma interest expense adjustment assumes that the interest rate of 7.25% at July 1, 2011, the closing date of the loans under PHC s senior credit facility funding the MeadowWood acquisition, was in effect for the entire period, as follows:

	Six Months Ended June 30, 2011	**Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2010**
Interest related to PHC s senior credit facility	$ 950	$ 1,914
Amortization of debt discount and deferred loan costs	191	381
	1,141	2,295
Less: historical interest expense of PHC and MeadowWood	(373)	(851)
Interest expense adjustment	$ 768	$ 1,444

An increase or decrease of 0.125% in the assumed interest rate would result in a change in interest expense of $16 and $33 for the six months ended June 30, 2011 and twelve months ended December 31, 2010, respectively.

(c) The pro forma interest expense adjustment for the merger assumes that the Senior Notes will have an interest rate of 9.25%, which represents an estimate of the fixed interest rate of the Senior Notes based on current market interest rates, and reflects a 0.50% increase in the interest rate applicable to the Senior Secured Credit Facility related to the amendment, as follows:

	Six Months Ended June 30, 2011	Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2010
Interest related to Senior Notes	$ 6,938	$ 13,875
Interest related to Senior Credit Facility amendment	344	712
Amortization of debt discount and deferred loan costs	380	760
	7,662	15,347
Less: Interest related to PHC s senior credit facility to be repaid in connection with the merger	(1,141)	(2,295)
Interest expense adjustment	$ 6,521	$ 13,052

An increase or decrease of 0.125% in the assumed interest rate would result in a change in interest expense of $178 and $366 for the six months ended June 30, 2011 and twelve months ended December 31, 2010, respectively.

(20) Reflects a decrease in income taxes of $133 for the six months ended June 30, 2011 and an increase in income taxes of $2,448 for the twelve months ended December 31, 2010 to give effect to the election by Acadia Healthcare Company, LLC to be treated as a taxable corporation on April 1, 2011.

(21) Reflects adjustments to income taxes to reflect the impact of the above pro forma adjustments applying combined federal and state statutory tax rates for the respective periods.

(22) Represents the elimination of advisory fees paid to Waud Capital Partners pursuant to our professional services agreement dated April 1, 2011. The adjustment to eliminate advisory fees is factually supportable and directly attributable to the Merger given the termination of the professional services agreement in connection with the Merger and is expected to have a continuing impact.

(23) Adjustments to weighted average shares used to compute basic and diluted earnings per unit/share are as follows:

Basic earnings per unit/share

Prior to the closing of the merger, Acadia will effect a stock split or issuance such that Acadia stockholders immediately prior to the closing of the merger will own 77.5% of the combined company s issued and

outstanding common stock on a fully diluted basis (as defined in the merger agreement) and approximately 17,676,101 shares of common stock will be issued and outstanding.

The conversion and exchange of each Class A and Class B common share of PHC, Inc. for one-quarter (1/4) of a share of common stock of Acadia Healthcare Company, Inc. The estimated issuance of Acadia common stock based on the one-to-four conversion rate and the weighted average shares outstanding for the respective periods is 4,878,122 and 4,903,097 for the six months ended June 30, 2011 and the twelve months ended December 31, 2010, respectively. Weighted average shares outstanding are derived from PHC, Inc. consolidated financial statements for the respective periods.

Diluted earnings per unit/share

The adjustments described above related to basic earnings per unit/share.

The conversion of outstanding PHC employee stock options and warrants into substantially equivalent Acadia stock options and warrants. The estimated incremental dilutive effect of the stock options and warrants, derived from the consolidated financial statements of PHC, Inc. based on the one-to-four conversion rate applicable to such awards, is 105,253 and 23,474 for the six months ended June 30, 2011 and the twelve months ended December 31, 2010, respectively.

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COMPARATIVE PER SHARE INFORMATION

The following table sets forth selected historical share, net income (loss) per share and book value per share information of Acadia and PHC. The table also sets forth the Acadia unaudited pro forma share, net income (loss) per share and book value per share information after giving effect to (i) the YFCS acquisition and (ii) both the YFCS acquisition and the merger (including PHC s acquisition of MeadowWood). The pro forma equivalent information of PHC was derived by multiplying the pro forma share, net income (loss) per share and book value per share information by the exchange ratio of 0.25. You should read this information in conjunction with the selected historical financial information included elsewhere in this proxy statement/prospectus. The unaudited pro forma share, net income (loss) per share and book value per share information is derived from, and should be read in conjunction with, the Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Combined Financial Statements and related notes included in this proxy statement/prospectus. The historical share, net income (loss) per share and book value per share information of Acadia is derived from the audited consolidated financial statements of Acadia as of and for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2010 and the unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements of Acadia as of and for the six months ended June 30, 2011. PHC s fiscal year ends on June 30. Accordingly, PHC s net income (loss), basic and diluted net income (loss) per common share, and the number of shares used in the computation of basic and diluted earnings per common share for the year ended December 31, 2010, were not obtained from PHC s annual audited financial statements. PHC s financial data presented in this table has been prepared assuming a December 31 fiscal year end. See the unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial statements contained elsewhere in this proxy statement/prospectus.

	December 31, 2010				
	Acadia			PHC	
	Historical(1)	Pro Forma for YFCS	Pro Forma for YFCS and Merger	Historical	Pro Forma Equivalent of One Acadia Share(2)
Net income (loss) per share attributable to common stockholders					
Basic	$ 0.62	$ (0.58)	$ (0.53)	$ 0.11	$ (0.13)
Diluted	0.62	(0.58)	(0.53)	0.11	(0.13)
Shares used in calculating income (loss) per share attributable to common stockholders:					
Basic	10,000,000	10,000,000	22,579,198	19,612,388	
Diluted	10,000,000	10,000,000	22,602,672	19,706,284	

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Pro Forma

Pro Forma

	Historical(1)	Pro Forma for YFCS	for YFCS and Merger	Historical	Equivalent of One Acadia Share(2)
Net income (loss) per share attributable to common stockholders					
Basic	$ (2.14)	$ (1.39)	$ (0.77)	$ (0.03)	$ (0.19)
Diluted	(2.14)	(1.39)	(0.77)	(0.03)	(0.19)
Book value per share					
Basic	$ 7.46	$ 7.46	$ 0.29	$ 0.92	$ 0.07
Diluted	7.46	7.46	0.29	0.91	0.07
Shares used in calculating net income (loss) per share and book value per share attributable to common stockholders:					
Basic	10,000,000	10,000,000	22,554,223	19,512,489	
Diluted	10,000,000	10,000,000	22,659,476	19,698,086	

(1) All Acadia share numbers have been restated for the stock split effected by means of a stock dividend on May 20, 2011 such that 10,000,000 shares of common stock were issued and outstanding on such date. An additional stock split or issuance will be effected immediately prior to the merger to the extent required in order

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for the Acadia common stock outstanding immediately prior to the merger to represent 77.5% of the common stock on fully diluted basis (as defined in the merger agreement) post-merger.

(2) These amounts were calculated by applying the exchange ratio of 0.25 to the Acadia per share amounts giving effect to the YFCS acquisition and the merger.

MARKET PRICE AND DIVIDEND INFORMATION

PHC

PHC s common stock currently trades on the NYSE Amex Stock Market under the symbol PHC . The following table shows the high and low sales price for the Class A Common Stock by quarter, as reported by the NYSE Amex for the periods indicated:

Period	Price Range High	Price Range Low
Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011		
First Quarter (July 1, 2010 September 30, 2010)	$ 1.34	$ 1.04
Second Quarter (October 1, 2010 December 31, 2010)	1.80	1.31
Third Quarter (January 1, 2011 March 31, 2011)	2.74	1.61
Fourth Quarter (April 1, 2011 June 30, 2011)	3.61	2.19
Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2010		
First Quarter (July 1, 2009 September 30, 2009)	$ 1.70	$ 1.22
Second Quarter (October 1, 2009 December 31, 2009)	$ 1.34	$ 0.99
Third Quarter (January 1, 2010 March 31, 2010)	$ 1.55	$ 1.06
Fourth Quarter (April 1, 2010 June 30, 2010)	$ 1.35	$ 0.98

On May 23, 2011, the last full trading day immediately preceding the public announcement date of the merger, and on August 17, 2011, the most recent practicable date prior to the mailing of this proxy statement/prospectus, the last reported sales prices of PHC s Class A Common Stock, as reported by the NYSE Amex Stock Market, were $3.00 and $2.40 per share, respectively. You are encouraged to obtain current trading prices for PHC s Class A Common Stock in considering whether to vote to approve the merger. As of , 2011, there were approximately holders of record of PHC s Class A Common Stock and holders of record of PHC s Class B Common Stock. PHC has not paid cash dividends on its common stock and has no intention to do so in the foreseeable future.

Acadia

Acadia s common stock is not listed for trading on any securities exchange, and Acadia has not previously filed reports with the SEC. Upon completion of the merger, it is anticipated that Acadia s common stock will be listed on NASDAQ, and Acadia will be an SEC reporting company.

Acadia has never declared or paid cash dividends on its capital stock other than the dividend to be paid to Acadia stockholders immediately prior to the merger. Acadia does not anticipate paying any cash dividends on its capital stock in the foreseeable future and will be substantially restricted from doing so under the terms of the agreements governing its indebtedness following the merger. See Acadia Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations Liquidity and Capital Resources.

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THE SPECIAL MEETING OF PHC STOCKHOLDERS

Date, Time and Place

The special meeting of PHC stockholders will be held on , 2011, at :00 a.m., local time, at the corporate offices of PHC, 200 Lake Street, Suite 102, Peabody, Massachusetts 01960.

Matters to be Considered at the Special Meeting of PHC Stockholders

At the special meeting of PHC stockholders, and any adjournments thereof, PHC stockholders will be asked:

- to consider and vote on a proposal to approve the Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of May 23, 2011, by and among PHC, Acadia Healthcare, Inc. and Acadia Merger Sub, LLC, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Acadia, pursuant to which PHC will be merged with and into Merger Sub;

- to consider and cast an advisory vote on the compensation to be received by PHC s named executive officers in connection with the merger;

- to consider and vote on a proposal to approve the adjournment of the special meeting, if necessary, to solicit additional proxies, in the event that there are not sufficient votes at the time of the adjournment to approve the merger agreement; and

- To transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting or any adjournments thereof.

Record Date

The PHC board of directors has fixed 2011, as the record date for determination of PHC stockholders entitled to notice of, and to vote at, the special meeting of PHC stockholders and any adjournments thereof. As of the close of business on the record date for the special meeting of PHC stockholders, there were shares of PHC Class A Common Stock outstanding and entitled to vote, held by approximately holders of record, and shares of PHC Class B Common Stock outstanding and entitled to vote, held by approximately holders of record.

Votes Required

Approval of the merger agreement will require the affirmative vote of the holders of at least (i) two-thirds of the outstanding Class A Common Stock and Class B Common Stock, voting together as a single class (with the holders of the Class A Common Stock having one vote per share and the holders of the Class B Common Stock having five votes per share), (ii) two-thirds of the outstanding Class A Common Stock, voting as a separate class and (iii) two-thirds of the outstanding Class B Common Stock, voting as a separate class.

Advisory approval of the change in control payments to be made to PHC s named executive officers and approval of any necessary adjournment will each require the affirmative vote of the holders of a majority of the Class A Common Stock and the Class B Common Stock casting votes at the special meeting, voting together as a single class (with the holders of the Class A Common Stock having one vote per share and the holders of the Class B Common Stock having five votes per share).

As of the record date for the special meeting of PHC stockholders, the directors and executive officers of PHC and their affiliates owned approximately % of the outstanding shares of PHC Class A Common Stock, approximately % of the outstanding shares of PHC Class B Common Stock and approximately % of the outstanding voting power of the PHC Class A Common Stock and the PHC Class B Common Stock voting together as a single class. Each of PHC s directors and executive officers has entered into a voting agreement with Acadia

dated as of May 23, 2011, pursuant to which they have agreed to vote all shares of PHC capital stock owned by them as of the record date in favor of the proposal to approve the merger agreement. See The Voting Agreement.

Quorum and Abstentions

The presence of a quorum is separately determined with respect to each matter to be acted on at the special meeting. The presence, in person or by proxy, of the holders of shares having the right to cast a majority of the votes which may be cast with respect to such matter constitutes the required quorum for such matter. Abstentions will be included in determining the number of shares present at the special meeting of PHC stockholders for the purpose of determining the presence of a quorum.

Abstaining from the vote on the proposal to approve the merger agreement will have the effect of a vote against this proposal. The failure of a PHC stockholder to return a proxy or to vote in person, or if a stockholder s shares are held by a broker or other nominee (i.e., in street name), the failure to give voting instructions to the broker or other nominee on how to vote the shares, also will have the effect of a vote against this proposal. Shares abstaining from the advisory vote on the compensation of the named executive officers or the vote on the proposal to approve the adjournment of the special meeting to solicit additional proxies will have no effect on the vote with respect to these proposals because approval of each of these proposals requires a majority of votes cast with respect to the proposal at the special meeting.

PHC stockholders are encouraged to return the enclosed proxy card marked to indicate their vote as described in the instructions accompanying the proxy card.

Recommendation of Board of Directors

After careful consideration, the PHC board of directors has unanimously (with Mr. Shear abstaining) approved the merger agreement and determined that the merger agreement is fair to, and in the best interests of, the stockholders of PHC. Therefore, the PHC board of directors recommends PHC stockholders vote FOR the approval of the merger agreement.

In considering this recommendation, PHC stockholders should be aware that the PHC directors and executive officers have interests in the merger that are different from, or in addition to, those of other PHC stockholders generally. See The Merger Interests of PHC s Directors and Executive Officers.

Solicitation of Proxies

PHC and Acadia shall bear 25% and 75%, respectively, of the aggregate fees and expenses incurred in connection with the filing with the SEC, printing and mailing of this proxy statement/prospectus. Solicitation of proxies by mail may be supplemented by telephone, facsimile and other electronic means, advertisements and personal solicitation by the directors, officers or employees of PHC. No additional compensation will be paid to directors, officers or employees for those solicitation efforts. PHC has engaged Georgeson Inc. (Georgeson) to assist in the solicitation of proxies for the special meeting, and PHC has agreed to pay Georgeson a fee of $8,500 and will reimburse them for reasonable out of pocket expenses incurred in connection with the solicitation.

Voting of Proxies

PHC requests that its stockholders complete, date and sign the enclosed proxy card and promptly return it by mail in the accompanying envelope in accordance with the instructions accompanying the proxy card. All properly signed and dated proxies that PHC receives prior to the vote at the special meeting of PHC stockholders, and not subsequently

revoked, will be voted in accordance with the instructions indicated on the proxies. All properly signed and dated proxies received by PHC prior to the vote at the special meeting that do not contain any direction as to how to vote in regards to any or all of the proposals will be voted for approval of any proposal in regards to which no directions are provided.

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Stockholders may revoke their proxies at any time prior to their use:

- by delivering to the clerk of PHC a signed notice of revocation;
- by delivering to the clerk of PHC a later-dated, signed proxy; or
- by attending the special meeting of PHC stockholders and voting in person.

Attendance at the special meeting of PHC stockholders does not in itself constitute the revocation of a proxy.

Even if a PHC stockholder plans to attend the special meeting in person, PHC requests that the stockholder sign and return the enclosed proxy card as described in the proxy statement/prospectus and in accordance with the instructions accompanying the proxy card, thus ensuring that the shares held by the stockholder will be represented at the special meeting. If a PHC stockholder does attend the special meeting and wishes to vote in person, he or she may withdraw the proxy and vote in person.

THE MERGER

General Description of the Merger

At the effective time of the merger, PHC will merge with and into Merger Sub. PHC stockholders will receive one-quarter of a share of Acadia common stock in exchange for each share of PHC common stock they own. In addition, holders of PHC Class B Common Stock will receive their pro rata share of $5.0 million of cash consideration for each share of PHC Class B Common Stock exchanged in the merger. PHC warrant holders holding warrants will receive warrants to purchase one-quarter of a share of Acadia common stock for each share of PHC common stock subject to such warrants. PHC option holders holding options, whether vested or unvested, will receive options to purchase one-quarter of a share of Acadia common stock for each share of PHC common stock subject to such options.

Upon completion of the merger, Acadia stockholders will retain 77.5% of the combined company on a fully diluted basis (as defined in the merger agreement) and the former PHC stockholders will receive 22.5% of the combined company on a fully diluted basis (as defined in the merger agreement).

Background of the Merger

Mr. Jacobs, Acadia s Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, and other members of Acadia s current management team were previously executive officers of Psychiatric Solutions, Inc. (PSI), a publicly traded behavioral health care company that owned and operated 95 inpatient facilities with approximately 11,000 beds in 32 states, Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands. Mr. Jacobs was a founder of PSI and served as its Chairman, Chief Executive Officer and President from 1997 to the time of its sale to Universal Health Services, Inc. (UHS) in November 2010. Mr. Jacobs and the senior management team grew PSI from a market capitalization of approximately $50 million when it went public in July 2002, to over $1.8 billion in November 2010.

Mr. Jacobs and Mr. Shear, PHC s Chief Executive Officer, have served together as directors of the National Association of Psychiatric Hospital Systems (NAPHS) for several years. Mr. Jacobs also was familiar with PHC and its business from his experience as Chairman, Chief Executive Officer and President of PSI. In 2008, PSI approached PHC about a possible combination of the two companies and in connection therewith, Messrs. Jacobs and Shear discussed the possible combination, although the discussions never progressed beyond the exploratory stage. Following the sale of PSI to UHS in November 2010, Mr. Jacobs called Mr. Shear and during that conversation, they arranged to meet in person.

In December 2010, Mr. Jacobs and Mr. Shear met to discuss PHC s strategic plans, including the possibility of Mr. Jacobs and other former PSI senior executive officers joining PHC. Concurrently, Mr. Jacobs discussed with representatives of Acadia and Waud Capital Partners the possibility of Mr. Jacobs and other former PSI senior executive officers joining Acadia. On January 31, 2011, Mr. Jacobs and other former PSI senior executive officers entered into employment agreements with Acadia.

On January 31, 2011, Mr. Jacobs contacted Mr. Shear and informed him that he and other former PSI executive officers had entered into employment agreements with Acadia. Messrs. Jacobs and Shear further discussed a possible strategic combination of Acadia and PHC and agreed it would be helpful to meet with Jefferies & Company, Inc. (Jefferies). Jefferies had previously been retained by PHC to act as a financing source in connection with PHC s proposed acquisition of MeadowWood, which PHC was exploring at that time.

On January 31, 2011, Mr. Shear updated the PHC board of directors on his discussions with Mr. Jacobs and discussed the possibility of a strategic combination of PHC and Acadia. Mr. Shear indicated to the PHC board of directors that if the companies combined operations, Mr. Shear believed that Mr. Jacobs would be able to generate further growth through additional acquisitions by virtue of his experience at PSI.

On February 2, 2011, Mr. Jacobs and Brent Turner, Co-President of Acadia, met with Mr. Shear and representatives of Jefferies in Fort Lauderdale, Florida to discuss a possible strategic combination of Acadia and PHC, including initial discussions regarding relative valuations and deal terms.

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Following the February 2, 2011 meeting, the parties continued discussions regarding the possible combination on periodic conference calls. On February 8, 2011, Mr. Shear and representatives from Acadia, Waud Capital Partners and Jefferies met in Chicago, Illinois to further discuss the possible combination of Acadia and PHC.

After the February 8, 2011 meeting, the parties continued to share models regarding the possible combination and further discussed potential terms.

During these discussions, Mr. Shear expressed several principles which guided the discussions on behalf of PHC:

- PHC desired a combination in which PHC stockholders would participate in the growth of the combined company;

- In view of PHC s recent growth and prospects, PHC s contribution to the combination should take into account PHC s 12 month projections as well as its recent historical performance; and

- Any acquisition must fairly compensate the holders of PHC s Class B Common Stock for their control rights, including their right to elect a majority of PHC s directors and their right to five votes per share.

On February 18, 2011, Mr. Shear updated the PHC board of directors on discussions with Acadia and the PHC board of directors approved PHC s retention of Jefferies to act as exclusive advisor in connection with a possible combination of Acadia and PHC.

On February 24, 2011, representatives of Acadia, Waud Capital Partners, Jefferies and a potential acquisition target met in Chicago, Illinois to have preliminary discussions regarding a possible combination with Acadia and PHC. The parties elected not to pursue this opportunity at that time due to differences of opinion with the potential target over valuation issues and complexities of structuring a three-way combination.

On March 7, 2011, the NAPHS held its annual meeting in Washington, D.C. While attending this meeting, Mr. Turner and Mr. Shear continued their discussions regarding the terms of a possible transaction between Acadia and PHC. In subsequent discussions the parties agreed to discuss a letter of intent reflecting proposed terms.

On March 16, 2011, Mr. Shear further updated the PHC board of directors on discussions with Acadia.

On March 22, 2011, Acadia delivered a letter of intent to the PHC board of directors. The parties and their respective counsel negotiated the letter of intent between March 23, 2011 and March 28, 2011.

On March 28, 2011, the PHC board of directors met to consider the proposed letter of intent. Jefferies made a presentation to the PHC board of directors, describing reasons for a combination of PHC and Acadia and providing background information with respect to Acadia, a summary of the transaction proposed by the letter of intent and pro forma financial information for the proposed combined company. The PHC board of directors discussed the presentation and the letter of intent and authorized PHC s execution of the letter of intent. The PHC board of directors also appointed Mr. William Grieco as the lead independent director with respect to the following: (i) discussions regarding the combination; (ii) working with PHC s Chief Executive Officer and management team; (iii) facilitating discussions amongst the members of the PHC board of directors; (iv) interacting with external advisors; and (v) assisting with PHC stockholder communications. Mr. Grieco was further directed to interview, select and engage a financial advisory firm without an interest in the completion of the transaction to evaluate the fairness of the proposed combination from a financial point of view, in light of Jefferies potential role in providing financing to the combined company.

The letter of intent that was signed on March 28, 2011 was non-binding, except that PHC granted exclusivity to Acadia and the parties agreed to maintain confidentiality regarding the proposed transaction. The letter of intent reflected that:

PHC stockholders would receive common stock constituting 22.5% of the combined company, on a fully diluted basis (as defined in the merger agreement), and Acadia stockholders would receive common stock constituting 77.5% of the combined company, on a fully diluted basis (as defined in the merger agreement);

Based upon the relative values of PHC and Acadia and in order to achieve the proposed 22.5% 77.5% proportion, Acadia stockholders would receive a distribution of approximately $90 million in cash;

In order to induce holders of PHC s Class B Common Stock to give up their control rights and exchange their Class B Common Stock for ordinary common stock, PHC stockholders would receive common stock constituting 22.5% of the combined company, on a fully diluted basis (as defined in the merger agreement), and holders of PHC s Class B Common Stock would recapitalize into common stock of the combined company and receive an aggregate of $5 million in cash;

Mr. Shear would serve as Vice Chairman of the combined company and, along with another representative designated by Mr. Shear, would serve as a director of the combined company;

the senior executive officers of PHC would enter into employment agreements on terms and conditions satisfactory to the parties and the employees; and

PHC, Waud Capital Partners and specified other stockholders would enter into an investment agreement that would provide certain rights in favor of Waud Capital Partners, including registration rights and such other rights as agreed to by the parties.

In reaching agreement to the proposed 22.5%-77.5% post-merger split of ownership interests in Acadia and the $90 million distribution of cash to the Acadia stockholders, the parties considered a number of factors, including the following: (i) the respective trailing 12 month revenue and adjusted EBITDA for each of Acadia and PHC; (ii) the opportunity to improve the operations at each party s facilities; (iii) the proven record of substantial growth demonstrated by Acadia s senior management team; and (iv) the opportunity for PHC s stockholders to own a substantial percentage of the combined company.

On March 30, 2011, Mr. Grieco engaged Pepper Hamilton LLP (Pepper Hamilton) on behalf of PHC to provide advice regarding Massachusetts corporate law in connection with the proposed combination with Acadia. Pepper Hamilton was also engaged to represent Messrs. Shear and Boswell in connection with related employment agreement negotiations.

On March 31, 2011, the parties entered into a confidentiality agreement and began due diligence and Kirkland & Ellis LLP (Kirkland & Ellis), outside counsel to Acadia, delivered an initial draft of a merger agreement to Arent Fox LLP (Arent Fox), outside counsel to PHC. Mr. Shear and Mr. Grieco reviewed the draft agreement and provided comments on key issues to Arent Fox. On April 6, 2011, representatives of Kirkland & Ellis and Arent Fox discussed the draft merger agreement and the proposed structure.

A meeting was held in Franklin, Tennessee on April 8, 2011 to discuss the structure and proposed terms of the transaction and proposed financing for the transaction. Mr. Shear and other representatives from PHC, representatives from Jefferies, members of Acadia s management team, representatives from Waud Capital Partners, representatives from Kirkland & Ellis, representatives from Arent Fox, representatives from Ernst & Young LLP, Acadia s accountants, and BDO USA, LLP, PHC s accountants, were either in attendance or participated by telephone. Discussions were also held between Mr. Jacobs, other members of Acadia management, Mr. Shear and a representative from Jefferies with respect to the proposed terms of the employment agreements of Messrs. Shear and Boswell with the combined company.

On April 18, 2011, Arent Fox provided Kirkland & Ellis with a revised draft of the merger agreement.

During the weeks of April 18th and April 25th, the parties and their respective counsel continued to discuss the merger agreement and the proposed structure of the transaction and the parties continued to conduct their respective due diligence. In particular, the parties decided to revise the merger agreement to reflect that PHC would merge with

and into a subsidiary of Acadia and that Acadia would issue common stock to the former PHC stockholders representing 22.5% of the combined company on a fully diluted basis (as defined in the merger agreement).

On April 25, 2011, Mr. Shear and Mr. Grieco updated the PHC board of directors on discussions with Acadia, including the engagement of accountants to conduct financial due diligence. The PHC board of directors provided Mr. Shear and Mr. Grieco comments on the key issues and instructions with respect to due diligence. Following the meeting, Mr. Grieco retained SRR on behalf of the PHC board of directors to provide an opinion to the PHC board of directors with respect to the fairness, from a financial point of view of (i) the proposed merger consideration to be received by holders of PHC s common stock (in the aggregate) and (ii) the proposed merger consideration to be received by holders of PHC s Class A Common Stock (in the aggregate). On May 2, 2011, representatives of SRR

met with Mr. Shear, Mr. Grieco and other members of PHC management in Peabody, Massachusetts in connection with SRR s review of PHC, and on May 5, 2011, representatives of SRR met with Acadia management in Franklin, Tennessee in connection with SRR s review of Acadia.

On May 3, 2011, Kirkland & Ellis distributed a revised draft of the merger agreement to Arent Fox that reflected a structure in which PHC would merge with and into an Acadia entity. After discussing the revised draft, Kirkland & Ellis distributed a further revised draft of the merger agreement to Arent Fox on May 9, 2011 that reflected the status of negotiations to date.

On May 9, 2011, a meeting of the PHC board of directors was held in Peabody, Massachusetts at which Jefferies presented a summary of the combination, including a discussion of certain deal terms, financing and pro forma financial statements for the combined company. Mr. Shear and Jefferies, based upon their familiarity with the participants in the behavioral health market, and Jefferies based upon its familiarity with potential financial investors in the behavioral health market, discussed with the PHC board of directors the absence of other viable candidates for a combination with PHC. Because the PHC board of directors, based upon discussions with its financial advisor, believed that a strategic combination of Acadia and PHC would best maximize the value to PHC stockholders in a transaction and there was an absence of other viable merger candidates, the PHC board of directors determined not to actively solicit potential alternative transactions. Instead, the PHC board of directors determined to confirm that there were no reasonably available alternative transactions by including in the merger agreement customary provisions permitting the PHC board of directors to terminate the agreement and pursue any superior alternate transaction that might arise following the announcement of an agreement with Acadia.

Following the May 9th meeting, Mr. Grieco discussed the revised draft merger agreement with the PHC board members and collected their comments. He then discussed his comments and the other directors comments with PHC management and Arent Fox. During the week of May 9th, Mr. Shear and Mr. Grieco continued to review the draft merger agreement and provided comments to Arent Fox, Jefferies and Acadia.

On May 11, 2011, Arent Fox delivered to Kirkland & Ellis a revised draft of the merger agreement reflecting the status of current negotiations.

On May 12, 2011, Jefferies Finance delivered to Acadia a draft commitment letter and a draft engagement letter with respect to Jefferies Finance s proposed financing of the combination.

During the negotiations regarding the merger agreement, the parties negotiated closing conditions, covenants and termination provisions of the merger agreement, including the termination fee and expense reimbursement provisions set forth in the merger agreement. Acadia had initially requested a termination fee of $5 million. PHC rejected this proposal, at which point Acadia proposed a termination fee of up to $3 million. Subsequently, PHC proposed a fee of $2 million payable by PHC upon its acceptance of a superior offer and a break-up fee of $6 million payable by Acadia. Acadia proposed that PHC s fee would be payable upon the happening of specified events, including termination due to a failure to consummate the merger by the end date, failure to receive stockholder approval or breach by PHC of its representations and warranties.

Following extensive negotiation, the parties agreed that PHC may adversely change its recommendation under certain circumstances if it receives a superior proposal, as described in the merger agreement. PHC would pay Acadia a termination fee of $3 million in the event the merger agreement is terminated because the PHC board of directors has adversely changed its recommendation to approve the merger or if PHC enters into or consummates an alternative transaction within 12 months of the merger agreement being terminated because the merger has not been consummated by the December 15, 2011, PHC has not obtained the required stockholder approval or PHC would be unable to satisfy its closing conditions regarding its covenants and agreements or representations and warranties.

Additionally, if either party terminates the merger agreement as a result of the other party breaching any of its covenants, agreements, representations or warranties such that a condition related to close would not be satisfied (and the termination fee is not otherwise payable in connection with such termination), the breaching party will pay (in four annual payments) up to $1 million of the non-breaching parties reasonably documented out-of-pocket fees and expenses (including reasonable legal fees and expenses) actually incurred in connection with the transactions contemplated by the merger agreement, with the first annual installment due within two business days of such

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termination, and the remaining payments being made on the first, second and third anniversary of such termination date.

During the weeks of May 9th and May 16th, Kirkland & Ellis and Acadia continued to negotiate with Jefferies Finance and its counsel the terms of the proposed debt financing.

On May 13, 2011, the Acadia board of directors held a telephonic meeting. Kirkland & Ellis and members of Acadia s management also attended the meeting telephonically. Acadia s CFO reviewed the financial terms of the proposed merger. Kirkland & Ellis reviewed the terms of the merger agreement.

On May 15, 2011, Kirkland & Ellis distributed a revised draft of the merger agreement to Arent Fox, reflecting the status of continued negotiations.

The Acadia board of directors held a subsequent telephonic meeting on May 16, 2011. At this meeting, Kirkland & Ellis reviewed the terms of the merger agreement with the Acadia board of directors. Acadia s General Counsel and representatives of Kirkland & Ellis reviewed with the Acadia board of directors additional due diligence findings and representatives of Kirkland & Ellis reviewed the terms of the merger agreement. After further discussion, the Acadia board of directors then approved Acadia s entering into the merger agreement and authorized Acadia management to finalize the merger agreement.

On May 16, 2011, Mr. Shear and Mr. Grieco updated the PHC board of directors on the proposed revised terms of the merger agreement and reviewed remaining concerns with the PHC board members.

On May 17th, 19th, 20th and 22nd, Kirkland & Ellis distributed revised drafts of the merger agreement to Arent Fox, reflecting, in each case, the status of negotiations at that time.

On May 19, 2011, the PHC board of directors met to consider the proposed merger. Arent Fox, Jefferies and Mr. Grieco reviewed the principal terms of the merger agreement and related agreements, and SRR reviewed the financial analysis that it had performed related to the consideration to be paid in the proposed merger. After further discussion of the proposed transaction, SRR provided the PHC board of directors with its opinion that, as of that date, based upon certain assumptions and qualifications, (i) the merger consideration to be received by the holders of outstanding PHC common stock (in the aggregate) is fair, from a financial point of view, to such holders and (ii) the consideration to be paid to holders of the PHC Class A Common Stock (in the aggregate) is fair, from a financial point of view, to such holders. After further discussion, the PHC board of directors unanimously voted (with Mr. Shear abstaining from the vote) to approve the merger agreement and authorized management to enter into the merger agreement on behalf of PHC and submit the merger agreement to PHC s stockholders for approval, subject to finalization of the merger agreement.

On May 23, 2011, Acadia and PHC signed the merger agreement and on May 24, 2011 issued a joint press release announcing the signing. On May 23, 2011, certain members of PHC s management, including Mr. Shear, entered into voting agreements pursuant to which they agreed to vote in favor of the merger.

Acadia s Reasons for the Merger

In approving and authorizing the merger and the merger agreement, the Acadia board of directors considered a number of factors, including, among others, the facts discussed in the following paragraphs. Although the foregoing discussion sets forth the material factors considered by the Acadia board in reaching its determination, it may not include all of the factors considered by the Acadia board. In light of the number and wide variety of factors considered in connection with its evaluation of the merger, the Acadia board did not consider it practicable to, and did not attempt

to, quantify or otherwise assign relative weights to the specific factors it considered in reaching its determination. The Acadia board viewed its position and determinations as being based on all of the information available and the factors presented to and considered by it. In addition, individual directors may have given different weight to different factors.

In reaching its decision, the Acadia board consulted with Acadia s management with respect to strategic and operational matters and with Acadia s legal counsel with respect to the merger agreement and the transactions contemplated thereby. The decision of the Acadia board to enter into the merger agreement was the result of careful

consideration by the Acadia board of numerous factors, including the following positive factors that it believes will contribute to the success of the combined enterprise:

the opportunity to diversify service types and payor mix;

the ability to expand the number of facilities and beds and expand into additional new states;

Acadia s and PHC s facilities are complementary and their combination will increase geographic diversity;

the increased ability to access private and public equity markets, including for purposes of acting on attractive opportunities to further expand Acadia s business;

Acadia s management will provide additional resources and has a demonstrated record of achievement;

the opportunity to expand PHC s internet and telephonic-based support services, which include crisis intervention, critical incidents coordination, employee counselor support, client monitoring, case management and health promotion;

the opportunity to retain 77.5% of the combined company while achieving partial liquidity through a pre-merger dividend;

the fact that the merger will provide Acadia stockholders, who currently hold shares in a private company, with shares of common stock in a publicly traded company, which would provide liquidity to Acadia stockholders;

the increased ability to access private and public equity markets, including for purposes of acting on attractive opportunities to further expand Acadia s business; and

its understanding of Acadia s business, operations, financial condition and prospects, and of PHC s business, operations, financial condition and prospects.

The Acadia board also identified and considered a number of uncertainties and risks including the following:

the risk that the potential benefits of the merger might not be realized;

the risk that the merger may not be completed;

the challenges, costs, resource constraints and risks of entering into the merger agreement and integrating the businesses of Acadia and PHC and the potential management, customer and employee disruption that may be associated with the merger;

the amount of indebtedness required to finance the merger and the related restrictions to which the combined company would be subject; and

various other applicable risks associated with the combined company and the merger, including those described under the section entitled Risk Factors beginning on page 18 of this proxy statement/prospectus.

The Acadia board weighed the benefits, advantages and opportunities against the negative factors described above, including the possible diversion of management attention for an extended period of time. The Acadia board realized that there can be no assurance about future results, including results expected or considered in the factors listed above.

However, the Acadia board concluded that the potential benefits significantly outweighed the potential risks of completing the merger.

After taking into account these and other factors, the Acadia board unanimously approved and authorized the merger agreement and the transactions contemplated thereby, including the merger.

PHC s Reasons for the Merger

In approving and authorizing the merger agreement, the PHC board of directors considered a number of factors. Although the following discussion sets forth the material factors considered by the PHC board of directors in reaching its determination, it may not include all of the factors considered by the PHC board of directors. In light of the number and wide variety of factors considered in connection with its evaluation of the merger agreement, the

PHC board of directors did not consider it practicable to, and did not attempt to, quantify or otherwise assign relative weights to the specific factors it considered in reaching its determination. The PHC board of directors viewed its position and determinations as being based on all of the information available and the factors presented to and considered by it. In addition, individual directors may have given different weight to different factors.

In reaching its decision, the PHC board of directors consulted with PHC s management with respect to strategic and operational matters and with PHC s legal counsel with respect to the merger agreement and the transactions contemplated thereby. The PHC board of directors also consulted with Jefferies, PHC s financial advisor, with respect to the financial aspects of the merger.

Among the factors considered by the PHC board of directors in its decision to approve the merger agreement were the following:

its knowledge of PHC s business, operations, financial condition, earnings and prospects, as well as the risks in achieving those prospects;

its belief that the merger is more favorable to PHC s stockholders than any other alternative reasonably available, including the alternative of remaining a stand-alone, independent company and seeking to grow by pursuing acquisitions and the alternative of seeking another merger partner, as well as the potential rewards, risks and uncertainties associated with those alternatives;

the judgment, advice and analysis of PHC s senior management with respect to the potential benefits of the merger, based on the business, financial, accounting and legal due diligence investigations performed with respect to Acadia;

the opinion of SRR to the PHC board of directors that the merger consideration specified in the merger agreement was fair, from a financial point of view, to the holders of PHC Class A Common Stock (in the aggregate) and to the holders of all of the PHC common stock (in the aggregate), as of the date thereof;

historical information concerning Acadia s business, financial performance and condition, funding ability, operations, management and competitive position and the related prospects for the combined company;

the fact that financial and other terms and conditions of the merger agreement were the product of extensive arm s-length negotiations among the parties and were designed to provide as much certainty as was possible that the merger would ultimately be consummated on a timely basis;

the fact that Acadia obtained a firm commitment for the financing necessary to complete the merger and the associated transactions, including the fact that Jefferies Finance, an affiliate of Jefferies, with PHC s prior consent, provided the commitment;

the fact that negotiations were conducted under the oversight of a lead independent director who is not an employee of PHC;

the fact that the lead independent director selected SRR to provide its opinion to the PHC board of directors as to the fairness of the merger consideration from a financial point of view;

the fact that the merger agreement must be approved by the affirmative vote of the holders of at least two-thirds of the outstanding shares of PHC Class A Common Stock, voting separately, as well as the vote of the holders of the PHC Class A Common Stock and the PHC Class B Common Stock voting together;

the current conditions in the behavioral health market and the positioning of the combined company within that market after the merger;

the current conditions of the equity and debt market, as it relates to PHC s ability to raise additional capital from new investors for the continued growth of PHC s business, and as it relates to the potential prospects for the combined company; and

the impact of the merger on PHC s employees.

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In reaching its determination to approve the merger agreement, the members of the PHC board of directors identified and considered a number of the potential benefits of the merger, including the following:

- Acadia s assembled set of seasoned behavioral health facilities;
- PHC s and Acadia s facilities are complementary and their combination will increase geographic diversity;
- the combination of the businesses will diversify the revenue and the payor base;
- the combination of the businesses will improve the scale of operations and operating leverage;
- Acadia s management will provide additional resources and has a demonstrated record of achievement;
- the combined company will provide a platform for additional acquisitions;
- the opportunity to own 22.5% of the combined company on a fully diluted basis (as defined in the merger agreement);
- the combined company s greater outstanding equity should result in increased stock liquidity and research coverage; and
- the combined company should have a greater range of options to access private and public equity and debt markets to fund future capital needs, which are likely be greater than the options available to PHC alone.

The members of the PHC board of directors also identified and considered a number of uncertainties and risks, including the following:

- the risk that the potential benefits of the merger might not be realized;
- the risk that Acadia s stockholders will control the combined company and the fact that Acadia s stock ownership is concentrated in the hands of relatively few stockholders;
- the amount of indebtedness required to finance the merger and the related restrictions to which the combined company would be subject;
- the interests that PHC s directors and executive officers have with respect to the merger, in addition to their interests as holders of PHC Class A Common Stock, as described in The Merger Interests of PHC s Directors and Executive Officers ;
- the possible diversion of management attention for an extended period of time;
- the substantial expenses expected to be incurred in connection with the merger;
- the risk that the merger may not be completed; and
- various other applicable risks associated with the combined company and the merger, including those described under the section entitled Risk Factors beginning on page 18 of this proxy statement/prospectus.

The PHC board of directors weighed the benefits, advantages and opportunities of a potential transaction against the risk factors described above. The PHC board of directors considered the uncertainties associated with the relative valuations of PHC and Acadia, including the analysis involved in determining that a distribution to the Acadia shareholders (as described below in The Merger Agreement Acadia Dividend) was required to in order to arrive at the 22.5%-77.5% post-merger split of ownership interests. The PHC board of directors also considered the borrowing needed to fund the distribution and the payment to Waud Capital Partners in connection with the termination of the Professional Services Agreement (as further described in Acadia Interested Transactions Professional Services Agreement). The PHC board of directors viewed the merger as a strategic combination that would best maximize the value to PHC stockholders in a transaction and determined that the PHC s shareholders opportunity to participate in the potential benefits of the combination represented by the 22.5% interest in the combined company was preferable to a smaller share of the combined company and a smaller distribution to the Acadia shareholders. The PHC board of directors also evaluated the additional debt required to be carried by the combined company to fund the distribution. The PHC board of directors believe that the debt is supportable by the combined company.

The PHC board of directors realized that there can be no assurance about future results, including results expected or considered in the factors listed above. However, the PHC board of directors concluded that the potential benefits significantly outweighed the potential risks of completing the merger.

After taking into account these and other factors, the PHC board of directors approved the merger agreement and the transactions contemplated therewith, including the merger.

The Recommendation of the PHC Board of Directors

After careful consideration, the PHC board of directors has unanimously (with Mr. Shear abstaining) approved the merger agreement and determined that the merger agreement is fair to, and in the best interests of, the stockholders of PHC. Therefore, the PHC board of directors recommends PHC stockholders vote FOR the approval of the merger agreement.

In considering the recommendation of the PHC board of directors with respect to the merger agreement, you should be aware that the directors and executive officers of PHC have interests in the merger that are different from, or are in addition to, the interests of other PHC stockholders. Please see The Merger Interests of PHC s Directors and Executive Officers.

Acadia has obtained from PHC s directors and executive officers their agreement to vote their shares of capital stock to approve the merger agreement.

Opinion of Stout Risius Ross, Inc.

On May 19, 2011, SRR delivered to the PHC board of directors its oral opinion, which opinion was subsequently confirmed by delivery of a written opinion dated May 19, 2011, to the effect that, as of that date, and subject to assumptions made, matters considered and limitations as set forth therein, (i) the merger consideration to be received by the holders of outstanding shares of PHC s Class A Common Stock and Class B Common Stock (in the aggregate) was fair, from a financial point of view, to such holders, and (ii) the merger consideration to be received by the holders of the outstanding shares of PHC s Class A Common Stock (in the aggregate) was fair, from a financial point of view, to such holders.

The full text of the written opinion of SRR, dated May 19, 2011, is attached as Annex C to this proxy statement/prospectus and is incorporated by reference in its entirety into this proxy statement/prospectus. The opinion sets forth, among other things, the assumptions made, work performed, procedures followed, matters considered and qualifications and limitations on the scope of the review undertaken by SRR. You should read the opinion carefully and in its entirety. SRR s opinion was directed to the PHC board of directors and addresses only the fairness, from a financial point of view, of (i) the merger consideration to be received by the holders of outstanding shares of PHC s Class A Common Stock and Class B Common Stock (in the aggregate) and (ii) the merger consideration to be received by the holders of the outstanding shares of PHC s Class A Common Stock (in the aggregate), in each case to the respective holders thereof. The opinion does not address any other aspect of the merger and does not constitute a recommendation to the PHC board of directors or to any other person in respect to the merger, including as to how any holder of shares of PHC common stock should vote or act in respect to the merger. The summary of the opinion of SRR set forth in this proxy statement/prospectus is qualified in its entirety by reference to the full text of the opinion. SRR has consented to the inclusion in this proxy statement/prospectus of its opinion and the description of its opinion appearing below.

The sources of information used in performing SRR s analysis included, but were not limited to:

PHC s 10-K filings for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2006 through 2010;

PHC s 10-Q filing for the quarter ended March 31, 2011;

Acadia Holdings audited financial statements for the years ending December 31, 2006 though 2010;

YFCS audited financial statements for the years ending December 31, 2006 through 2010;

Acadia Holdings internally prepared unaudited financial statements for the three-month periods ended March 31, 2010 and 2011;

YFCS internally prepared unaudited financial statements for the three-month periods ended March 31, 2010 and 2011;

draft of the merger agreement, dated May 19, 2011;

PHC s five-year financial forecast (including MeadowWood) for the fiscal years ending December 31, 2011 through 2015 and subsequent long-term growth rates prepared by PHC management;

Acadia s five-year financial forecast (including YFCS) for the fiscal years ending December 31, 2011 through 2015 and subsequent growth rates prepared by Acadia management;

combined (both PHC and Acadia) five-year financial forecast for the fiscal years ending December 31, 2011 through 2015 and subsequent long-term growth rates prepared by PHC and Acadia management;

a review of publicly available financial data of certain publicly traded companies that SRR deemed relevant;

a review of publicly available information regarding certain publicly available merger and acquisition transactions that SRR deemed relevant;

a review of other financial and other information for PHC and Acadia that was publicly available or provided to SRR by management of PHC or Holdings;

discussions with PHC and Acadia management concerning their business, industry, history, and prospects;

discussions with PHC s financial advisors, Jefferies; and

an analysis of other facts and data resulting in our conclusions.

SRR was not requested to opine as to, and its opinion does not in any manner address: (i) PHC s underlying business decision to proceed with or effect the merger, (ii) the amount of the merger consideration to be paid to holders of PHC s Class B Common Stock, any distribution paid to Acadia stockholders, the allocation of the merger consideration among the PHC stockholders or the amount per share of the merger consideration, the amount of the merger consideration paid to the holders of PHC s Class A Common Stock relative to the merger consideration paid to the holders of PHC s Class B Common Stock or relative to the merger consideration paid to all holders of PHC common stock, or any other term or condition of any agreement or document related to, or the form or any other portion or aspect of, the merger, except as expressly stated in its opinion letter, or (iii) the solvency, creditworthiness or fair value of PHC, Acadia or any other participant in the merger under any applicable laws relating to bankruptcy, insolvency or similar matters. Further, SRR was not requested to consider, and its opinion does not address, the merits of the merger relative to any alternative business strategies that may have existed for PHC or the effect of any other transactions in which PHC might have engaged, nor did SRR offer any opinion as to the terms of the merger. Moreover, SRR was not engaged to recommend, and did not recommend, a transaction price or exchange ratio, or participate in the merger negotiations. Furthermore, no opinion, counsel or interpretation was intended in matters that require legal, regulatory, accounting, insurance, tax or other similar professional advice. SRR s opinion does not constitute, and they have not made, a recommendation to the PHC board of directors or any security holder of PHC or any other person as to how to act or vote with respect to the merger or otherwise. SRR also assumed, with PHC s

consent, that the final executed form of the merger agreement would not differ from the draft of the merger agreement that they examined, that the conditions to the merger as set forth in the draft merger agreement would be satisfied, and that the merger would be consummated on a timely basis in the manner contemplated by the draft merger agreement, without any limitations, restrictions, or conditions, regulatory or otherwise. SRR expressed no opinion as to the price at which the shares of any of PHC, Acadia and the combined company might trade at any time.

The SRR opinion was intended to be utilized by the PHC board of directors as only one input to consider in its process of analyzing the merger.

SRR assumed that the assets, liabilities, financial condition and prospects of PHC and Acadia as of the date of its opinion had not changed materially since the date of the most recent financial information made available to

them. SRR also assumed and relied upon the accuracy and completeness of all financial and other information that was publicly available, furnished by PHC or Acadia, or otherwise reviewed by or discussed with them, and of the representations and warranties of PHC and Acadia contained in the draft merger agreement, in each case without independent verification of such information. SRR assumed, without independent verification, that the financial forecasts and projections, as well as the synergy estimates, provided to them were reasonably prepared and reflected the best currently available estimates of the future financial results of PHC, Acadia and the combined company and represent reasonable estimates, and SRR relied upon such forecasts, projections and estimates in arriving at its opinion. SRR was not engaged to assess the reasonableness or achievability of such forecasts, projections and estimates or the assumptions upon which they were based, and expressed no view as to the forecasts, projections, estimates or assumptions. SRR assumed that the merger would be consummated on the terms described in the merger agreement, without any waiver of any material terms or conditions by PHC or Acadia.

SRR did not conduct any physical inspection, evaluation or appraisal of PHC s or Acadia s facilities, assets or liabilities. SRR s opinion was based on business, economic, market and other conditions as they existed and could be evaluated as of the date of its opinion letter. It should be noted that although subsequent developments may affect its opinion, SRR does not have any obligation to update, revise or reaffirm its opinion.

SRR did not form a conclusion as to whether any individual analysis, when considered independently of the other analyses conducted by SRR, supported or failed to support its opinion. SRR did not specifically rely or place any specific weight on any individual analysis. Accordingly, SRR believes that the analyses must be considered in their entirety, and that selecting portions of the analyses or the factors it considered, without considering all analyses and factors together, could create an imperfect view of the processes underlying the analyses performed by SRR in connection with the preparation of its opinion.

The following is a brief summary of the material analyses performed by SRR in connection with its oral opinion and the preparation of its written opinion dated May 19, 2011. This summary of financial analyses includes information presented in tabular format. In order to fully understand the financial analyses used by SRR, the tables must be read together with the accompanying text. The tables alone do not constitute a complete description of the financial analyses.

Financial Analyses with respect to PHC

Historical Trading Performance PHC

To provide context, SRR reviewed the historical stock price and volume of PHC Class A Common Stock for the five-year period ending May 17, 2011. SRR noted that the low and high closing prices of PHC Class A Common Stock during this period were $0.50 and $3.75 per share. SRR also noted that the low and high closing prices during the three-year period ending May 17, 2011 were $0.50 and $2.90 per share and during the one-year period ending May 17, 2011 were $0.98 and $2.89 per share.

Discounted Cash Flow Method PHC

SRR performed a discounted cash flow analysis of PHC in order to derive an implied enterprise value of PHC based on the present value of PHC s future cash flows. In performing its discounted cash flow analysis of PHC, SRR relied on the financial forecast prepared by PHC management. This financial forecast includes PHC management s estimate of the impact of the MeadowWood acquisition. The residual year growth rate was provided by PHC management.

SRR estimated the debt free cash flows that PHC could generate through the period ending December 31, 2015 based upon the PHC management forecast. These cash flows were discounted to a present value-equivalent using a range of

discount rates of 13.5% to 14.5%, which was based upon PHC s estimated weighted average cost of capital (WACC) and residual year growth rates ranging from 2.5% to 3.5%. The estimated WACC was based upon estimates of PHC s cost of equity capital, cost of debt capital and an assumed capital structure, all of which were based upon information from various independent sources (including market risk-free interest rates, market equity risk premiums, small stock risk premiums, equity betas and corporate bond rates).

Based on the assumptions described above, the discounted cash flow analysis indicated an implied enterprise value from operations (EV) range for PHC of approximately $67.3 million to $78.4 million.

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Guideline Company Method PHC

SRR reviewed and compared specific financial and operating data relating to PHC to that of several publicly-traded companies that SRR deemed to have certain characteristics that are similar to those of PHC. These selected companies were:

Universal Health Services, Inc.,

Tenet Healthcare Corp.,

The GEO Group, Inc.,

Health Management Associates, Inc.,

Lifepoint Hospitals Inc., and

Community Health Systems, Inc.

SRR noted, however, that none of the selected publicly traded companies is identical or directly comparable to PHC.

As part of its analysis, SRR reviewed multiples of EV of the selected companies, which were calculated as equity value, plus debt and preferred stock, plus minority interests, less cash and cash equivalents, *divided by* the selected companies earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization (commonly known as EBITDA), for the next fiscal year (NFY) and NFY+1 estimates. Multiples for the selected companies were based on stock prices for the selected companies as of May 17, 2011. Estimates of future performance for the selected companies were compiled from equity analyst estimates, as provided by Capital IQ, Inc. This analysis indicated the following EV multiples for the selected companies:

Market Multiples of the Guideline Companies

Company	EV (In millions of U.S. dollars)	EV/NFY EBITDA	EV/NFY+1 EBITDA
Universal Health Services Inc.	$ 9,348.8	7.9x	7.4x
Tenet Healthcare Corp.	7,794.0	6.3x	6.0x
The GEO Group, Inc.	3,018.7	9.7x	8.7x
Health Management Associates Inc.	5,812.0	7.2x	6.7x
Lifepoint Hospitals Inc.	3,571.9	6.7x	6.3x
Community Health Systems, Inc.	11,929.7	6.4x	6.1x
Low	3,018.7	6.3x	6.0x
High	11,929.7	9.7x	8.7x
Mean	6,912.5	7.4x	6.9x
Median	6,803.0	7.0x	6.5x

PHC financial metrics for 2011 and 2012 were taken from the financial forecast for PHC provided by the management of PHC. Based on this analysis and on SRR s judgment and experience with respect to the differences in size,

profitability and risk, among other quantitative and qualitative factors of PHC relative to the selected companies, SRR selected for PHC a range of NFY EBITDA multiples of 7.5x to 8.0x and NFY+1 EBITDA multiples of 5.5x to 6.0x. This analysis indicated a range of EV for PHC of approximately $71.2 million to $76.8 million.

Merger and Acquisition Method   PHC

SRR identified for consideration in its analysis 12 recent transactions (for which sufficient disclosure of financial terms was publicly available) involving the acquisition of healthcare companies that SRR deemed to have certain characteristics that are similar to those of PHC. SRR noted, however, that none of the companies included in the selected transactions is identical or directly comparable to PHC and that none of the selected transactions is

identical or directly comparable to the merger. SRR compared selected information of PHC with the corresponding data indicated in the selected transactions.

SRR examined multiples of EV to latest twelve months (LTM) EBITDA. Multiples for the selected transactions were based upon the information available in the latest financial statements issued prior to the transaction announcement date. Financial data for the selected transactions was obtained from various independent sources including Capital IQ, Inc. The EV multiples implied by the selected transactions are as follows:

Market Multiples of the Selected Mergers and Acquisitions

Date Announced	Target	Acquirer	Indicated Multiples EV/LTM EBITDA
3/16/2011	MeadowWood Behavioral Health System	PHC, Inc.	n/a
2/8/2011	RehabCare Group Inc.	Kindred Healthcare Inc.	7.7x
11/22/2010	Cocentra, Inc.	Humana, Inc.	n/a
7/27/2010	Wuesthoff Health System, Inc.	Health Management Associates, Inc.	n/a
5/27/2010	Shands HealthCare	Health Management Associates, Inc.	n/a
5/17/2010	Psychiatric Solutions, Inc.	Universal Health Services, Inc.	9.4x
4/19/2010	Cornell Companies, Inc.	The GEO Group, Inc.	8.3x
4/1/2010	Clark Regional Medical Center, Inc.	Lifepoint Hospitals Inc.	n/a
3/31/2010	University Community Health, Inc.	Adventist Health System, Inc.	n/a
4/14/2009	Brotman Medical Center, Inc.	Prospect Hospital Advisory Services, Inc.	6.8x
11/4/2008	Correctional Mental Health Services LLC	Conmed Healthcare Management, Inc.	n/a
11/27/2007	Community Health Systems, Inc.	Capella Healthcare, Inc.	n/a
Low			6.8x
High			9.4x
Mean			8.1x
Median			8.0x

Based on this analysis, and on SRR s judgment and experience with respect to the differences in size, profitability, and risk, among other quantitative and qualitative factors of PHC relative to the selected companies, SRR selected a range of EV to EBITDA (for the last twelve months) multiples of 7.5x to 8.0x. This analysis indicated a range of EV for PHC of approximately $68.8 million to $73.4 million.

Summary of Valuation Methodologies PHC

SRR utilized the enterprise values for PHC implied by the discounted cash flow, guideline company and merger and acquisition analyses described above in determining an implied range of equity value for PHC. After adjustments to implied enterprise value for debt, cash and certain investments, as provided by PHC management, these analyses indicated an implied equity range for PHC of $47.1 million to $54.2 million, as illustrated in the chart below, or $2.37 to $2.73 per share of PHC common stock.

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Valuation Summary PHC

	Indicated Range of Value as of 5/17/2011 In thousands of U.S. dollars	
Discounted Cash Flow Method	$ 67,300	$ 78,400
Guideline Public Company Method	71,200	76,800
Mergerand Acquisition Method	68,800	73,400
Indicated Enterprise Value	**$ 69,100**	**$ 76,200**
Less: Interest-Bearing Debt	(23,500)	(23,500)
Add: Cash and Cash Equivalents	504	504
Add: Investments in Unconsolidated Subsidiaries	1,037	1,037
Total Adjustments to Enterprise Value	**(21,959)**	**(21,959)**
Indicated Value of Equity	**47,141**	**54,241**
Divided by: Diluted Weighted Average Shares Outstanding	19,872	19,872
Indicated Value of Equity Per Share	**$ 2.37**	**$ 2.73**

Financial Analyses with respect to Acadia

Discounted Cash Flow Method Acadia

SRR performed a discounted cash flow analysis of Acadia in order to derive an implied enterprise value of Acadia based on the present value of Acadia s future cash flows. In performing its discounted cash flow analysis of Acadia, SRR relied on the financial forecast prepared by Acadia management. The residual year growth rate was provided by Acadia management.

SRR estimated the debt free cash flows that Acadia could generate through the period ending December 31, 2015 based upon the Acadia management forecast. These cash flows were discounted to a present value-equivalent using a range of discount rates of 11.5% to 12.5%, which was based upon Acadia s estimated WACC and residual year growth rates ranging from 3.0% to 4.0%. The estimated WACC was based upon estimates of Acadia s cost of equity capital, cost of debt capital and an assumed capital structure, all of which were based upon information from various independent sources (including market risk-free interest rates, market equity risk premiums, small stock risk premiums, equity betas and corporate bond rates).

Based on the assumptions described above, the discounted cash flow analysis indicated an implied enterprise value range for Acadia of approximately $356.4 million to $432.3 million.

Guideline Company Method Acadia

SRR reviewed and compared specific financial and operating data relating to Acadia to that of the six selected publicly traded companies described above with respect to its analysis of PHC. SRR noted, however, that none of the

selected publicly traded companies is identical or directly comparable to Acadia.

Acadia financial metrics for 2011 and 2012 were taken from the financial forecast for Acadia provided by the management of Acadia. Based on this analysis, and on SRR s judgment and experience with respect to the differences in size, historical and projected growth rates, profitability and risk, among other quantitative and qualitative factors of Acadia relative to the selected companies, SRR selected a range of NFY EBITDA multiples of 8.5x to 9.0x and NFY+1 EBITDA multiples of 8.0x to 8.5x. This analysis indicated a range of EV for Acadia of approximately $364.8 million to $386.9 million.

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Merger and Acquisition Method Acadia

SRR compared selected information of Acadia with the corresponding data indicated in the 12 acquisition transactions described above with respect to its analysis of PHC. SRR noted, however, that none of the companies included in the selected transactions is identical or directly comparable to Acadia and that none of the selected transactions is identical or directly comparable to the merger.

Based on this analysis, and on SRR s judgment and experience with respect to the differences in size, profitability and risk, among other quantitative and qualitative factors of Acadia relative to the selected companies, SRR selected a range of EV to EBITDA multiples of 8.5x to 9.0x. This analysis indicated a range of EV for Acadia of approximately $362.4 million to $383.7 million.

Summary of Valuation Methodologies Acadia

SRR utilized the enterprise values for Acadia implied by the discounted cash flow, guideline company and merger and acquisition analyses described above in determining an implied range of value of equity for Acadia. After adjustments to implied enterprise value for debt and cash, as provided by the management of Acadia, these analyses indicated an implied range of equity value for Acadia of $224.2 million to $264.0 million, as illustrated in the chart below.

Valuation Summary Acadia

	Indicated Range of Value as of 5/17/2011 In thousands of U.S. dollars	
Discounted Cash Flow Method	$ 356,400	$ 432,300
Guideline Public Company Method	364,800	386,900
Merger and Acquisition Method	362,400	383,700
Indicated Enterprise Value	**$ 361,200**	**$ 401,000**
Less: Interest-Bearing Debt	(145,000)	(145,000)
Add: Cash and Cash Equivalents	8,028	8,028
Total Adjustments to Enterprise Value	**(136,972)**	**(136,972)**
Indicated Value of Equity	**$ 224,228**	**$ 264,028**

Financial Analyses with respect to the Combined Company

Discounted Cash Flow Method Combined Company

SRR performed a discounted cash flow analysis of the combined company in order to derive an implied enterprise value of the combined company based on the present value of the combined company s estimated future cash flows. In performing its discounted cash flow analysis of the combined company, SRR relied on the financial forecast jointly prepared by PHC and Acadia management. The residual year growth rate was jointly provided by PHC and Acadia management.

SRR estimated the debt free cash flows that the combined company could generate through the period ending December 31, 2015 based upon the joint management forecast. These cash flows were discounted to a present value-equivalent using a range of discount rates of 10.5% to 11.5%, which was based upon the combined company s estimated WACC, and residual year growth rates ranging from 3.0% to 4.0%. The estimated WACC was based upon estimates of the combined company s cost of equity capital, cost of debt capital and an assumed capital structure, all of which were based upon information from various independent sources (including market risk-free interest rates, market equity risk premiums, small stock risk premiums, equity betas and corporate bond rates).

Based on the assumptions described above, the discounted cash flow indicated an implied enterprise value range for the combined company of approximately $516.4 million to $646.9 million.

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Guideline Company Method Combined Company

SRR reviewed and compared specific financial and operating data relating to the combined company to that of the six publicly traded companies described above with respect to its analysis of PHC. SRR noted, however, that none of the selected publicly traded companies is identical or directly comparable to the combined company.

The combined company s estimated financial metrics for 2011 and 2012 were provided by the joint management of PHC and Acadia. Based on this analysis, and on SRR s judgment and experience with respect to the differences in size, historical and projected growth rates, profitability and risk, among other quantitative and qualitative factors of the combined company relative to the selected companies, SRR selected a range of NFY EBITDA multiples of 9.0x to 9.5x and NFY+1 EBITDA multiples of 8.0x to 8.5x. This analysis indicated a range of EV for the combined company of approximately $499.0 million to $528.5 million.

Merger and Acquisition Method Combined Company

SRR compared selected information of to the combined company with the corresponding data indicated in the 12 acquisition transactions described above with respect to its analysis of PHC. SRR noted, however, that none of the companies included in the selected transactions is identical or directly comparable to the combined company and that none of the selected transactions is identical or directly comparable to the merger.

Based on this analysis, and on SRR s judgment and experience with respect to the differences in size, profitability and risk, among other quantitative and qualitative factors of the combined company relative to the selected companies, SRR selected a range of EV to EBITDA multiples of 9.0x to 10.0x. This analysis indicated a range of EV for the combined company of approximately $496.8 million to $552.0 million.

Summary of Valuation Methodologies Combined Company

SRR utilized the enterprise values for to the combined company implied by the discounted cash flow, guideline company and merger and acquisition analyses described above in determining an implied range of value of equity for the combined company. After adjustments to implied enterprise value for debt and cash, as provided by the management of PHC and Acadia, these analyses indicated an implied range of equity value for the combined company of $220.6 million to $292.4 million, as illustrated in the chart below.

Valuation Summary Combined Company

	Indicated Range of Value as of 5/17/2011 In thousands of U.S. dollars	
Discounted Cash Flow Method	$ 516,400	$ 646,900
Guideline Public Company Method	499,000	528,500
Merger and Acquisition Method	496,800	552,000
Indicated Enterprise Value	**$ 504,100**	**$ 575,800**
Less: Pro Forma Interest-Bearing Debt	(293,500)	(293,500)
Add: Pro Forma Cash and Cash Equivalents	10,082	10,082
Total Adjustments to Enterprise Value	**(283,418)**	**(283,418)**

Indicated Value of Equity	**$**	**220,682**	**$**	**292,382**

Total Consideration

Based on the implied equity values of PHC and Acadia resulting from the financial analyses described above, SRR compared the relative pre-merger equity contributions to the combined company of both PHC and Acadia.

Based on the relative implied equity values of PHC and Acadia, the holders of outstanding shares of PHC common stock (in the aggregate) would contribute between 15.1% (based on the ratio of the low-end implied equity

value of PHC to the sum of the low-end implied equity value of PHC plus the high-end implied equity value of Acadia) and 19.5% (based on the ratio of the high-end implied equity value of PHC to the sum of the high-end implied equity value of PHC plus the low-end implied equity value of Acadia) of the total pre-merger combined implied equity value (prior to any distributions to stockholders of PHC or Acadia).

The results of this analysis are reflected in the following chart:

Indicated Allocation of Total Consideration

		Indicated Range of Value as of 5/17/2011 In thousands of U.S. dollars	
Indicated Range of Equity Value	PHC	$ 47,141	$ 54,241
Indicated Range of Equity Value	Acadia	224,228	264,028
Total Combined Equity Value (Pre-Merger)		**$ 271,369**	**$ 318,269**
PHC % of Total Consideration		**15.1%[a]**	**19.5%[b]**

[a] Calculated based on the low-end of the range for PHC and the high-end of the range for Acadia.

[b] Calculated based on the high-end of the range for PHC and the low-end of the range for Acadia.

SRR also analyzed the allocation of the implied equity value of Acadia resulting from the financial analyses described above, based on the allocation of capital of Acadia pursuant to the terms of the merger (22.5% to the holders of PHC Class A Common Stock and Class B Common Stock), together with the cash merger consideration to be paid to holders of PHC s Class B Common Stock. This analysis indicated that the holders of outstanding shares of PHC common stock (in the aggregate) would receive between 17.3% and 18.3% of such total value allocated between PHC and Acadia stockholders in the merger (including the cash merger consideration to be paid to holders of PHC s Class B Common Stock).

The results of this analysis are reflected in the following chart:

Fairness Conclusion Total Consideration

	Indicated Range of Value as of 5/17/2011 In thousands of U.S. dollars	
Indicated Equity Value of Combined Company	$ 220,682	$ 292,382
Add: Cash Payments to PHC/Acadia Shareholders	95,000	95,000

Total Value to PHC/Acadia Stockholders	**$**	**315,682**	**$**	**387,382**
22.5% Equity Interest Received By PHC Stockholders on a Fully-Diluted Basis	$	49,654	$	65,786
Add: Cash Payment to PHC Class B Stockholders		5,000		5,000
Total Consideration to PHC Stockholders	**$**	**54,654**	**$**	**70,786**
% Allocation		**17.3%**		**18.3%**

Class A Consideration

SRR compared the implied value of the consideration to be received by the holders of PHC Class A Common Stock with the implied equity value of PHC Class A Common Stock indicated by the financial analyses with respect to PHC described above SRR noted that the range of implied equity value of a PHC equivalent share of Acadia common stock is $2.50 to $3.31 per share, compared to a stand-alone range of implied equity value of PHC Class A Common Stock of $2.37 to $2.73 per share.

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This comparison is illustrated in the following chart:

Valuation Summary Class A Consideration

	Indicated Range of Value as of 5/17/2011 In thousands of U.S. dollars			
Indicated Equity Value of Combined Company	**$**	**220,682**	**$**	**292,382**
Divided by: Diluted Weighted Average Shares Outstanding[a]		22,080		22,080
Post-Transaction Equity Value Per Share	**$**	**9.99**	**$**	**13.24**
Post-Transaction PHC Share Equivalent[b]	**$**	**2.50**	**$**	**3.31**
Pre-Transaction Equity Value Per Share	**$**	**2.37**	**$**	**2.73**

[a] Based on 19,872,000 pre-merger shares of PHC divided by 22.5% and multiplied by the 1/4 exchange ratio.

[b] Based on an exchange ratio of 1/4 share of the combined company Common Stock for each share of PHC Common Stock.

Accretion/Dilution Analysis

SRR also prepared a pro forma analysis of the potential impact of the merger on the forecasted earnings per share of PHC common stock. Using the combined company financial forecast provided jointly by the managements of PHC and Acadia, SRR calculated the PHC equivalent pro forma earnings per share of the combined company for 2011, 2012 and 2013. SRR compared the resulting earnings per share with the earnings per share of PHC common stock for each of those years as indicated in the financial forecast for PHC prepared by management of PHC. This comparison indicated that on a pro forma basis the merger would result in earnings per PHC equivalent share that would be neutral compared to the forecasted earnings per share of PHC common stock on a stand-alone basis in 2011 and 2012, and accretive compared to the forecasted earnings per share of PHC common stock on a stand-alone basis in 2013.

General

In connection with the review of the proposed merger by the PHC board of directors, SRR performed a variety of financial and comparative analyses for purposes of rendering its opinion. The preparation of a fairness opinion is a complex process and is not necessarily susceptible to partial analysis or summary description. Selecting portions of the analyses or of the summary described above, without considering the analyses as a whole, could create an incomplete view of the processes underlying SRR s opinion. In arriving at its fairness determination, SRR considered the results of all the analyses and did not draw, in isolation, conclusions from or with regard to any one analysis or factor considered by it for purposes of its opinion. SRR made its determination as to fairness on the basis of its experience and professional judgment after considering the results of all the analyses. In addition, SRR may have considered various assumptions more or less probable than other assumptions. As a result, the ranges of valuations

resulting from any particular analysis or combination of analyses described above should not be taken to be the view of SRR with respect to the actual value of PHC, Acadia or to the combined company. In performing its analyses, SRR made numerous assumptions with respect to industry performance, general business, regulatory, economic, market and financial conditions and other matters. Many of these assumptions are beyond the control of PHC and Acadia. Any estimates contained in SRR s analyses are not necessarily indicative of future results or actual values, which may be significantly more or less favorable than those suggested by such estimates.

SRR s opinion was furnished for the use and benefit of the PHC board of directors in connection with its evaluation of the merger.

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SRR s opinion and its presentation to the PHC board of directors was one of many factors taken into consideration by the PHC board of directors in deciding to approve the merger agreement and the related documents and the transactions contemplated thereby. Consequently, the analyses as described above should not be viewed as determinative of the opinion of the PHC board of directors with respect to the terms of the merger or of whether the PHC board of directors would have been willing to agree to different terms.

The issuance of its opinion was approved by a committee of SRR authorized to approve opinions of this nature.

Pursuant to an engagement letter dated April 25, 2011, the PHC board of directors engaged SRR to provide to the PHC board of directors an opinion with respect to the fairness, from a financial point of view, of the merger consideration to be received by holders of the outstanding shares of PHC s Class A Common Stock and Class B Common Stock (in the aggregate) and of the merger consideration to be received by the holders of the outstanding shares of PHC s Class A Common Stock (in the aggregate). Under the terms of its engagement letter, PHC has paid SRR a fee of $225,000 for its services, of which a portion was payable upon signing of the engagement letter and the remainder became payable upon delivery of SRR s opinion. SRR s compensation is neither based upon nor contingent on the results of its engagement or the consummation of the merger. PHC has also agreed to reimburse SRR for expenses reasonably incurred by SRR in performing its services, including fees and expenses of its legal counsel, and to indemnify SRR and related persons against liabilities, including liabilities under the federal securities laws, arising out of its engagement. SRR has not been requested to opine to, and its opinion does not address, the fairness of the amount or nature of the compensation to any of PHC s officers, directors or employees, or class of such persons, relative to the compensation to PHC s public stockholders.

The PHC board of directors selected SRR to provide an opinion to the PHC board in connection with its consideration of the merger because SRR is a financial advisory firm with experience in similar transactions. SRR is regularly engaged in the valuation of businesses and their securities in connection with mergers and acquisitions, leveraged transactions, and private placements. SRR has not previously provided financial advisory services to PHC, Acadia Holdings or Acadia.

Certain Financial Forecasts

PHC does not publicly disclose, as a matter of course, financial forecasts as to future financial performance, earnings or other results. PHC is especially cautious of making financial forecasts for extended periods due to unpredictability of the underlying assumptions and estimates. However, in connection with the evaluation of the merger, PHC prepared and provided to SRR certain non-public internal financial forecasts regarding the projected future operations of PHC and the combined company, in each case for the 2011 through 2015 fiscal years, in connection with SRR s evaluation of the fairness of the merger consideration. As a private company, Acadia does not publicly disclose any financial information. However, it provided to PHC and SRR for purposes of the foregoing financial forecasts for Acadia for such periods.

A summary of these financial forecasts is not being included in this proxy statement/prospectus to influence your decision whether to vote for or against the proposal to approve the merger agreement, but because these financial forecasts were made available to SRR and the PHC board of directors for purposes of evaluating the merger. The inclusion of this information should not be regarded as an indication that Acadia, PHC or any of their respective advisors or any other person considered, or now considers, such financial forecasts to be material or to be a reliable prediction of actual future results. Each management s internal financial forecasts, upon which the financial forecasts were based, are subjective in many respects. There can be no assurance that these financial forecasts will be realized or that actual results will not be significantly higher or lower than forecasted. The financial forecasts cover multiple years and such information by its nature becomes subject to greater uncertainty with each successive year. As a result, the inclusion of the financial forecasts in this proxy statement/prospectus should not be relied on as necessarily

predictive of actual future events.

In addition, the financial forecasts were prepared solely for internal use in evaluating the merger, and not with a view toward public disclosure or toward complying with GAAP, the published guidelines of the SEC regarding projections and the use of non-GAAP measures or the guidelines established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants for preparation and presentation of prospective financial information. The financial forecasts included below were prepared by, and are the responsibility of, Acadia (with respect to the Acadia financial

forecasts) and PHC (with respect to the PHC financial forecasts and those of the combined company). None of Ernst & Young, LLP or BDO USA, LLP or any other independent registered public accounting firms have compiled, examined or performed any procedures with respect to the financial forecasts contained herein or expressed any opinion or any other form of assurance on such information or its achievability. The reports of these independent registered public accounting firms, which are included elsewhere in this proxy statement/prospectus, relate to the historical financial information of Acadia, YFCS, PHC and HHC Delaware, as applicable. They do not extend to the financial forecasts and should not be read to do so.

These financial forecasts were based on numerous variables and assumptions that are inherently uncertain and may be beyond the control of Acadia and PHC. Important factors that may affect actual results and cause these financial forecasts to not be achieved include, but are not limited to, risks and uncertainties relating to the Acadia and PHC businesses and that of the combined company (including their ability to achieve strategic goals, objectives and targets over the applicable periods), industry performance, the regulatory environment, general business and economic conditions and other factors described under Risk Factors beginning on page 18 of this proxy statement/prospectus and Cautionary Statement Concerning Forward-Looking Statements beginning on page 31 of this proxy statement/prospectus. In addition, the forecasts do not reflect revised prospects for the Acadia, PHC or combined company business, changes in general business or economic conditions or any other transaction or event that has occurred or that may occur and that was not anticipated at the time the financial forecasts were prepared. As a result, actual results may differ materially from those contained in these internal financial forecasts. Accordingly, there can be no assurance that these financial forecasts will be realized or that the future financial results of the combined company will not materially vary from these financial forecasts.

The inclusion of a summary of these internal financial forecasts in this proxy statement/prospectus should not be regarded as an indication that any of Acadia, PHC or their respective affiliates, advisors or representatives considered these internal financial forecasts to be predictive of actual future events, and these internal financial forecasts should not be relied upon as such nor should the information contained in these internal financial forecasts be considered appropriate for other purposes. None of Acadia, PHC or their respective affiliates, advisors, officers, directors, managers or representatives can give you any assurance that actual results will not differ materially from these internal financial forecasts, and none of them undertakes any obligation to update or otherwise revise or reconcile these internal financial forecasts to reflect circumstances existing after the date these internal financial forecasts were generated or to reflect the occurrence of future events, even in the event that any or all of the assumptions underlying these forecasts are shown to be in error. Neither PHC nor Acadia intends to make publicly available any update or other revision to these internal financial forecasts, even in the event that any or all of the underlying assumptions are shown to be in error.

None of Acadia, PHC or any of their respective affiliates, advisors, officers, directors, managers or representatives made or makes any representation to any stockholder or anyone else regarding the information included in the financial forecasts set forth below, which are forward-looking statements and speak only as of the date they were prepared. Readers of this proxy statement/prospectus are cautioned not to rely on the forecasted financial information. The below forecasts for Acadia and PHC do not give effect to the merger.

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PHC, Inc. Forecast

	2011E	2012E	2013E	2014E	2015E
Income Statement Data					
Net revenue	$ 79.3	$ 90.0	$ 93.2	$ 96.5	$ 99.8
EBIT(1)	8.0	10.7	11.7	13.4	15.2
Adjusted EBITDA(2)	8.9	13.4	14.9	16.5	18.3
Net Income	3.6	4.2	4.5	5.9	7.1
Balance Sheet Data (as of end of period)					
Cash	$ 1.3	$ 4.5	$ 9.6	$ 15.3	$ 21.9
Accounts receivable, total	10.3	11.0	11.05	11.9	12.3
Other current assets	4.5	4.8	5.1	5.2	5.4
Total current assets	16.1	20.3	26.1	32.4	39.7
Restricted cash					
Property, plant & equipment	11.6	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1
Goodwill	23.9	23.9	23.9	23.9	23.9
Other long term assets	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
Deferred financing fees	1.6	1.4	0.3		
Total assets	$ 57.2	$ 61.7	$ 66.4	$ 72.4	$ 79.7
Accounts payable	$ 1.9	$ 2.0	$ 2.0	$ 2.1	$ 2.1
Accrued liabilities	3.5	3.7	3.8	3.9	3.9
Other current liabilities	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1
Current long term debt					
Total current liabilities	5.4	5.7	5.9	6.0	6.1
Revolving credit facility					
Term loan issued	23.5	23.5	23.5	23.5	23.5
Other	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4	7.4
Total liabilities	$ 36.3	$ 36.6	$ 36.8	$ 37.0	$ 37.0
Total equity	$ 20.9	$ 25.1	$ 29.6	$ 35.6	$ 42.7
Total liabilities and equity	$ 57.2	$ 61.7	$ 66.4	$ 72.4	$ 79.7
Cash Flow Data					
Total cash flow from operations	$ 4.3	$ 7.2	$ 8.2	$ 8.9	$ 9.8
Capital expenditures	(1.3)	(3.2)	(3.2)	(3.1)	(3.1)
Total cash flow from investing	(2.6)	(4.0)	(3.2)	(3.1)	(3.1)
Total cash flow from financing					

(1) Defined as earnings before interest and taxes.

(2)

Defined as earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization, as adjusted for extraordinary or non-recurring items.

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Acadia Healthcare Company, Inc. Forecast

	2011E	2012E	2013E	2014E	2015E
Income Statement Data					
Net Revenue	$ 258.7	$ 275.2	$ 299.4	$ 329.5	$ 347.5
EBIT(1)	35.8	37.3	43.8	54.7	58.8
Adjusted EBITDA(2)	42.6	45.9	49.8	61.0	65.9
Net income	18.3	18.2	22.1	28.6	31.1
Balance Sheet Data (as of end of period)					
Cash	$ 15.7	$ 32.4	$ 52.5	$ 79.1	$ 109.3
Accounts receivable, total	22.7	24.1	27.3	30.1	31.7
Other current assets	7.6	8.1	9.1	10.1	10.6
Total current assets	46.0	64.6	89.0	119.2	151.7
Property, plant & equipment	46.7	47.6	48.0	48.3	48.3
Goodwill	146.0	146.0	146.0	146.0	146.0
Other long term assets	30.2	30.2	30.2	30.2	30.2
Deferred financing fees					
Total assets	$ 268.9	$ 288.4	$ 313.2	$ 343.7	$ 376.1
Accounts payable	$ 4.1	$ 4.4	$ 4.9	$ 5.3	$ 5.5
Accrued liabilities	7.7	8.2	9.2	9.9	10.4
Other current liabilities	9.0	9.6	10.8	11.6	12.2
Current long term debt					
Total current liabilities	20.9	22.2	24.8	26.7	28.1
New revolver	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
Term Loan A	135.0	135.0	135.0	135.0	135.0
Deferred tax					
Other	16.6	16.6	16.6	16.6	16.6
Total liabilities	182.4	183.7	186.4	188.3	189.6
Total equity	86.4	104.7	126.8	155.4	186.5
Total liabilities and equity	$ 268.9	$ 288.4	$ 313.2	$ 343.7	$ 376.1
Cash Flow Data					
Total cash flow from operations	$ 14.5	$ 26.2	$ 26.5	$ 33.2	$ 37.3
Capital expenditures	(9.1)	(9.5)	(6.4)	(6.7)	(7.1)
Total cash flow from investing	(9.1)	(9.5)	(6.4)	(6.7)	(7.1)
Total cash flow from financing					

(1) Defined as earnings before interest and taxes.

(2) Defined as earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization, as adjusted for extraordinary or non-recurring items.

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Combined Company Forecast

	2011E	2012E	2013E	2014E	2015E
Income Statement Data					
Net Revenue	$ 338.0	$ 365.2	$ 392.6	$ 426.0	$ 447.4
EBIT(1)	43.7	48.0	55.5	68.1	74.0
Adjusted EBITDA(2)	55.0	62.6	68.1	81.0	87.6
Net Income	15.8	18.8	23.8	32.1	36.6
Balance Sheet Data (as of end of period)					
Cash	$ 1.0	$ 1.0	$ 1.0	$ 1.0	$ 1.0
Accounts receivable, total	32.7	34.8	38.7	42.0	44.1
Other current assets	11.9	12.7	14.1	15.3	16.1
Total current assets	45.7	48.6	53.9	58.4	61.2
Property, plant & equipment	58.3	59.8	60.1	60.4	60.4
Goodwill	357.3	357.3	357.3	357.3	357.3
Other long term assets	34.2	34.2	34.2	34.2	34.2
Deferred financing fees	7.0	5.8	4.7	3.6	2.5
Total assets	$ 502.4	$ 505.6	$ 510.1	$ 513.9	$ 515.6
Accounts payable	$ 10.5	$ 11.1	$ 12.2	$ 13.0	$ 13.5
Accrued liabilities	11.2	11.8	13.0	13.8	14.4
Other current liabilities	9.4	9.9	10.9	11.5	12.0
Total current liabilities	31.1	32.9	36.1	38.3	39.9
Acadia revolving credit facility					
Acadia term loan	120.7	103.3	80.8	50.2	13.7
High yield bonds issued	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0	150.0
Deferred tax	24.0	24.0	24.0	24.0	24.0
Total liabilities	325.7	310.1	290.8	262.4	227.6
Total equity	176.7	195.5	219.3	251.4	288.0
Total liabilities and equity	$ 502.4	$ 505.6	$ 510.1	$ 513.9	$ 515.6
Cash Flow Data					
Total cash flow from operations	$ 25.2	$ 30.1	$ 32.0	$ 40.4	$ 46.7
Capital expenditures	(10.4)	(12.7)	(9.5)	(9.8)	(10.2)
Total cash flow from investing	(10.4)	(12.7)	(9.5)	(9.8)	(10.2)
Total cash flow from financing	(22.8)	(17.4)	(22.5)	(30.6)	(36.4)

(1) Defined as earnings before interest and taxes.

(2)

Defined as earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization, as adjusted for extraordinary or non-recurring items.

Acadia s Financing for the Merger

On July 12, 2011, Acadia entered into the Second Amendment to the Senior Secured Credit Facility. The Second Amendment will, among other things, permit the merger and other transactions contemplated by the merger agreement. The effectiveness of the Second Amendment is subject to certain closing conditions as described in Acadia Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations Liquidity and Capital Resources Following the Merger Second Amendment to Senior Secured Credit Facility, including consummation of the merger and related transactions on or prior to December 15, 2011.

In connection with the entry into the merger agreement, Acadia received the Debt Commitment Letter from Jefferies Finance to provide the Bridge Facility of up to $150 million in the event that $150 million of Senior Notes are not issued by Acadia to finance the merger. Net proceeds from the issuance of $150 million of Senior Notes, or, if the Senior Notes are not issued, drawings under the $150 million Bridge Facility will be used, in addition to existing cash balances, to pay the $5 million in cash payable to holders of PHC Class B Common Stock in connection with the merger and to refinance certain existing indebtedness of PHC and pay fees and expenses incurred in connection with the merger. A portion of the borrowings will also be used to make a payment to Waud Capital Partners in connection with the termination of the Professional Services Agreement and to pay a dividend to the stockholders of Acadia immediately prior to the merger. The aggregate amount of such payments will be between $80.0 million and $90.0 million depending on the amount of net cash available after repayment of PHC s indebtedness, the Class B merger consideration and fees and expenses related to the merger. We refer to such amount as the net proceeds . To the extent the amount available for such payments is less than $90 million, up to $10 million may be paid to Acadia s stockholders in the form of Deficit Notes issued by Acadia. Pursuant to the terms of the merger agreement, it is a condition to the obligation of both PHC and Acadia to complete the merger that the net proceeds not be less than $80 million. The first $15.6 million of the net proceeds will be used to make a payment to Waud Capital in connection with the termination of the Professional Services Agreement, with the remainder (including any Deficit Notes) issued to Acadia stockholders immediately prior to the merger as a dividend.

The Bridge Facility is subject to certain closing conditions described under Acadia Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations Liquidity and Capital Resources Debt Commitment Letter. The Bridge Facility commitment will terminate on December 15, 2011, if the closing of the Bridge Facility has not been consummated on or before such date or if the merger agreement has been terminated or if the merger has been abandoned. In addition, the commitments to provide and arrange unsecured bridge loans will terminate upon the issuance of the Senior Notes. Each of Acadia and PHC is obligated under the merger agreement to use its reasonable best efforts to arrange the debt financing on the terms contemplated. The receipt of the debt financing on the terms and conditions set forth in the Debt Commitment Letter are condition to the obligation of both Acadia and PHC to consummate the merger.

Accounting Treatment

Existing GAAP requires the use of the acquisition method of accounting for business combinations. In applying the acquisition method, it is necessary to identify the acquirer and the acquiree for accounting purposes. In a business combination effected through an exchange of equity interests, the entity that issues the equity interests is generally considered the acquirer, but there are other factors that must also be considered. Acadia management considered these other factors and determined that Acadia will be considered the acquirer of PHC for accounting purposes. The assets acquired and liabilities assumed from PHC will be recorded at their fair values as of the date of the completion of the transaction, with any excess recorded to goodwill. Reports of financial condition and results of operations of Acadia issued after completion of the merger will reflect Acadia s balances and results after completion of the merger but will

not be restated retroactively to reflect the historical financial position or results of operations of PHC. Following the completion of the merger, the earnings of the combined company will reflect acquisition accounting adjustments; for example, additional depreciation of property, plant and equipment, amortization of identified intangible assets or other impacts from the adjustment of assets acquired and liabilities assumed to their fair values as of the acquisition date.

In accordance with existing GAAP, goodwill and indefinite-lived intangible assets resulting from the purchase business combination will not be amortized but instead will be tested for impairment at least annually (more

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frequently if certain indicators are present). If Acadia management determines that the value of goodwill and indefinite-lived intangible assets have become impaired, the combined company will incur an impairment loss during the fiscal quarter in which the determination is made.

Material United States Federal Income Tax Consequences of the Merger

The following discussion is a summary of certain material U.S. federal income tax consequences of the merger to holders of PHC common stock and represents the opinion of Arent Fox LLP, counsel to PHC, and Kirkland & Ellis LLP, counsel to Acadia. This discussion is based on the Code, applicable Treasury regulations promulgated thereunder, administrative rulings and judicial authorities, each as in effect as of the date of this document and all of which are subject to change at any time, possibly with retroactive effect. In addition, this discussion does not address any state, local or foreign tax consequences of the merger.

This discussion addresses only PHC stockholders who hold PHC common stock as a capital asset within the meaning of Section 1221 of the Code (generally, property held for investment). It does not address all aspects of U.S. federal income taxation that might be relevant to a particular PHC stockholder in light of that stockholder s individual circumstances or to a PHC stockholder that is subject to special treatment under U.S. federal income tax law, including, without limitation, a stockholder that is:

- a bank, insurance company or other financial institution;
- a tax-exempt organization;
- a mutual fund;
- a holder that, for U.S. federal income tax purposes, is not a United States person within the meaning of Section 7701(a)(30) of the Code;
- a holder who acquired its PHC common stock pursuant to the exercise of an employee stock option or right or otherwise as compensation;
- a U.S. expatriate;
- an entity or arrangement treated as a partnership for U.S. federal income tax purposes or an investor in such partnership;
- a dealer in securities;
- a holder who has a functional currency other than the United States dollar;
- a holder who holds PHC common stock as part of a hedge, straddle or conversion transaction;
- a holder liable for the alternative minimum tax; or
- a trader in securities who elects to apply a mark-to-market method of accounting.

This discussion does not address other U.S. federal tax consequences (such as gift or estate taxes or alternative minimum taxes), or consequences under state, local or foreign tax laws, nor does it address certain tax reporting requirements that may be applicable with respect to the transaction. Also, this discussion does not address U.S. federal

income tax considerations applicable to holders of options or warrants to purchase PHC common stock.

If a partnership (or any other entity treated as a partnership for U.S. federal income tax purposes) holds PHC common stock, the tax treatment of a partner in the partnership will generally depend upon the status of the partner and the activities of the partnership. A partner in a partnership holding PHC common stock should consult its own tax advisors with respect to the consequences of the merger.

Holders should consult their tax advisors as to the specific tax consequences to them of the merger in light of their particular circumstances, including the applicability and effect of U.S. federal, state, local and foreign income and other tax laws.

In the opinion of Arent Fox LLP, counsel to PHC, and Kirkland & Ellis LLP, counsel to Acadia, (i) the merger will qualify as a reorganization within the meaning of Section 368(a) of the Code, and (ii) PHC and Acadia will each

be a party to the reorganization within the meaning of Section 368(b) of the Code. It is a condition to the completion of the merger that Acadia and PHC each receives an additional written opinion from its counsel, dated the effective time, substantially to the same effect.

The opinions described above have been (or will be) based, in part, on the accuracy of certain assumptions and representations as to factual matters and covenants and undertakings. If any such assumptions, representations, covenants or undertakings are inaccurate as of the effective time of the merger, or are violated in any material respect, the tax consequences to holders of PHC common stock of the merger could differ materially from those described below. No ruling has been or will be sought from the Internal Revenue Service as to the U.S. federal income tax consequences of the merger. An opinion of counsel represents counsel s best legal judgment but is not binding on the Internal Revenue Service or any court. Accordingly, there can be no assurances that the Internal Revenue Service or a court would not disagree with or challenge any of the conclusions described herein.

Assuming treatment of the merger as a reorganization within the meaning of Section 368(a) of the Code, and of each of PHC and Acadia as a party to the reorganization within the meaning of Section 368(b) of the Code, is proper, the material U.S. federal income tax consequences to a holder of PHC common stock will differ depending on whether (i) the holder s shares are exchanged in the merger solely for shares of Acadia common stock (except for cash received in lieu of a fractional share of Acadia common stock) or (ii) the holder s shares are exchanged in the merger for shares of Acadia common stock and cash.

The material U.S. federal income tax consequences to a holder of PHC common stock whose shares are exchanged in the merger solely for shares of Acadia common stock will be as follows:

- a holder will not recognize capital gain or loss on the exchange (except as described below in connection with receipt of cash in lieu of a fractional share);

- a holder will have an aggregate tax basis in the shares of Acadia common stock received in the exchange (including a fractional share of Acadia common stock for which cash is received) equal to the stockholder s aggregate tax basis in its shares of PHC common stock surrendered;

- the holding period of the shares of Acadia common stock received in the exchange will include the holding period of the shares of PHC common stock surrendered in exchange therefor;

- a holder receiving cash in lieu of a fractional share of Acadia common stock will generally be treated as if it received the fractional share in the merger and then received cash in redemption thereof. It should generally recognize capital gain or loss equal to the difference, if any, between the amount of cash received and the tax basis in the fractional share (determined as described above). Any gain or loss recognized will be long-term capital gain or loss if, as of the effective time, the shares of PHC common stock exchanged were held for more than one year.

The material U.S. federal income tax consequences to a holder of PHC common stock whose shares are exchanged in the merger for shares of Acadia common stock and cash will be as follows:

- a holder will recognize capital gain (but not loss) realized on the exchange in an amount not exceeding the amount of cash received (excluding cash received in lieu of a fractional share of Acadia common stock). Any gain recognized will be long-term capital gain if, as of the effective time, the shares of PHC common stock exchanged were held for more than one year unless the holder s receipt of cash has the effect of a dividend distribution, as described below;

a holder will have an aggregate tax basis in the shares of Acadia common stock received in the exchange (including a fractional share of Acadia common stock for which cash is received) equal to the stockholder s aggregate tax basis in its shares of PHC common stock surrendered, reduced by the amount of cash received (excluding cash received in lieu of a fractional share of Acadia common stock) and increased by the amount of any gain recognized by the holder in the exchange (but excluding any gain or loss from the deemed receipt and redemption of any fractional share);

the holding period of the shares of Acadia common stock received in the exchange will include the holding period of the shares of PHC common stock surrendered in exchange therefor; and

a holder will recognize capital gain or loss with respect to cash received in lieu of a fractional share of Acadia common stock equal to the difference, if any, between the amount of cash received and the tax basis in the fractional share (determined as described above). Any gain or loss recognized will be long-term capital gain or loss if, as of the effective time, the shares of PHC common stock exchanged were held for more than one year.

If a holder acquired different blocks of PHC common stock at different times or different prices, the foregoing rules generally will be applied separately with reference to each block of PHC common stock. In particular, in computing the amount of gain recognized, if any, a holder of PHC common stock may not offset a loss realized on one block of shares against the gain realized on another block of shares.

If the receipt of cash has the effect of a distribution of a dividend under the provisions of the Code, then, notwithstanding the foregoing, any gain recognized will be treated as a dividend to the extent of such stockholder s ratable share of the undistributed earnings and profits of PHC. Holders should consult their tax advisors as to the possibility that all or a portion of any cash received in exchange for their shares of PHC common stock will be treated as a dividend.

Reporting Requirements of Holders. Holders of PHC common stock receiving Acadia common stock in the merger will be required to maintain records pertaining to the merger. Holders (i) whose tax basis in the PHC common stock surrendered in the merger equals or exceeds $1,000,000, or (ii) who (a) with respect to those PHC stockholders owning only shares of PHC Class A Common Stock, own immediately before the merger at least 5% (by vote or value) of the total outstanding stock of PHC, or (b) with respect to all other PHC stockholders, own at least 1% (by vote or value) of the total outstanding stock of PHC, are subject to certain requirements with respect to the merger and should consult their tax advisers with respect to these and other reporting requirements.

Information Reporting and Backup Withholding. A holder may be subject to information reporting and backup withholding at a rate of 28% on any cash payment received (including any cash received in lieu of a fractional share of Acadia common stock), unless such stockholder properly establishes an exemption or provides a correct taxpayer identification number, and otherwise complies with backup withholding rules. Any amounts withheld under the backup withholding rules are not an additional tax and may be allowed as a refund or credit against such holder s United States federal income tax liability, provided the required information is timely furnished to the Internal Revenue Service.

Appraisal Rights

General. Section 13.02(a) of the MBCA provides generally that stockholders of Massachusetts corporations are entitled to appraisal rights in the event of a merger.

Any stockholder who wishes to exercise appraisal rights or who wishes to preserve that right should review carefully the following discussion and Sections 13.01 through 13.31 of Part 13 of the MBCA, attached as Annex D to this proxy statement/prospectus. **Failure to strictly comply with the procedures specified in Part 13 of the MBCA will result in the loss of appraisal rights.**

Notice of Intent and Demand for Payment. Any holder of PHC common stock wishing to exercise the right to demand appraisal under Part 13 of the MBCA must satisfy each of the following conditions:

before the vote to approve the merger agreement is taken, a PHC stockholder electing to exercise his or her appraisal rights must deliver to PHC written notice of such stockholder s intent to demand payment for his or her shares if the merger is completed. The written notice should be delivered to Paula C. Wurts, Clerk, PHC, Inc., 200 Lake Street, Suite 102, Peabody, MA 01960. PHC recommends you send your notice by registered or certified mail, return receipt requested; and

a PHC stockholder electing to exercise his or her appraisal rights must **NOT** vote in favor of the proposal to approve the merger agreement. If a stockholder returns a signed proxy but does not specify a vote against the

proposal to approve the merger agreement or a direction to abstain, the proxy will be voted **FOR** the merger agreement, which will have the effect of waiving that stockholder s appraisal rights.

Generally, a stockholder may assert appraisal rights only if the stockholder seeks them with respect to all of the holder s shares of common stock. Stockholders of record for more than one beneficial stockholder may assert appraisal rights with respect to fewer than all the shares registered in such stockholder s name as holder of record, provided that such stockholder notifies PHC in writing of the name and address of each beneficial stockholder on whose behalf such stockholder is asserting appraisal rights. For a beneficial stockholder to assert appraisal rights, such beneficial stockholder must submit to PHC such record stockholder s written consent to the assertion of such rights not fewer than 40 nor more than 60 days after PHC sends out written notice to the stockholder of appraisal rights, as described below. **Stockholders who hold their shares in brokerage accounts or other nominee forms and who wish to exercise appraisal rights are urged to consult with their brokers to determine the appropriate procedures for the making of a demand for appraisal by the nominee.**

Appraisal Notice and Form. If the merger agreement is approved, within 10 days after the effective date of the merger, PHC will deliver a written appraisal notice and a form containing certain information to all stockholders who have properly demanded appraisal rights. The appraisal notice will include a copy of Part 13 of the MBCA and a form that specifies the date of the first announcement to stockholders of the principal terms of the merger. The form will require the stockholder asserting appraisal rights to certify (i) whether or not beneficial ownership of the shares for which appraisal rights are asserted were acquired before the date of the first announcement of the proposed merger and (ii) that the stockholder did not vote for the proposal to approve the merger agreement. The form provided with the appraisal notice will state:

where the form must be returned, where certificates for shares must be deposited and the date by which such certificates must be deposited;

the date on which the form is due, which will not be fewer than 40 nor more than 60 days after the date the appraisal notice and form are sent, and notice that the stockholder shall have waived the right to demand appraisal with respect to such shares unless the form is received by the specified date;

PHC s estimate of the fair value of the shares;

that, if requested in writing, PHC will provide within 10 days after the date on which all forms are due, the number of stockholders who have returned the forms and the total number of shares owned by such stockholders; and

the date by which the stockholder may withdraw his or her notice of intent to demand appraisal rights, which date will be within 20 days after the date on which all forms are due.

Perfection of Rights. A stockholder who wishes to exercise appraisal rights shall execute and return the form provided, with all certifications completed, and deposit such stockholder s share certificates in accordance with the terms of the notice. Once a stockholder deposits his or her share certificates, such stockholder loses all rights as a stockholder unless the stockholder withdraws his or her election in accordance with the withdrawal procedures, which are summarized below. If a stockholder fails to make the certification on the form that such stockholder acquired the shares before the date of the first announcement of the proposed merger, PHC may elect to treat those shares as after-acquired shares, as described below.

Withdrawal of Appraisal Rights. A stockholder who has otherwise properly perfected his or her appraisal rights may decline to exercise his or her appraisal rights and withdraw from the appraisal process by notifying PHC in writing

within 20 days after the date on which all forms were due. If the stockholder fails to withdraw from the appraisal process before the expiration of the withdrawal period, such stockholder may not thereafter withdraw without PHC s written consent.

Payment. Within 30 days after the date on which the form described above is due, PHC will pay in cash to each stockholder who has properly perfected his or her appraisal rights the amount it estimates to be the fair value of

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their shares, plus interest but subject to any applicable withholding taxes. The payment to each stockholder will be accompanied by:

PHC s financial statements;

a statement of PHC s estimate of the fair value of the shares, which estimate will equal or exceed the estimate given with the appraisal notice; and

a statement that stockholders may demand further payment if the stockholder is dissatisfied with the payment or offer in accordance with the procedures set forth in Section 13.26 of the MBCA (as described below).

Notwithstanding the foregoing, in the event that the stockholder is demanding payment for after-acquired shares, PHC may elect to withhold payment from such stockholder. If PHC elects to withhold payment, it must, within 30 days after the date on which the form described above is due, notify all stockholder who have after-acquired shares :

of the information in PHC s financial statements;

of PHC s estimate of the fair value of the shares, which estimate will equal or exceed the estimate given with the appraisal notice;

that the stockholders may accept the estimate of fair value, plus interest, in full satisfaction of their demands or demand appraisal under Section 13.26 of the MBCA (as described below);

that those stockholders who wish to accept PHC s offer shall notify PHC of their acceptance within 30 days after receiving such offer; and

that those stockholders who do not satisfy the requirements for demanding appraisal under Section 13.26 of the MBCA shall be deemed to have accepted PHC s offer.

Within 10 days after receiving the stockholder s acceptance of the offer, PHC will pay in cash the amount offered to each stockholder who agreed to accept PHC s offer for his or her after-acquired shares. Within 40 days after sending the notice to holders of after-acquired shares , PHC must pay in cash the amount offered to each stockholder who does not satisfy the requirements for demanding appraisal under Section 13.26 of the MBCA.

Procedure if Stockholder is Dissatisfied with Payment or Offer. Pursuant to Section 13.26 of the MBCA, within 30 days after receipt of payment for a stockholder s shares, a stockholder who is dissatisfied with the amount of the payment to be received shall notify PHC in writing of that stockholder s estimate of the fair value of the shares and demand payment of that estimate plus interest, less any payment previously paid. In addition, within 30 days after receiving PHC s offer to pay for a stockholder s after-acquired shares , a stockholder holding after-acquired shares who was offered payment (as described above) and who is dissatisfied with that offer shall reject the offer and demand payment of the stockholder s stated estimate of the fair value of the shares plus interest. A stockholder s failure to notify PHC within such 30 day period waives the right to demand payment and shall be entitled only to the payment made or offered as described above.

Court Proceedings. If a stockholder makes a proper and timely demand for payment that remains unsettled, PHC will commence an equitable proceeding within 60 days after receiving the payment demand and petition the court to determine the fair value of the shares and accrued interest. If PHC does not commence the proceeding within the 60-day period, it will pay in cash to each stockholder the amount the stockholder demanded, plus interest.

Any stockholder wishing to exercise appraisal rights is urged to consult legal counsel before attempting to exercise appraisal rights. Failure to strictly comply with all of the procedures set forth in Part 13 of the MBCA may result in the loss of a stockholder s statutory appraisal rights.

Federal Securities Laws Consequences

All shares of Acadia common stock to be issued to PHC stockholders in connection with the merger will be freely transferable under the Securities Act of 1933 (as amended, the Securities Act) and the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (as amended, the Exchange Act), except for shares issued to any stockholder who may be deemed to

be an affiliate of Acadia for purposes of Rule 144 under the Securities Act. Affiliates include individuals or entities that control, are controlled by, or under the common control with Acadia. Acadia believes that its executive officers (including Messrs. Turner, Carter, Polson, Fincher and Howard), directors (including Messrs. Jacobs and Shear) and Waud Capital Partners are affiliates for purposes of Rule 144 under the Securities Act. This proxy statement/prospectus does not cover resales of Acadia common stock received by any person upon the completion of the merger, and no person is authorized to make any use of this proxy statement/prospectus in connection with any resale.

Interests of PHC s Directors and Executive Officers

PHC s directors and executive officers have interests in the merger as individuals in addition to, and that may be different from, the interests of PHC s stockholders. The PHC board of directors was aware of these interests and considered them, among other matters, in its decision to approve the merger agreement.

Pursuant to the merger agreement, upon completion of the merger, holders of PHC s Class B Common Stock will collectively receive cash consideration of $5,000,000. Mr. Shear beneficially owns approximately 93.2% of PHC s Class B Common Stock and will be entitled to receive cash merger consideration of approximately $4.7 million.

PHC s executive officers, Messrs. Shear and Boswell and Ms. Paula C. Wurts, hold stock options to purchase shares of PHC Class A Common Stock, subject to various vesting provisions. Pursuant to the merger agreement and except as discussed below, upon completion of the merger, Acadia will assume these options in accordance with their existing terms, with the number of shares and the exercise prices adjusted in accordance with the merger exchange rate. With respect to assumed options granted to current PHC directors (i) all such assumed options (other than those held by Mr. Shear) will be fully vested at closing and (ii) such assumed options will not be terminate as a result of such holder ceasing or failing to be a director or employee and will be fully exercisable at any time prior to the expiration of the option term. Mr. Shear currently holds 170,000 options exercisable at prices ranging from $1.08 per share to $2.95 per share, Mr. Boswell currently holds 85,000 options exercisable at prices ranging from $1.08 per share to $2.95 per share and Ms. Wurts currently holds 85,000 options exercisable at prices ranging from $1.08 per share to $2.95 per share.

In addition to the options held by Mr. Shear, PHC s other directors, Messrs. David E. Dangerfield, William F. Grieco, Howard W. Phillips, Donald E. Robar and Douglas J. Smith, hold stock options to purchase shares of PHC Class A Common Stock. Pursuant to the merger agreement, upon completion of the merger, Acadia will issue substitute options for these options with terms substantially the same as their existing terms, with the number of shares and the exercise prices adjusted in accordance with the merger exchange rate. Mr. Dangerfield currently holds 147,500 options exercisable at prices ranging from $1.08 per share to $3.18 per share, Mr. Grieco currently holds 195,000 options exercisable at prices ranging from $0.22 per share to $3.18 per share, Mr. Phillips currently holds 127,500 options exercisable at prices ranging from $1.08 per share to $3.18 per share, Mr. Robar currently holds 157,500 options exercisable at prices ranging from $0.35 per share to $3.18 per share and Mr. Smith currently holds 20,000 options exercisable at $1.65 per share.

Mr. Shear, Mr. Boswell and Ms. Wurts are participants in the PHC change-in-control supplemental benefit plan. Pursuant to the plan, upon the closing of the merger, Messrs. Shear and Boswell and Ms. Wurts are entitled to receive change in control payments of approximately $1,530,000, $465,000 and $408,000, respectively, payable as soon as practicable, but in no event later than 30 days, following the date of the closing of the merger.

After the closing of the merger, Messrs. Shear and Boswell are expected to be employed by the combined company. See Acadia Management After the Merger Acadia Employment Agreements for a description of Mr. Shear s employment agreement.

The term of Mr. Boswell s employment agreement will commence immediately following the closing of the merger. It has a two year term subject to automatic one year extensions unless earlier terminated. Mr. Boswell s annual base salary is $226,000. He is also eligible to receive an annual bonus up to 60% of his base salary, based upon the satisfaction of performance criteria established by Acadia s board of directors or compensation committee, as applicable.

In addition to base salary, Mr. Boswell is entitled to participate in his sole discretion in all of Acadia s employee benefit programs for which senior executive officers are generally eligible, on terms at least as favorable as those received by such executives from PHC immediately prior to the closing of the merger. Furthermore, during the term of his employment agreement, Acadia shall pay 100% of the monthly premiums or other costs associated with Mr. Boswell s participation in such employee benefit programs and benefits.

Upon the closing of the merger, Messrs. Shear and Grieco will join the Acadia board of directors. Mr. Shear will not receive any additional compensation for serving as a director. The amount of compensation to be paid to Mr. Grieco for serving as a director has yet to be determined. In addition, upon the closing of the merger, Mr. Shear will become Acadia s Executive Vice Chairman. After the closing of the merger, Messrs. Shear and Grieco may receive stock options to purchase shares of Acadia common stock.

Acadia will maintain all rights to indemnification existing in favor of the PHC directors and officers for their acts and omissions occurring prior to the completion of the merger and will maintain PHC s directors and officers liability insurance to cover any such liabilities for six years following the completion of the merger.

As a result of the foregoing, the directors and executive officers of PHC may be more likely to vote to approve the merger than PHC stockholders generally.

Regulatory Approvals

Under the terms of the merger agreement, the merger cannot be completed until (i) any waiting period (and any extension thereof) applicable to the consummation of the merger under the HSR Act and any other antitrust, competition, or trade regulation law, as applicable, shall have expired or been terminated and (ii) Acadia and PHC and their respective subsidiaries shall have timely obtained from each governmental authority all approvals, waivers and consents, if any, necessary for the consummation of or in connection with the transactions contemplated by the merger agreement, free of any condition that reasonably would be expected to have a Pioneer Material Adverse Effect or an Acadia Material Adverse Effect or a material adverse effect on the parties ability to consummate such transactions. As defined in the merger agreement and as used in this proxy statement/prospectus, each of Pioneer Material Adverse Effect and Acadia Material Adverse Effect includes any event, change, condition or effect that, individually or in the aggregate, is, or is reasonably likely to be, materially adverse to the financial or other condition, properties, assets, liabilities, business, value, operations or results of operations of PHC or Acadia, as applicable, and its subsidiaries, in each case, taken as a whole, other than event, change, condition or effect relating to any of the following: (i) the merger or related transactions or the announcement thereof; (ii) compliance with the terms of the merger agreement or the taking of any action consented to or requested by PHC (with respect to a Pioneer Material Adverse Effect) or Acadia or Merger Sub (with respect to an Acadian Material Adverse Effect); (iii) any change in accounting requirements or principles required by GAAP, or any interpretations thereof; (iv) the United States economy in general; or (v) the behavioral healthcare industry in general. Notwithstanding the foregoing, these definitions include any change in or effect on the business of PHC or Acadia, as applicable, and its subsidiaries that, individually or in the aggregate is, or is reasonably likely to be, materially adverse to the financial or other condition, properties, assets, liabilities, business, operations or results of operations of PHC or Acadia, as applicable, and its subsidiaries, in each case, taken as a whole, if such change or effect is significantly more adverse to PHC or Acadia, as applicable, and its subsidiaries, in each case, taken as a whole, than to the behavioral healthcare industry in general.

We do not believe that notification will be required under the HSR Act and the rules promulgated thereunder. However, given uncertainties regarding the future market price of the publicly traded stock of PHC and the uncertain closing date, we cannot currently predict with certainty whether notification will be required under the HSR Act. If such notification is required, the merger cannot be completed until each of Acadia and PHC files a notification and report form with the FTC and the Antitrust Division of the Department of Justice under the HSR Act and the

applicable waiting period has expired or been terminated.

Acadia and/or PHC currently intend to obtain approvals from, file new license and/or permit applications with, and provide notice to applicable governmental authorities in connection with the merger. Such government authorities include but are not limited to the Michigan Department of Community Health, the Michigan Department of Human Services, the Virginia Department of Mental Health, the Nevada Department of Health and Human

Services, the Utah Department of Health, and the Delaware Department of Health and Social Services, state boards of pharmacy, state Medicaid programs, The Joint Commission and other accrediting agencies, the U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration, and the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services.

Litigation Relating to the Merger

On June 2, 2011, a putative stockholder class action lawsuit was filed in Massachusetts state court, *MAZ Partners LP v. Bruce A. Shear, et al.,* C.A. No. 11-1041, against PHC, the members of the PHC board of directors, and Acadia and Merger Sub. The *MAZ Partners* complaint asserts that the members of the PHC board of directors breached their fiduciary duties by causing PHC to enter into the merger agreement and further asserts that Acadia and Merger Sub aided and abetted those alleged breaches of fiduciary duty. Specifically, the *MAZ Partners* complaint alleged that the process by which the merger agreement was entered into was unfair and that the agreement itself is unfair in that, according to the plaintiff, the compensation to be paid to PHC Class A shareholders is inadequate, particularly in light of the proposed cash payment to be paid to Class B shareholders and the anticipated pre-closing payment of a dividend to Acadia shareholders, and the anticipated level of debt to be held by the merged entity. The complaint sought, among other relief, an order enjoining the consummation of the merger and rescinding the merger agreement.

On June 13, 2011, a second lawsuit was filed in federal district court in Massachusetts, *Blakeslee v. PHC, Inc., et al.,* No. 11-cv-11049, making essentially the same allegations against the same defendants. On June 21, 2011, PHC removed the *MAZ Partners* case to federal court (11-cv-11099). On July 7, 2011, the parties to the *MAZ Partners* case moved to consolidate that action with the *Blakeslee* case and asked the court to approve a schedule for discovery and a potential hearing on plaintiff s motion for a preliminary injunction.

On August 11, 2011, the plaintiffs in the *MAZ Partners* case filed an amended class action complaint. Like the original complaint, the amended complaint asserts claims of breach of fiduciary duty against PHC, members of the board of directors of PHC, and claims of aiding and abetting those alleged breaches of fiduciary duty against Acadia and Merger Sub. The amended complaint alleges that both the merger process and the provisions of the merger are unfair, that the directors and executive officers of PHC have conflicts of interests with regard to the merger, that the dividend to be paid to Acadia shareholders is inappropriate, that a special committee or independent director should have been appointed to represent the interest of the Class A shareholders, that the merger consideration is grossly inadequate and the exchange ratio is unfair, and that the preliminary proxy filed by PHC contains material misstatements and omissions. The amended complaint also seeks, among other things, an order enjoining the consummation of the merger and rescinding the merger agreement.

PHC, Acadia, and Merger Sub believe that these lawsuits are without merit and intend to defend against them vigorously. On August 15, 2011 and August 19, 2011, PHC and Acadia, respectively, filed motions to dismiss both the *MAZ Partners* and *Blakeslee* cases. Regardless of the disposition of the motions to dismiss, PHC and Acadia do not anticipate the outcome to have a material impact on the progress of the merger.

THE MERGER AGREEMENT

The following summary describes certain material provisions of the merger agreement. The full text of the merger agreement is attached as Annex A to this proxy statement/prospectus and is incorporated herein by reference. This summary may not contain all of the information that is important to you, and you are encouraged to read carefully the entire merger agreement. The following description is subject to, and is qualified in its entirety by reference to, the merger agreement.

The merger agreement has been included to provide you with information regarding its terms. It is not intended to provide any other factual information about Acadia or PHC. Such information can be found elsewhere in this

document and in the other public filings PHC makes with the SEC, which are available without charge at www.sec.gov.

The representations and warranties described below and included in the merger agreement were made by each of Acadia and PHC to the other. These representations and warranties were made as of specific dates and may be subject to important qualifications, limitations and supplemental information agreed to by Acadia and PHC in

connection with negotiating the terms of the merger agreement. In addition, the representations and warranties may have been included in the merger agreement for the purpose of allocating risk between Acadia and PHC rather than to establish matters as facts. The merger agreement is described in, and included as Annex A hereto, only to provide you with information regarding its terms and conditions, and not to provide any other factual information regarding PHC, Acadia or their respective businesses. Accordingly, the representations and warranties and other provisions of the merger agreement should not be read alone, and you should read the information provided elsewhere in this document for information regarding Acadia and PHC and their respective businesses.

Structure of the Merger

At the effective time of the merger, PHC will merge with and into Acadia s wholly-owned subsidiary, Merger Sub. Upon completion of the merger, Merger Sub will be the surviving company and a wholly-owned subsidiary of Acadia.

Effective Time of the Merger

The closing of the transactions contemplated by the merger agreement will occur no later than the second business day after the last of the conditions to the transaction have been satisfied or waived, or at another time as Acadia and PHC may agree. Acadia and PHC expect to close the merger in the fourth quarter of 2011. Contemporaneously with the closing, Acadia and PHC will file a Certificate of Merger with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware and the Secretary of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. The transaction will become effective upon the filing of this certificate or at another time as Acadia and PHC agree in writing and specify in the certificate of merger.

Managers and Officers

At the effective time, the managers and officers of Merger Sub will be the managers and officers of the surviving company, subject to change thereafter.

Conversion of PHC Shares

Each share of PHC Class A Common Stock issued and outstanding immediately prior to the effective time will be automatically converted into and become exchangeable for a number of shares of common stock of Acadia equal to the Class A merger consideration. Each share of PHC Class B Common Stock issued and outstanding immediately prior to the effective time will be automatically converted into and become exchangeable for a number of shares of common stock of Acadia and portion of cash equal to the Class B merger consideration.

The Class A merger consideration is one-quarter of one fully paid and nonassessable share of common stock, par value $0.01 per share, of Acadia. The Class B merger consideration is one-quarter of one fully paid and nonassessable share of common stock, par value $0.01 per share, of Acadia and an amount of cash equal to $5,000,000 *divided by* the aggregate number of issued and outstanding shares of PHC Class B Common Stock immediately prior to the effective time of the merger (other than (i) any shares of PHC Class B Common Stock to be cancelled pursuant to the merger agreement and (ii) any share of PHC Class B Common Stock owned by a subsidiary of PHC). Based on shares of PHC Class B Common Stock outstanding as of May 24, 2011, this calculation would have resulted in a cash payment of $6.46 per share of PHC Class B Common Stock.

Assumption of Stock Options

When the merger becomes effective, each outstanding PHC option granted under the PHC stock option plans will be assumed by Acadia. Except with respect to stock options previously granted to PHC directors (other than Mr. Shear), each PHC option so assumed by Acadia will continue to have the same terms and conditions set forth in the applicable

PHC stock option plan immediately prior to the effective time, except that (i) each PHC option will be exercisable for one-quarter of one share of Acadia common stock for each share of PHC common stock subject to such PHC stock option and (ii) the per share exercise price for the shares of Acadia common stock issuable upon exercise of such assumed PHC option will be equal to four *multiplied by* the exercise price per share of PHC common stock at which such PHC option was exercisable immediately prior to the effective time, rounded up to the

nearest whole cent. All of the assumed stock options issued to Messrs. Howard Phillips, William Grieco, David Dangerfield, Donald Robar and Doug Smith will be 100% vested at the time of issuance by Acadia. All such options (along with assumed stock options issued to Mr. Shear) will not terminate as a result of the holder ceasing to be an employee or director and will be fully exercisable at any time prior to the end of the option term.

Assumption of Warrants

At the completion of the merger, each outstanding PHC warrant will be assumed by Acadia. Each PHC warrant so assumed by Acadia will continue to have, and be subject to, the same terms and conditions set forth in the applicable PHC warrant, except that (i) each PHC warrant will be exercisable for one-quarter of one share of Acadia common stock for each share of PHC common stock that was issuable upon exercise of such PHC warrant immediately prior to the effective time and (ii) the per share exercise price for the shares of Acadia common stock issuable upon exercise of such assumed PHC warrant will be equal to four *multiplied by* the exercise price per share of PHC common stock at which such PHC warrant was exercisable immediately prior to the effective time, rounded up to the nearest whole cent.

Acadia Common Stock Split

Prior to the effective time of the merger, Acadia will consummate a stock split, reverse stock split or issuance of Acadia common stock such that the shares of Acadia common stock issued and outstanding immediately prior to the effective time will, immediately following the effective time, equal 77.5% of the fully diluted shares of Acadia (as calculated in accordance with the merger agreement).

Acadia Dividend

Immediately prior to the effective time of the merger, Acadia will have the right to declare and, if so declared, at the effective time Acadia will pay a cash dividend to the holders of shares Acadia common stock issued and outstanding immediately prior to the effective time of the merger. The aggregate amount of such dividend will be between $90 million and $80 million, less the amount of the payment to be made to Waud Capital Partners in connection with the termination of the Professional Services Agreement. The aggregate amount of the dividend will depend on the amount of net cash available after repayment of PHC s indebtedness, the Class B merger consideration and fees and expenses related to the merger. We refer to such amount as the net proceeds . To the extent the amount available for such payments is less than $90 million, up to $10 million may be paid to Acadia s stockholders in the form of Deficit Notes issued by Acadia. The first $15.6 million of the net proceeds will be used to make a payment to Waud Capital in connection with the termination of the Professional Services Agreement, with the remainder (including any Deficit Notes) issued to Acadia stockholders immediately prior to the merger as a dividend. Net proceeds as defined in the merger agreement and used in this Merger Agreement section means the lesser of (i) $90,000,000 and (ii) the sum of (A) the gross cash proceeds received by Acadia and its subsidiaries (including PHC and its subsidiaries) from any and all debt financing incurred in connection with the merger and the other transactions contemplated under the merger agreement plus (B) the unrestricted cash, marketable securities and short term investments of Acadia and PHC (as recorded on the books and records of Acadia or PHC, as applicable, and in accordance with GAAP) as of the effective time of the merger minus (C) $5,000,000 minus (D) the aggregate amount of indebtedness of Acadia and PHC actually repaid or payable in connection with the merger and other transactions contemplated under the merger agreement minus (E) all of the reasonably documented out-of-pocket fees and expenses incurred by PHC and Acadia and their respective affiliates in connection with the merger and the other transactions contemplated under the merger agreement, including fees relating to the filing, printing and mailing of this proxy statement/prospectus and stock exchange listing fees and the aggregate costs and expenses incurred by Acadia and its affiliates under or pursuant to the Debt Commitment Letter or in connection with obtaining financing in connection therewith.

Termination of Acadia Professional Services Agreement

Acadia intends to terminate the Professional Services Agreement pursuant to the terms of a termination agreement in connection with consummation of the merger. Acadia will pay a related termination fee to Waud Capital

Partners in connection with such termination. As discussed above, such fee will be paid with the first $15.6 million of net proceeds from the anticipated issuance of the Senior Notes and/or borrowings under the Bridge Facility.

Fractional Shares

No fractional shares of Acadia common stock will be issued in the merger. Instead, as soon as practicable following the completion of the merger, Acadia will determine the excess of (i) the number of full shares of Acadia common stock to be issued by Acadia pursuant to merger agreement over (ii) the aggregate number of full shares of Acadia to be delivered pursuant to merger agreement. Acadia will sell such excess at then prevailing prices on the exchange or electronic market on which such Acadia shares are traded. Until the net proceeds of such sale or sales have been distributed to the holders of PHC common stock (in lieu of fractional shares), Acadia will hold such proceeds in trust.

Surrender of PHC Certificates

Following the effective time of the merger, Acadia or the exchange agent, selected by Acadia, will mail to each holder of PHC common stock a letter of transmittal and instructions regarding the details of the exchange. The holders will use the letter of transmittal to exchange PHC stock certificates for the shares of Acadia common stock, cash representing the amount of the cash consideration to be paid to the holders of PHC Class B Common Stock and cash in lieu of fractional shares of Acadia common stock to which the holders of PHC common stock are entitled to receive in connection with the merger.

United States Tax Consequences

It is intended by both Acadia and PHC that the merger will constitute a reorganization within the meaning of Section 368 of the Code.

Dissenters Rights

Holders of shares of PHC Class A Common Stock and Class B Common Stock that are issued and outstanding immediately prior to the effective time of the merger who have not voted in favor of or consented in writing to the merger and who have properly demanded and perfected their rights to be paid the fair value of such shares in accordance with Section 13.02 of the MBCA, will not have such shares converted into or exchangeable for the right to receive merger consideration and will be entitled only to receive payment of the fair value of such shares, in accordance with Section 13.02 of the MBCA, unless and until such stockholder withdraws or effectively loses the right to dissent.

Representations and Warranties

The merger agreement contains substantially reciprocal representations and warranties made by each company to the other. The representations and warranties relate to:

- corporate organization, good standing, qualification to do business and subsidiaries;
- absence of a breach of the certificate of incorporation, bylaws, law or material agreement as a result of the merger;
- capitalization;
- authority to enter into the merger agreement;

permits required to conduct business and compliance with those permits;

compliance with applicable legal requirements;

financial statements;

the absence of any undisclosed liabilities;

the accuracy of information supplied in this proxy statement/prospectus;

the absence of certain changes or events since December 31, 2010;

the absence of litigation;

certain restrictions of business activities;

owned and leased real property;

intellectual property matters;

employee benefit plans and other employment matters;

labor relations;

taxes, tax returns and audits;

material contracts;

insurance;

environmental matters;

the approval of the merger and related matters by the board of directors;

payments required to be made to brokers and agents in connection with the merger;

transactions with related parties; and

fees and expenses.

Representations and warranties made solely by PHC relate to PHC s filings and reports with the SEC, PHC s requisite stockholder approval and the opinion of SRR. Representations and warranties made solely by Acadia relates to the representation that Acadia is not an interested stockholder in PHC.

Conduct of Business Prior to the Completion of the Merger

Under the terms of the merger agreement, Acadia and PHC have agreed that until the earlier of the termination of the merger agreement or the effective time of the merger, subject to certain exceptions, each company will carry on its business in the ordinary course with past practice in all material respects. In addition, except as required by law and subject to certain exceptions (including the transactions associated with the MeadowWood acquisition), each company has agreed to additional restrictions that prohibit it from:

amending or proposing to amend, as the case may be, its certificate of formation, limited liability company agreement, articles of organization or bylaws (or other comparable organizational documents);

splitting, combining, reclassifying, purchasing, repurchasing, redeeming, otherwise acquiring, declaring, setting aside, establishing a record date for, making or paying any dividend or distribution (whether in cash, stock, property or otherwise) in respect of, or entering into any contract with respect to the voting of, any

membership interests, shares of capital stock or other equity securities of it or its subsidiaries;

issuing, delivering, selling, pledging, transferring, disposing of or encumbering any shares of capital stock or other equity securities of it or its subsidiaries, or any securities convertible into or exchangeable for, or any options, warrants or other rights of any kind to acquire any such shares of such capital stock or other equity securities of it or its subsidiaries;

increasing the salaries, bonuses or other compensation and benefits payable or that could become payable by it or any of its subsidiaries to any of their respective directors, limited liability company managers, officers, stockholders, members, employees or other service providers, except, solely with respect to employees who are not officers or directors, in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice;

entering into any new or amending in any material respect, any employment, severance, retention or change in control agreement with any past or present director, limited liability company manager, officer, stockholder, member, employee or other service provider of it or its subsidiaries;

promoting any officers or employees, except in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practice or as the result of the termination or resignation of any officer or employee;

acquiring by merging, consolidating with or purchasing any equity securities, a substantial portion of the assets of, or by any other manner any interest in, or making any loan, advance or capital contribution to or investment in, any business, corporation, partnership, association or other business organization or any division thereof or any assets thereof, other than acquisitions in the ordinary course of business not exceeding $25,000,000 in the aggregate;

transferring, licensing, selling, leasing, assigning or otherwise disposing of any material assets by merger, consolidation, sale of stock or assets, or otherwise, including the capital stock or other equity securities of it or its subsidiaries;

granting any lien on any of the assets of it or its subsidiaries;

adopting, entering into or effecting a plan of complete or partial liquidation, dissolution, restructuring, recapitalization or other reorganization of it or its subsidiaries;

redeeming, repurchasing, prepaying, defeasing, canceling, incurring or otherwise acquiring, or modifying the terms of, any indebtedness for borrowed money or assuming, guaranteeing or endorsing, or otherwise become responsible for, any such indebtedness of any business, corporation, partnership, association or other business organization;

issuing or selling any debt securities or options, warrants, calls or other rights to acquire any debt securities of it or its subsidiaries or assuming, guaranteeing or endorsing, or otherwise becoming responsible for, any debt securities of any business, corporation, partnership, association or other business organization;

making any capital expenditures, capital additions or capital improvements having a cost in excess of $250,000 (by Acadia) or $100,000 (by PHC), except for capital expenditures that are contemplated by Acadia s or PHC s existing plans for annual capital expenditures for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2011 (for Acadia) or June 30, 2011 (for PHC), or failing to make any capital expenditures, capital additions or capital improvements contemplated by such existing plans;

entering into or amending or modifying in any material respect, or terminating or consenting to the termination of any material contract;

waiving any material default under, or releasing, settling or compromising any material claim against it or liability or obligation owing to it under any material contract;

instituting, settling, releasing, waiving or compromising any action (i) pending or threatened before any arbitrator, court or other governmental authority involving the payment of monetary damages by it or its subsidiaries of any amount exceeding $250,000 (by Acadia) or $100,0000 (by PHC), (ii) involving any current, former or purported holder or group of holders of the capital stock or other equity securities of it or its subsidiaries or (iii) which settlement involves a conduct remedy or injunctive or similar relief or has a restrictive impact on the business of it or its subsidiaries;

making any change in financial accounting methods, principles, policies, procedures or practices;

making, changing or rescinding any tax election, filing any amended tax return, entering into any closing agreement relating to taxes, waiving or extending the statute of limitations in respect of material taxes or settling or compromising any tax liability in excess of $100,000 (by Acadia) or $50,000 (by PHC);

entering into any material agreement, agreement in principle, letter of intent, memorandum of understanding or similar contract with respect to any joint venture, strategic partnership or alliance;

abandoning, encumbering, conveying title (in whole or in part), exclusively licensing or granting any right or other licenses to intellectual property rights owned by it or its subsidiaries;

failing to maintain in full force and effect the existing insurance policies covering it and its subsidiaries and its and their respective properties, assets and businesses;

effecting or permitting a plant closing or mass layoff as those terms are defined in the Worker Adjustment Retraining and Notification Act without complying with the notice requirements and all other provisions of such act;

entering into or modifying or amending in any material respect or terminating any collective bargaining agreement with any labor union; and

agreeing to take any of the actions described above.

Additional Agreements

Under the terms of the merger agreement, Acadia and PHC have each agreed:

to promptly prepare and file this proxy statement/prospectus, and Acadia will prepare and file the registration statement in which the proxy statement/prospectus is to be included;

to cooperate with each other in the preparation and filing of the proxy statement/prospectus;

to promptly notify one another of any comments from the SEC with respect to the proxy statement/prospectus;

to provide to the other party or its representatives access, at reasonable times upon prior notice, to its and its subsidiaries officers, employees, agents, representatives, properties, offices, facilities, books and records; and

to furnish promptly such information concerning its and its subsidiaries business, properties, contracts, assets, liabilities and personnel as the other party or its representatives may reasonably request.

In addition, PHC has agreed:

to mail the proxy statement/prospectus to its stockholders at the earliest practicable time after the registration statement is declared effective by the SEC;

to promptly take all steps necessary to hold and convene its stockholders meeting as soon as reasonably practicable after this proxy statement is cleared by the SEC and this registration statement is declared effective, and take all reasonable lawful action to solicit from its stockholders proxies in favor of adoption of the merger agreement; and

that its board of directors will recommend (and reaffirm its recommendation of) the adoption of the merger agreement and the merger to its stockholders, and, except in certain circumstances, neither the board of PHC nor any committee thereof will withdraw, amend or modify the recommendation.

PHC Stockholder Meeting

PHC will, in accordance with and subject to the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, its restated articles of organization, as amended, and bylaws, and the rules of NYSE Amex Equities, cause a meeting of the PHC stockholders to be duly called and held as soon as reasonably practicable after this proxy statement/prospectus is cleared by the SEC and the related registration statement on Form S-4 is declared effective under the Securities Act for the purpose of voting on the approval of the merger agreement.

Access to Information; Confidentiality

Acadia and PHC have executed a confidentiality agreement dated March 31, 2011, which will continue in full force in accordance with its terms and expire on September 30, 2012. The expiration of the confidentiality agreement will not relieve either party from liability in respect of breaches by such party prior to such expiration. Subject to the confidentiality agreement and in accordance with the terms of the merger agreement, Acadia and PHC will each grant the other s representatives reasonable access to its records, properties, offices, facilities and personnel and will promptly furnish such information regarding its business, properties, contracts, assets, liabilities and personnel as the other party may reasonably request.

Solicitation by PHC

PHC has agreed, subject to limitations described below, that it will not nor will it permit or authorize any of its subsidiaries or any of its or its subsidiaries respective officers, directors or employees or other representatives to:

initiate, solicit, propose, encourage (including by providing information) or take any action to facilitate any inquiries or the making of any proposal or offer that constitutes, or may reasonably be expected to lead to, an acquisition proposal;

engage in, continue or otherwise participate in any discussions or negotiations regarding, or provide any information or data concerning PHC or any of its subsidiaries to any business, corporation, partnership, association or other business organization relating to, any acquisition proposal;

provide any information or data concerning PHC or any of its subsidiaries to any business, corporation, partnership, association or other business organization pursuant to any commercial arrangement, joint venture arrangement, or other existing agreement or arrangement;

grant any waiver, amendment or release under any standstill or confidentiality agreement or any takeover, anti-takeover, moratorium, fair price , control share or other similar law applicable to PHC, or otherwise knowingly facilitate any effort or attempt by any business, corporation, partnership, association or other business organization to make an acquisition proposal; and

approve, endorse, recommend, or execute or enter into any letter of intent, agreement in principle, merger agreement, acquisition agreement or other similar agreement relating to an acquisition proposal.

PHC further agrees that it and its subsidiaries and its respective representatives, including non-officer employees and other agents will immediately cease any and all existing activities, discussions or negotiations with any third parties with respect to any acquisition proposal with respect to themselves, and will promptly request each person who has entered into a confidentiality agreement in connection with their consideration of an acquisition proposal to return all confidential information furnished by PHC.

Notification of Unsolicited Acquisition Proposals

Promptly (and, in any event, within 24 hours) after any of PHC s officers, directors or representatives receives or becomes aware of the receipt of any acquisition proposal by PHC, or any request for nonpublic information or any discussions or negotiations are sought to be initiated or continued with PHC, PHC will provide Acadia with written notice of the identity of the person or group making such proposal and the material terms of the acquisition proposal.

Acquisition Proposal means any inquiry, proposal or offer relating to (i) the acquisition of fifteen percent (15%) or more of the PHC common stock (by vote or by value) by any third party, (ii) any merger, consolidation, business combination, reorganization, share exchange, sale of assets, recapitalization, equity investment, joint venture, liquidation, dissolution or other transaction which would result in any third party acquiring assets (including capital stock of or interest in any subsidiary or affiliate of PHC) representing, directly or indirectly, fifteen percent (15%) or more of the net revenues, net income or assets of PHC and its subsidiaries, taken as a whole, (iii) the acquisition (whether by merger, consolidation, equity investment, share exchange, joint venture or otherwise) by any third party, directly or indirectly, of any capital stock in any entity that holds assets representing, directly or indirectly, fifteen percent (15%) or more of the net revenues, net income or assets of PHC and its subsidiaries, taken as a whole, (iv) any

tender offer or exchange offer, as such terms are defined under the Exchange Act, that, if consummated, would result in any third party beneficially owning fifteen percent (15%) or more of the outstanding shares of PHC common stock and any other voting securities of PHC, or (v) any combination of the foregoing.

Superior Proposals

In the event that PHC receives an acquisition proposal and its board determines in good faith, (i) after consultation with outside legal counsel, that failure to take such action would be inconsistent with the directors fiduciary duties under applicable laws, and (ii) based on the information then available and after consultation with

its independent financial advisor and outside legal counsel, that such acquisition proposal either constitutes a superior proposal or is reasonably likely to result in a superior proposal, PHC may:

provide information in response to an unsolicited bona fide written acquisition proposal after the date of the merger agreement if and only if, prior to providing such information, PHC has received from the third party requesting such information an executed confidentiality agreement; and

engage or participate in any discussions or negotiations with any third party who has made an unsolicited bona fide written acquisition proposal.

Superior Proposal means a bona fide written acquisition proposal (with all of the percentages included in the definition of acquisition proposal increased to 662/3%) and not solicited in violation of the merger agreement which the PHC board of directors determines in good faith, after consultation with independent financial advisor and outside legal counsel, and taking into consideration, among other things, all of the terms, conditions, impact and all legal, financial, regulatory and other aspects of such acquisition proposal and merger agreement, including financing, regulatory approvals, stockholder litigation, identity of the third party making the acquisition proposal, breakup fee and expense reimbursement provisions and other events or circumstances beyond the control of the party invoking the condition, (a) is reasonably likely to be consummated in accordance with its terms and (b) would result in a transaction more favorable to the stockholders of PHC from a financial point of view than the transactions provided for in the merger agreement (after taking into account the expected timing and risk and likelihood of consummation).

Change of Recommendation

At any time prior to obtaining PHC stockholder approval of the merger agreement, if PHC has received a bona fide written acquisition proposal that is not withdrawn and that the PHC board of directors concludes in good faith constitutes a superior proposal, the PHC board may withdraw, amend or modify the PHC board recommendation if and only if:

the PHC board of directors determines in good faith, after consultation with its independent financial advisor and outside legal counsel, that failure to do so would be inconsistent with its fiduciary obligations under applicable laws;

PHC has complied with its obligations with respect to solicitations;

PHC has provided prior written notice to Acadia at least five business days in advance, which states that PHC received a bona fide written acquisition proposal that was not withdrawn and that the PHC board of directors concludes in good faith constitutes a superior proposal and, absent any revision to the terms and conditions of the merger agreement, the PHC board of directors has resolved to adversely change its recommendation for the merger; and

prior to changing the PHC board recommendation for approval of the merger, PHC will, and will cause its representatives to, (i) negotiate with Acadia and its financial and legal advisors in good faith (to the extent Acadia desires to negotiate) to make such adjustments in the terms and conditions of the agreement, so that such acquisition proposal would cease to constitute a superior proposal, and (ii) permit Acadia and its financial and legal advisors to make a presentation to the PHC board of directors regarding the agreement and any adjustments with respect thereto (to the extent Acadia desires to make such presentation).

Directors and Officers Indemnification and Insurance

From and after the effective time of the merger, Acadia and the surviving company will, jointly and severally, to the fullest extent permitted under applicable law, indemnify and hold harmless the present and former officers, directors and limited liability company managers of PHC and its subsidiaries against all costs and expenses (including attorneys fees), judgments, fines, losses, claims, damages, liabilities and settlement amounts paid in connection with any action (whether arising before or after the effective time), whether civil, criminal, administrative or investigative, arising out of or pertaining to any action or omission in their capacity as an officer,

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director, limited liability company manager, employee, fiduciary or agent, whether occurring at or before the effective time.

If PHC is unable to do so, Acadia shall obtain and fully pay the premium for the extension of the directors and officers liability coverage of PHC s existing directors and officers insurance policies, for a claims reporting or discovery period of at least six years from and after the effective time of the merger with respect to any claim related to any period or time at or prior to the effective time from an insurance carrier with the same or better credit rating as PHC s existing insurance carrier with respect to directors and officers liability insurance and fiduciary liability insurance with terms, conditions, retentions and limits of liability that are at least as favorable as the coverage provided under PHC s existing policy with respect to any matter claimed against a director or officer of PHC or any of its subsidiaries by reason of him or her serving in such capacity that existed or occurred at or prior to the effective time of the merger.

Employee Matters

PHC and Acadia have agreed to cooperate to conduct a review of their respective employee benefit and compensation plans and programs in order to (i) coordinate the provision of benefits and compensation to the employees of PHC and Acadia and their respective subsidiaries after the effective time, (ii) eliminate duplicative benefits and (iii) treat similarly situated employees of PHC, Acadia and their respective subsidiaries on a substantially similar basis in all material respects, taking into account all relevant factors, including duties, geographic location, tenure, qualifications and abilities. Notwithstanding the foregoing, PHC, Acadia or any of their respective subsidiaries shall not be required to continue the employment of any specific person. Furthermore, no provision of the merger agreement shall be construed as prohibiting or limiting the ability of PHC, Acadia or any of their respective subsidiaries to amend, modify or terminate any plans programs, policies, arrangements, agreements or understandings of PHC or Acadia or any of their respective subsidiaries.

Further Action

Subject to the terms and conditions of the merger agreement, each party will use reasonable best efforts to (i) obtain promptly all authorizations, consents, orders, approvals, licenses, permits and waivers of all governmental authorities and officials that may be or become necessary for its execution and delivery of, and the performance of its obligations pursuant to, the merger agreement, (ii) cooperate fully with the other parties in promptly seeking to obtain all such authorizations, consents, orders, approvals, licenses, permits and waivers, (iii) provide such other information to any governmental authority as such governmental authority may reasonably request in connection therewith, (iv) obtain all necessary consents, approvals or waivers from third parties under such party s respective contracts, and (v) from and after the effective time, execute and deliver any additional instruments necessary to consummate the transactions contemplated by the merger agreement and to fully carry out the purposes of the merger agreement. Each party promptly will notify each other party thereto of any material communication it or any of its affiliates receives from any governmental authority relating to the matters that are the subject of the merger agreement.

Update Disclosure; Breaches

From and after the date of the merger agreement until the effective time, each party will promptly notify the other party thereto by written update to its disclosure schedule of (i) the occurrence, or non-occurrence, of any event that, individually or in the aggregate, would reasonably be expected to cause any condition to the obligations of any party to effect the transactions contemplated by the merger agreement not to be satisfied, (ii) any action commenced or, to any party s knowledge, threatened against, such party or any of its subsidiaries or affiliates or otherwise relating to, involving or affecting such party or any of its subsidiaries or affiliates, in each case in connection with, arising from or otherwise relating to the transactions contemplated by the merger agreement or (iii) the failure of such party to comply with or satisfy any covenant, condition or agreement to be complied with by it pursuant to the merger agreement

which, individually or in the aggregate, would reasonably be likely to result in any condition to the obligations of any party to effect the transactions contemplated by the merger agreement not to be satisfied. PHC delivered to Acadia and Merger Sub a supplement to the disclosure schedule after the closing of the MeadowWood

acquisition containing any additions, revisions or modifications to such disclosure schedule that are required as a result of PHC s acquisition of the MeadowWood assets.

Stock Exchange Listing

Each of Acadia and PHC will cooperate with the other and use its reasonable best efforts to cause the shares of Acadia common stock to be issued in connection with the merger to be listed on NASDAQ and if not possible, NYSE Amex Stock Market, another securities exchange, subject to official notice of issuance, prior to the effective time.

Section 16 Matters

Section 16(a) of the Exchange Act requires our directors, officers and beneficial owners of more than 10% of our common stock to file reports with the SEC disclosing their ownership, and changes in their ownership, of our equity securities. Section 16(b) of the Exchange Act requires those subject to the reporting requirements of Section 16(a) of the Exchange Act to disgorge to Acadia any profits realized from any short-swing trading transaction (i.e., a purchase and sale, or sale and purchase, of our equity or derivative securities within a period of less than six months). Subject to the satisfaction of the conditions contained therein, Rule 16b-3 promulgated under the Exchange Act exempts certain transactions from the short-swing profit rules of Section 16 of the Exchange Act. Prior to the effective time, PHC and Acadia will take all steps necessary to cause the transactions contemplated by the merger agreement, including any acquisition of Acadia Common Stock in connection therewith, by each individual who is or will be subject to the reporting requirements under Section 16(a) of the Exchange Act with respect to Acadia, to be exempt under Rule 16b-3.

Takeover Statutes

If any control share acquisition, fair price, moratorium or other anti-takeover law becomes or is deemed to be applicable to Acadia, PHC, Merger Sub, the merger or any other transaction contemplated by the merger agreement, then each of Acadia, PHC, Merger Sub, and their respective boards of directors or managers will grant all such approvals and take all such actions as are necessary so that the transactions contemplated by the merger agreement may be consummated as promptly as practicable on the terms contemplated thereby and otherwise act to render such anti-takeover law inapplicable to the merger agreement and the transactions contemplated thereby.

Deregistration

PHC will use its reasonable best efforts to cause its shares of PHC Class A Common Stock to no longer be quoted on AMEX and to be de-registered under the Exchange Act as soon as practicable following the effective time.

Tax Free Reorganization Treatment

Neither Acadia nor PHC will, nor will they permit any of their respective subsidiaries to, take any action prior to or after the closing that would reasonably be expected to cause the merger to fail to qualify as a reorganization with the meaning of Section 368(a) of the Code.

Public Announcements

Each of Acadia and PHC will consult with each other before issuing any press release or otherwise making any public statements (including conference calls with investors and analysts) with respect to the merger agreement or any of the transactions contemplated thereby. No party to the merger agreement will issue any such press release or make any such public statement with respect to the merger agreement or any of the transactions contemplated thereby prior to

such consultation, except to the extent public disclosure is required by applicable law or the requirements of the NYSE Amex Stock Market or NASDAQ, as applicable, in which case the issuing party will use its reasonable best efforts to consult with the other party before issuing any such press release or making any such public statements.

Transfer Taxes

Acadia and PHC will cooperate in the preparation, execution and filing of all returns, questionnaires, applications or other documents regarding any sales, transfer, stamp, stock transfer, value added, use, real property transfer or gains and any similar taxes that become payable in connection with the transactions contemplated by the merger agreement. From and after the effective time, the surviving company agrees to assume liability for and pay any such taxes of PHC, Acadia or any of their respective subsidiaries.

Other Actions

From the date of the merger agreement until the earlier to occur of the effective time or the termination of the merger agreement in accordance with its terms, Acadia and PHC will not, and will not permit any of their respective subsidiaries to, take, or agree or commit to take, any action that would reasonably be expected to, individually or in the aggregate, prevent, materially delay or materially impede the consummation of the transactions contemplated by the merger agreement.

Financing

Each of PHC and Acadia will cooperate with the other and use its reasonable best efforts to arrange the debt financing on the terms and conditions to those described in the Debt Commitment Letter, together with the related fee letter and that certain engagement letter dated as of the same date by and among Acadia and Jefferies. Each of PHC and Acadia will use its commercially reasonable efforts to (i) negotiate definitive agreements with respect thereto and (ii) satisfy on a timely basis all conditions in such definitive agreements that are within its control.

PHC Stock Purchase Plans

Except with respect to PHC s 2005 Employee Stock Purchase Plan, which shall be terminated at the conclusion of the current participation period on August 31, 2011, PHC will take all actions necessary (i) to suspend any and all offering or grants during the offering periods currently in effect under the PHC stock purchase plans effective as of the date of the merger agreement (such that no shares of PHC capital stock can be issued pursuant thereto) and (ii) to terminate the PHC stock purchase plans prior to the effective time.

Peabody Office

Acadia will keep PHC s Peabody, Massachusetts office open for as long as reasonably required to effect necessary transition matters, which Acadia and PHC anticipate will take from three to six months following the effective time.

Company Name

For a period of two years following the effective time of the merger, Acadia will file a dba in Delaware and such other jurisdictions as it deems necessary to enable it to conduct business as Pioneer Behavioral Health, and Acadia will conduct business under such dba, including by using corporate stationary bearing such name and by answering the telephone in the corporate offices under such name. Acadia anticipates that each of PHC s subsidiaries will retain their current names from and after the effective time.

Conditions to the Merger

Conditions to the Obligations of Each Party

The obligations of Acadia, PHC and Merger Sub to effect the transaction are subject to the satisfaction or waiver (in writing, by mutual agreement of Acadia and PHC where permissible) of various conditions, which include the following:

the SEC will have declared the registration statement effective, and no stop order will have been issued or proceedings initiated or threatened by the SEC suspending the effectiveness of the registration statement or any part thereof;

the PHC stockholder approval must be obtained in accordance with Massachusetts Law;

no governmental authority will have enacted, issued, promulgated, enforced or entered any statute, rule, regulation, executive order, decree, injunction or other order that is in effect and that has the effect of making the merger illegal or otherwise prohibiting completion of the merger and there will not be any pending or overtly threatened suit or action by any court of competent jurisdiction or other restraint or prohibition of any governmental authority;

the expiration or early termination of the waiting period applicable to the transaction under the Hart-Scott Rodino Act, if required, and the acquisition of all other material foreign antitrust requirements required to consummate the transaction;

(i) Acadia will have obtained debt financing in the amounts described in, and on the terms and conditions set forth in, the Debt Commitment Letter, (ii) Acadia will have received an opinion that its and its subsidiaries total consolidated liabilities will not exceed their total consolidated assets immediately after giving effect to the merger and the other transactions contemplated thereby and (iii) the net proceeds to be distributed to Acadia Holdings existing members will be equal to or greater than $80,000,000 (and as a result, the aggregate principal amount of the Deficit Note(s) shall not exceed $10,000,000); and

the shares of Acadia common stock to be issued in the merger will have been authorized for listing on a national securities exchange or be eligible for trading on the over the counter bulletin board.

Conditions to the Obligations of Acadia

The obligations of Acadia to consummate the merger are subject to the satisfaction or waiver (where permissible) of the following additional conditions:

the representations and warranties of PHC contained in the merger agreement relating to organization, standing and power, subsidiaries, capitalization, authority, absence of certain changes, stockholder vote and PHC board approval must be true and correct in all respects as of the date of the merger agreement and as of the closing date as if made at and as of the closing date;

other than the representations and warranties listed in the prior paragraph and relating to SEC filings and undisclosed liabilities, the representations and warranties of PHC contained in the merger agreement must be true and correct as of the date of the merger agreement and as of the closing date, except (i) where the failure to be true and correct would not reasonably be expected to have a material adverse effect on PHC, or (ii) to the extent such representations and warranties expressly relate to an earlier date, in which case such representations must have been true and correct as of such earlier date;

the representations and warranties of PHC contained in the merger agreement relating to SEC filings and undisclosed liabilities must be true and correct in all material respects as of the date of the merger agreement and as of the closing date as if made at and as of the closing date;

PHC must have performed or complied in all material respects with the agreements and covenants required by the merger agreement to be performed or complied with by it on or prior to the closing date;

since the date of the merger agreement, there must not have been or occurred any material adverse effect with respect to PHC;

Acadia must have received a certificate, signed by the chief executive officer or chief financial officer of PHC, certifying that the following requirements have been satisfied: (i) the representations and warranties are true and correct as of a certain date and (ii) the requisite agreements and covenants have been complied with;

Acadia must have been provided with any third party consents or approvals PHC is required to obtain in connection with the merger;

the directors and officers of PHC required to resign as set forth in the merger agreement must have resigned as directors and officers of PHC;

Acadia and PHC and their respective subsidiaries must have timely obtained from each governmental authority all approvals, waivers and consents, if any, necessary for the consummation of or in connection with the transactions contemplated by the merger agreement;

Acadia must have received an opinion by its legal counsel with respect to federal income tax purposes, which states that: (i) the merger will constitute a reorganization within the meaning of Section 368(a) of the Code and (ii) Acadia and PHC will each be a party to that reorganization within the meaning of Section 368(b) of the Code;

PHC must have received an opinion of its special counsel, substantially in the form attached to the merger agreement, that the merger consideration to be paid to holders of PHC s common stock does not violate PHC s articles of organization or bylaws or the Massachusetts Business Corporation Act, subject to the assumptions and exclusions contained in such opinion;

PHC must have consummated its acquisition of the MeadowWood assets; and

Acadia and certain of its stockholders must have entered into the stockholders agreement, substantially in the form attached to the merger agreement.

Conditions to the Obligations of PHC

The obligations of Acadia to consummate the merger are subject to the satisfaction or waiver (where permissible) of the following additional conditions:

the representations and warranties of Acadia contained in the merger agreement relating to organization, standing and power, subsidiaries, capitalization, authority, absence of certain changes or events and Acadia board approval must be true and correct as of the date of the merger agreement and as of the closing date as if made at and as of the closing date;

other than the representations and warranties listed in the prior paragraph and relating to financial statements, the representations and warranties of Acadia contained in the merger agreement must be true and correct as of the date of the merger agreement and as of the closing date, except (i) where the failure to be true and correct would not reasonably be expected to have a material adverse effect on Acadia, or (ii) to the extent such representations and warranties expressly relate to an earlier date, in which case such representations must have been true and correct as of such earlier date;

the representations and warranties of Acadia contained in the merger agreement relating to financial statements must be true and correct in all material respects as of the date of the merger agreement and as of the closing date as if made at and as of the closing date;

Acadia must have performed or complied in all material respects with the agreements and covenants required by the merger agreement to be performed or complied with by it on or prior to the closing date;

since the date of the merger agreement, there must not have been or occurred any material adverse effect with respect to Acadia;

PHC must have received a certificate, signed by the chief executive officer or chief financial officer of Acadia, certifying that the following requirements have been satisfied: (i) the representations and warranties are true

and correct as of a certain date and (ii) the requisite agreements and covenants have been complied with;

PHC must have been provided with any third party consents or approvals Acadia is required to obtain in connection with the merger; and

PHC must have received an opinion by its legal counsel with respect to federal income tax purposes, which states that: (i) the merger will constitute a reorganization within the meaning of Section 368(a) of the Code and (ii) Acadia and PHC will each be a party to that reorganization within the meaning of Section 368(b) of the Code.

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Termination of the Merger Agreement

Termination by the Parties

The merger agreement may be terminated by the mutual written consent of Acadia and PHC or by either party (if, in the case of PHC it has not breached the no solicitation provisions of the merger agreement):

if the merger has not been consummated by 11:59 p.m., New York City Time, on December 15, 2011 (the End Date); provided, however, that such right to terminate the merger agreement shall not be available to PHC if PHC has not obtained stockholder approval;

if an order of any governmental authority having competent jurisdiction is entered enjoining PHC, Acadia or Merger Sub from consummating the merger and has become final and nonappealable; provided, however, that such right to terminate the merger agreement shall not be available to any party whose breach of any provision of the merger agreement results in the imposition of any such order or the failure of such order to be resisted, resolved or lifted, as applicable;

if any law that makes consummation of the merger illegal or otherwise prohibited (unless the consummation of the merger in violation of such law would not have a material adverse effect on PHC); provided, however, that such right to terminate the merger agreement shall not be available to any party whose breach of any provision of the merger agreement results in the imposition of any such order or the failure of such order to be resisted, resolved or lifted, as applicable; or

if PHC has not obtained stockholder approval.

Termination by the PHC

The merger agreement may be terminated by PHC:

if Acadia or Merger Sub has breached any of the covenants or agreements contained in the merger agreement to be complied with by Acadia or Merger Sub such that PHC s closing condition regarding such covenants or agreements would not be satisfied, and such breach is incapable of being cured by the End Date or is not cured within thirty (30) calendar days after Acadia or Merger Sub receives written notice of such breach from PHC; provided that PHC will not have the right to terminate the merger agreement pursuant to this paragraph if, at the time of the termination, Acadia or Merger Sub would be unable to satisfy their closing condition because PHC is in breach of any of its covenants or agreements;

if there exists a breach of any of the representations or warranties of Acadia or Merger Sub contained in the merger agreement such that PHC s closing condition regarding such representations or warranties would not be satisfied, and such breach is incapable of being cured by the End Date or is not cured within thirty (30) calendar days after Acadia or Merger Sub receives written notice of such breach from PHC; provided that PHC will not have the right to terminate the merger agreement pursuant to this paragraph if, at the time of the termination, Acadia and Merger Sub would be unable to satisfy their closing condition because PHC is in breach of any of its representations or warranties; or

if, prior to the obtaining of the PHC stockholder approval, the PHC board of directors or any committee thereof has adversely changed its recommendation to approve the merger.

Termination by Acadia

The merger agreement may be terminated by Acadia:

- if PHC has breached any of the covenants or agreements contained in the merger agreement to be complied with by PHC such that Acadia s closing condition regarding such covenants or agreements would not be satisfied, and such breach is incapable of being cured by the End Date or is not cured within thirty (30) calendar days after PHC receives written notice of such breach from Acadia; provided that Acadia will not have the right to terminate the merger agreement pursuant to this paragraph if, at the time of the termination, PHC would be unable to satisfy its closing condition because Acadia or Merger Sub is in breach of any of their covenants or agreements;

if there exists a breach of any of the representations or warranties of PHC contained in the merger agreement such that Acadia s closing condition regarding such representations or warranties would not be satisfied, and such breach is incapable of being cured by the End Date or is not cured within thirty (30) calendar days after PHC receives written notice of such breach from PHC; provided that Acadia will not have the right to terminate the merger agreement pursuant to this paragraph if, at the time of the termination, PHC would be unable to satisfy its closing condition because Acadia or Merger Sub is in breach of any of their representations or warranties; or

if, prior to the obtaining of the PHC stockholder approval, the PHC board of directors or any committee thereof has adversely changed its recommendation to approve the merger; or

if after the completion of the MeadowWood asset purchase and the additions, revisions and modifications to the supplemental disclosures provided by PHC to Acadia, Acadia would be unable to satisfy its closing condition because PHC representations or warranties are no longer true and correct in all respects as of the date of delivery of the MeadowWood disclosure schedule supplement.

Expense Reimbursement

In the event the merger agreement is terminated by PHC due to the fact that Acadia or Merger Sub has breached any of its covenants, agreements, representations or warranties such that a condition related to PHC s obligation to close would not be satisfied, then Acadia will pay all of PHC s reasonably documented out-of-pocket fees and expenses (including reasonable legal fees and expenses) actually incurred by PHC and its affiliates on or prior to the termination of merger agreement in connection with the transactions contemplated by the merger agreement, which amount will in no event exceed $1,000,000 in the aggregate, and shall be paid in four annual installments, with the first annual installment due within two business days of such termination, and the remaining payments being made on the first, second and third anniversary of such termination date.

In the event the merger agreement is terminated by Acadia under circumstances in which the termination fee is not then payable, due to the fact that (i) PHC has breached any of its covenants, agreements, representations or warranties such that a condition related to Acadia s obligation to close would not be satisfied or (ii) the supplement to the disclosure schedules delivered to Acadia in connection with PHC s recent acquisition of MeadowWood would cause a breach of a PHC representation or warranty such that a condition related to Acadia s obligation to close would not be satisfied, then PHC will pay all of Acadia s reasonably documented out-of-pocket fees and expenses (including reasonable legal fees and expenses) actually incurred by Acadia and its affiliates on or prior to the termination of the merger agreement in connection with the transactions contemplated by the merger agreement, which amount will in no event exceed $1,000,000 in the aggregate and shall be paid in four annual installments, with the first annual installment due within two business days of such termination, and the remaining payments being made on the first, second and third anniversary of such termination date. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the existence of circumstances which could require payment of the termination fee by PHC subsequent to termination of the merger agreement will not relieve PHC of its obligations to pay Acadia reimbursable expenses.

Termination Fee

In the event the merger agreement is terminated by PHC or Acadia because, prior to the obtaining of the PHC stockholder approval, the PHC board of directors or any committee thereof has adversely changed its recommendation to approve the merger, PHC will promptly pay Acadia an amount equal to $3,000,000, but in any event within two business days after the date of such termination, by wire transfer of same day funds to one or more accounts designated by Acadia.

In the event that (i) the merger agreement is terminated (A) by either Acadia or PHC because the merger has not been consummated by the End Date or PHC has not obtained stockholder approval in accordance with the merger agreement or (B) by Acadia because PHC would be unable to satisfy its closing conditions regarding covenants and agreements or representations and warranties as of the closing date and (ii) after the date of the merger agreement and prior to the twelve month anniversary of the termination of the merger agreement, PHC consummates an acquisition proposal, enters into any letter of intent, agreement in principle, acquisition agreement or other similar agreement related to an acquisition proposal, or PHC files a Solicitation/Recommendation

Statement on Schedule 14D-9 that includes the PHC board s recommendation of any acquisition proposal to PHC s stockholders, then PHC will, on the date an acquisition proposal is consummated, any such letter is executed or agreement is entered into or any such statement is filed with the SEC, pay to Acadia an amount equal to $3,000,000 (less the amount of any reimbursable expenses previously paid by PHC to Acadia pursuant to the merger agreement, if any) to Acadia by wire transfer of same day funds to one or more accounts designated by Acadia.

For purposes of the termination section of the merger agreement only, a transaction pursuant to an acquisition proposal (as defined above and in the merger agreement) all percentages in the definition of acquisition proposal will be replaced with 50%.

Fees and Expenses

Each of PHC and Acadia will not (and will cause each of their respective subsidiaries not to), incur or agree to pay any reasonably documented out-of-pocket fees and expenses (including reasonable legal and advisory fees and expenses) in connection with the merger or any of the transactions contemplated in the merger agreement, other than certain shared fees and expenses, in excess of certain estimated fees and expenses set forth in the merger agreement. This prohibition does not apply to fees and expenses related to the following activities: (i) the filing, Edgarizing, printing, mailing and similar out of pocket fees and expenses (but not legal or accounting fees and expenses) relating to this proxy statement/prospectus and any other necessary filings with respect to the merger or any related transactions under the Securities Act, the Exchange Act and applicable state blue sky laws and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder; and (ii) the listing fee(s) incurred in obtaining (or attempting to obtain) the stock exchange listing(s) or trading eligibility for Acadia. Regardless of whether the merger is completed, Acadia and PHC will pay 75% and 25% respectively of such fees. The prohibition also does not apply to the incurrence by Acadia or any of its affiliates of any costs or expenses under or pursuant to the debt commitment letter or otherwise in connection with obtaining the financing under such commitment letter.

Amendment, Extension and Waiver

The merger agreement may be amended, at any time, by the parties, by action taken or authorized by their respective boards of directors, before or after approval of the merger agreement by the stockholders of PHC, provided that after any such approval, no amendment can be made that requires further stockholder approval without such approval having been obtained. The merger agreement may not be amended except by execution of an instrument in writing signed on behalf of each of Acadia and PHC.

Subject to the foregoing, at any time prior to the effective time, the parties may, to the extent permitted by applicable law:

- extend the time for the performance of any of the obligations or other acts of the other parties;
- waive any inaccuracies in the representations and warranties contained in the merger agreement or in any document delivered pursuant thereto; or
- waive compliance with any of the agreements or conditions contained in the merger agreement.

After any approval of the merger agreement by the PHC stockholders, there may not be any extension or waiver of the merger agreement which decreases the merger consideration provided therein or which adversely affects the rights of the PHC stockholders thereunder without the approval of such stockholders. Any agreement on the part of a party to any such extension or waiver will be valid only if set forth in a written instrument signed on behalf of such party. The failure of any party to assert any of its rights under the merger agreement or otherwise will not constitute a waiver of

those rights.

Material Adverse Effect

For purposes of the merger agreement, the term material adverse effect, when used in connection with PHC or Acadia, means any event, change, condition or effect that, individually or in the aggregate, is, or is reasonably likely to be, materially adverse to the condition (financial or otherwise), properties, assets, liabilities, business, operations

or results of operations of such entity and its subsidiaries, taken as a whole, other than any event, change, condition or effect relating to:

the merger and the transactions contemplated by the merger agreement or the announcement thereof;

compliance with the terms of the merger agreement or the taking of any action consented to or requested by PHC or, in the case of Acadia, Merger Sub;

any change in accounting requirements or principles required by GAAP, or any interpretations thereof;

the United States economy in general; or

the behavioral healthcare industry in general.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, a material adverse effect will include any change in or effect on the business of either Acadia or PHC and their respective subsidiaries that, individually or in the aggregate, is, or is reasonably likely to be, materially adverse to the condition (financial or otherwise), properties, assets, liabilities, business, operations or results of operations of such party and its subsidiaries taken as a whole, if such change or effect is significantly more adverse to such party and its subsidiaries, taken as a whole, than to the behavioral healthcare industry in general.

THE VOTING AGREEMENT

In connection with the merger, each of PHC s directors and executive officers entered into a voting agreement with Acadia pursuant to which these individuals agreed to vote their shares of PHC common stock in favor of the merger agreement, among other things. The following description of the voting agreement describes the material terms of the voting agreement.

As of the record date, the directors and executive officers of PHC who have entered into the voting agreement collectively owned beneficially and of record shares of PHC common stock representing less than 11% of the total outstanding shares of PHC Class A Common Stock and 94% of the total outstanding shares of PHC Class B Common Stock entitled to vote at the meeting of PHC stockholders.

Bruce A. Shear, Donald E. Robar, Robert H. Boswell, Paula C. Wurts, Howard W. Phillips, William F. Grieco, David E. Dangerfield, and Douglas J. Smith, have each entered into the voting agreement with Acadia dated as of March 23, 2011.

Pursuant to the terms of the voting agreement, each director and executive officer who signed the voting agreement has agreed to vote (i) in favor of approval of the merger agreement, (ii) against approval of any proposal made in opposition to or competition with consummation of the merger and the merger agreement, including any acquisition proposal, (iii) against any transaction of the type described in the definition of Acquisition Proposal in the merger agreement from any party other than Acadia or an affiliate of Acadia as contemplated by the merger agreement, (iv) against any other proposal that is intended to, or is reasonably likely to, result in the conditions of Acadia s or Merger Sub s obligations under the merger agreement not being fulfilled, (v) against any amendment of PHC s certificate of incorporation or by-laws that is not requested or expressly approved by Acadia and (vi) against any dissolution, liquidation or winding up of PHC. The directors and executive officers also agree that until the earlier of the termination of the merger agreement or completion of the merger, they will not enter into any agreement or understanding with another person to vote or give instructions inconsistent with the foregoing obligations.

In furtherance of the foregoing obligations and in the event of a failure by a director or officer who is party to the voting agreement of his or her obligations as to voting or executing a written consent pursuant to the voting agreement, such director or officer revokes any and all other proxies or powers of attorney in respect of any of the shares of PHC common stock governed by the voting agreement and agrees that during the period commencing on the date of the voting agreement until its expiration, each director and executive officer appointed Acadia, Merger Sub or any individual designated by Acadia or Merger Sub as such individual s agent, attorney-in-fact and proxy (with full power of substitution) to vote all shares owned by such director or executive officer in accordance with the voting agreement. Such proxy will be valid and irrevocable until termination of the voting agreement.

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The directors and executive officers may vote their shares of PHC common stock on all other matters not referred to by the voting agreement, and Acadia may not exercise its proxy with respect to such other matters.

The directors and executive officers agreed not to, and not to permit any entity under such director s or executive officer s control to, (i) solicit proxies or become a participant in a solicitation (as such terms are defined in Rule 14a-1 under the Exchange Act) with respect to an acquisition proposal, (ii) initiate a stockholders vote with respect to an acquisition proposal, (iii) become a member of a group (as such term is used in Section 13(d) of the Exchange Act) with respect to any voting securities of PHC with respect to an acquisition proposal or (iv) solicit, entertain, promote, negotiate, knowingly aid, accept, enter or agree into or discuss, directly or indirectly, any proposal, arrangement, agreement or offer regarding an acquisition proposal.

Prior to the expiration of the voting agreement, each director and executive officer who signed the voting agreement shall not: (a) transfer, assign, sell, gift-over, pledge or otherwise dispose of, or consent to any of the foregoing, any or all of the shares governed thereunder or any right or interest of such shares; (b) enter into any contract, option or other agreement, arrangement or understanding with respect to any action enumerated in (a) of this paragraph; (c) grant any proxy, power-of-attorney or other authorization or consent with respect to any of the shares governed thereunder (other than the proxy contemplated in the voting agreement); or (d) deposit any of the shares governed thereunder into a voting trust, or enter into a voting agreement or arrangement with respect to any of the shares governed thereunder; provided, however, that a stockholder (and any permitted transferee thereof) may take an action enumerated in (a) of this paragraph with respect to any or all of the shares governed thereunder to such stockholder s spouse, descendants (whether natural or adopted) or any trust or other entity controlled by such stockholder; provided that such permitted transferee provides Acadia and Merger Sub with a written agreement to be bound by the terms of the voting agreement and to hold such shares governed thereunder subject to all terms of the voting agreement, in each case, as if it were the stockholder.

The voting agreement will terminate upon the earlier to occur of the completion of the merger or the termination of the merger agreement in accordance with its terms.

ACADIA MANAGEMENT AFTER THE MERGER

Management and Board of Directors

The following is a list of the persons who are anticipated to be Acadia s executive officers and directors following the merger and their ages and anticipated positions following the merger.

Name	Age	Position/Affiliation
Joey A. Jacobs	58	Chairman, Director & Chief Executive Officer
Bruce A. Shear	57	Executive Vice Chairman and Director
Brent Turner	45	Co-President
Trey Carter	45	Co-President
Ron Fincher	58	Chief Operating Officer
Jack E. Polson	45	Chief Financial Officer
Christopher L. Howard	45	Executive Vice President, General Counsel
Reeve B. Waud	47	Director
Charles E. Edwards	33	Director
Matthew A. London	29	Director
Gary A. Mecklenburg	65	Director
William F. Grieco	59	Director

Joey A. Jacobs, age 58, joined Acadia in February 2011 and has served as the Chairman of the Acadia board of directors and as Acadia s Chief Executive Officer since that time. Mr. Jacobs has extensive experience in the behavioral health industry. He co-founded Psychiatric Solutions, Inc. (PSI) and served as Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer of PSI from April 1997 to November 2010. Prior to founding PSI, Mr. Jacobs served for 21 years in various capacities with Hospital Corporation of America (HCA, also formerly known as Columbia and Columbia/HCA), most recently as President of the Tennessee Division. Mr. Jacobs background at HCA also included serving as president of HCA s Central Group, vice president of the Western Group, assistant vice president of the Central Group and assistant vice president of the Salt Lake City Division. The board of directors of Acadia believes that Mr. Jacob s qualifications to serve as a director include his 35 years of experience in the health care industry.

Bruce A. Shear, age 57, has served as President, Chief Executive Officer and a director of PHC since 1980 and Treasurer of PHC from September 1993 until February 1996. Upon consummation of the merger, it is anticipated that Mr. Shear will be appointed as the Executive Vice Chairman and a director of Acadia. From 1976 to 1980, he served as Vice President, Financial Affairs, of PHC. The board of directors of Acadia believes that Mr. Shear is qualified to serve as a director due to, among other things, his extensive knowledge of and experience in the healthcare industry and his knowledge of PHC. Mr. Shear has served on the Board of Governors of the Federation of American Health Systems for over fifteen years and is currently a member of the Board of Directors of the National Association of Psychiatric Health Systems. Since November 2003, Mr. Shear has been a member of the Board of Directors of Vaso Active Pharmaceuticals, Inc., a company marketing and selling over-the-counter pharmaceutical products that incorporate Vaso s transdermal drug delivery technology.

Brent Turner, age 45, joined Acadia in February 2011 and has served as a Co-President of Acadia since that time. Previously, Mr. Turner served as the Executive Vice President, Finance and Administration of PSI from August 2005 to November 2010 and as the Vice President, Treasurer and Investor Relations of PSI from February 2003 to August

2005. From late 2008 through 2010, Mr. Turner also served as a Division President of PSI overseeing facilities in Texas, Illinois and Minnesota. From 1996 until January 2001, Mr. Turner was employed by Corrections Corporation of America, a private prison operator, serving as Treasurer from 1998 to 2001.

Trey Carter, age 45, joined Acadia in May 2007 and has served as a Co-President of Acadia since February 2011. Previously, Mr. Carter served as Acadia s Chief Executive Officer from May 2007 until February 2011. Prior to joining Acadia, Mr. Carter served as Regional Vice President, Behavioral Health Division for Universal Health Services from May 2005 to April 2007 and as Chief Executive Officer of Anchor Hospital located in Atlanta,

Georgia from January 2003 to May 2005. Prior to his tenure with Universal Health Services, Trey Carter was Director of Behavioral Health Services at Tanner Behavioral Health in Carrollton, Georgia.

Ron Fincher, age 58, joined Acadia in February 2011 and has served as Acadia s Chief Operating Officer since that time. Previously, Mr. Fincher served as PSI s Chief Operating Officer from October 2008 to November 2010. As Chief Operating Officer of PSI, Mr. Fincher oversaw hospital operations for 95 facilities. He had served PSI as a Division President since April 2003. As a Division President, Mr. Fincher was responsible for managing the operations of multiple inpatient behavioral health care facilities owned by the Company. Prior to joining PSI, Mr. Fincher served as a Regional Vice President of Universal Health Services, Inc. from 2000 until 2003.

Jack E. Polson, age 45, joined Acadia in February 2011 and has served as Acadia s Chief Financial Officer since that time. Previously, Mr. Polson served as an Executive Vice President and Chief Accounting Officer of PSI from September 2006 to November 2010 and as PSI s Chief Accounting Officer from August 2002 to September 2006. Prior to being appointed to Chief Accounting Officer, Mr. Polson had served as Controller of PSI since June 1997. From June 1995 until joining PSI, Mr. Polson served as Controller for Columbia Healthcare Network, a risk-bearing physician health organization in HCA s Tennessee Division.

Christopher L. Howard, age 45, joined Acadia in February 2011 and has served as Acadia s Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary since that time. Before joining Acadia, Mr. Howard served as PSI s Executive Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary from September 2005 to November 2010. Prior to joining PSI, Mr. Howard was a partner at of Waller Lansden Dortch & Davis, LLP, a law firm based in Nashville, Tennessee.

Reeve B. Waud, age 47, has served as a director of Acadia (and a manager of its predecessor Acadia Healthcare Company, LLC) since December 2005. Mr. Waud formed Waud Capital Partners in 1993 and has served as the Managing Partner of Waud Capital Partners since that time. Prior to founding Waud Capital Partners, Mr. Waud was an investment professional at Golder, Thoma, Cressey, Rauner, Inc. (GTCR), a private equity investment group based in Chicago, Illinois. Before joining GTCR, Mr. Waud was in the Corporate Finance Group of Salomon Brothers, Inc. and was a founding member of its Venture Capital Group. The board of directors of Acadia believes that Mr. Waud is qualified to serve as a director due to, among other things, his extensive knowledge of and experience in the healthcare industry and his general business and financial acumen. Mr. Waud also serves as the controlling shareholder and/or chairman of the board of directors of Adreima, CarePoint Partners, Maxum Petroleum, True Partners Consulting, and Whitehall Products, all private companies. He also serves on the board of directors of Northwestern Memorial Foundation, the philanthropic arm that supports the fundraising, grant-making and stewardship activities of Northwestern Memorial HealthCare (NMHC), and is a member of the NMHC Finance Committee. Mr. Waud currently serves as an advisor to Green Courte Partners, a private equity, real estate investment firm. In addition, Mr. Waud is a member of the Commonwealth Club of Chicago and is a member of The Economic Club of Chicago. He is a trustee of St. Paul s School in Concord, New Hampshire and the John G. Shedd Aquarium. In addition, he serves on the Visiting Committee of the University of Chicago Harris School of Public Policy.

Charles E. Edwards, age 33, has served as a director of Acadia (and a manager of its predecessor Acadia Healthcare Company, LLC) since 2008. Mr. Edwards is a Principal of Waud Capital Partners and joined the firm in 2005. Prior to joining Waud Capital Partners, Mr. Edwards worked in the investment baking group at A.G. Edwards & Sons from 2000 to 2003 and attended the Harvard Business School from 2003 to 2005. The board of directors of Acadia believes that Mr. Edwards is qualified to serve as a director due to, among other things, his extensive knowledge of and experience in the healthcare industry and his general business and financial acumen. Mr. Edwards also serves on the board of directors of Maxum Petroleum, a private company.

Matthew A. London, age 29, has served as a director of Acadia (and a manager of its predecessor Acadia Healthcare Company, LLC) since April 2011. Mr. London is a Vice President of Waud Capital Partners and joined the firm in

2007. Prior to joining Waud Capital Partners, Mr. London was an investment banking analyst with Deutsche Bank from 2004 to 2007 and with Morgan Keegan from January 2004 to December 2004. The board of directors of Acadia believes that Mr. London is qualified to serve as a director due to, among other things, his extensive knowledge of and experience in the healthcare industry and his general business and financial acumen. Mr. London also serves on the board of directors of Maxum Petroleum, a private company, and previously served on the board of Regency Hospital Company, a private company in the healthcare services industry.

Gary A. Mecklenburg, age 65, has served as a director of Acadia (and a manager of its predecessor Acadia Healthcare Company, LLC) since 2006. Mr. Mecklenburg is an Executive Partner of Waud Capital and joined the firm in 2006. Prior to joining Waud Capital Partners, Mr. Mecklenburg served as President and Chief Executive Officer of Northwestern Memorial HealthCare from 1986 to 2006 and Northwestern Memorial Hospital from 1985 to 2003. Mr. Mecklenburg s career has included senior management positions at the University of Wisconsin Hospitals, Stanford University Hospital and St. Joseph s Hospital and Franciscan Healthcare in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. The Acadia board of directors believes that Mr. Mecklenburg is qualified to serve as a director due, among other things, his extensive knowledge of and experience in the healthcare industry and his general business and financial acumen. He currently serves as a director of the board of White Glove Health, LHP Hospital Partners, Adreima, CarePoint Partners and Becton Dickinson. Previously he served as Chairman of the Board of Regency Hospital Company (where he first joined as an outside director in 2002) and on the boards of the Institute for Healthcare Improvement and the National Center for Healthcare Leadership.

William F Grieco, age 59, has served as a director of PHC since February 1997. Since 2008, Mr. Grieco has served as the Managing Director of Arcadia Strategies, LLC, a legal business consulting organization servicing healthcare, science and technology companies. From 2003 to 2008, he served as Senior Vice President and General Counsel of American Science and Engineering, Inc., an x-ray inspection technology company. From 2001 to 2002, he served as Senior Vice President and General Counsel of IDX Systems Corporation, a healthcare information technology company. Previously, from 1995 to 1999, he was Senior Vice President and General Counsel for Fresenius Medical Care North America. Prior to that, Mr. Grieco was partner at Choate, Hall & Stewart, a general service law firm. The board of directors of Acadia concluded that based on Mr. Grieco s legal and healthcare expertise, senior management, business experience and education that he should serve as a director of Acadia.

Controlled Company

We intend to list the shares issued in the merger on NASDAQ. For purposes of the Nasdaq rules, we expect to be a controlled company. Controlled companies under those rules are companies of which more than 50% of the voting power is held by an individual, a group or another company. Waud Capital Partners will control approximately 78.3% of the voting power of our common stock upon completion of the merger and be able to elect a majority of our board of directors. As a result, we will be considered a controlled company for the purposes of the NASDAQ listing requirements. As a controlled company, we will be permitted to, and we intend to, opt out of the NASDAQ listing requirements that would otherwise require a majority of the members of our board of directors to be independent and require that we either establish a compensation committee and a nominating and governance committee, each comprised entirely of independent directors, or otherwise ensure that the compensation of our executive officers and nominees for directors are determined or recommended to our board by the independent members of our board.

Acadia Board of Directors Composition

Upon the closing of the merger, the Acadia board of directors will be divided into three classes, with each director serving a three-year term and one class being elected at each year s annual meeting of stockholders. The Acadia board of directors has determined that Mr. Grieco is independent as independence is defined in the NASDAQ rules and the SEC rules. Acadia tends to add an additional independent director within 90 days after the completion of the merger and a third independent director no later than the first anniversary of the completion of the merger. Three (3) directors to be designated by Waud Capital Partners and a director to be designated by Bruce Shear, the President of PHC, will be in the class of directors whose initial terms expires at the 2012 annual meeting of the stockholders; provided that Mr. Shear s designee shall satisfy the applicable director independence requirements of NASDAQ or any other securities exchange on which Acadia s securities may be listed (collectively, the Director Independence Requirements). Mr. Bruce Shear and three (3) directors to be designated by Waud Capital Partners will be in the class of directors whose initial term expires at the 2013 annual meeting of the stockholders. Mr. Joey A. Jacobs, one

director to be designated by Waud Capital Partners and two directors designated by the other directors (the Other Independent Directors) shall be in the class of directors whose initial term expires at the 2014 annual meeting for stockholders; provided, that the Other Independent Directors shall satisfy the Director Independence Requirements.

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Committees of the Acadia Board of Directors

Upon completion of the merger, the Acadia board of directors will establish three standing committees: the audit committee, the compensation committee and the corporate governance and nominating committee.

Audit Committee. Acadia s audit committee will be responsible for preparing such reports, statements or charters as may be required by NASDAQ or federal securities laws, as well as, among other things:

- overseeing and monitoring the integrity of its financial statements, its compliance with legal and regulatory requirements as they relate to financial statements or accounting matters and its internal accounting and financial controls;
- preparing the report that SEC rules require be included in its annual proxy statement;
- overseeing and monitoring its independent registered public accounting firm s qualifications, independence and performance;
- providing the board with the results of its monitoring and recommendations; and
- providing to the board additional information and materials as it deems necessary to make the board aware of significant financial matters that require the attention of the board.

Acadia s audit committee will consist of at least one member that is independent upon the consummation of the merger, a majority of members that are independent within ninety days thereafter and all members that are independent within one year thereafter. The board of directors will nominate William Grieco and Reeve Waud to serve as the initial members of Acadia s audit committee. Mr. Grieco will serve as Chairman of the audit committee and an independent director on the audit committee. The board of directors has determined that Mr. Waud qualifies as an audit committee financial expert, as that term is defined under the SEC rules implementing Section 407 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act. The board of directors will nominate an additional independent director to serve on the audit committee within 90 days of the closing of the merger. The board will nominate another independent director within a year of closing of the merger.

Compensation Committee. It is anticipated that the Acadia board of directors will nominate three directors to serve as members of the compensation committee. For so long as affiliates of Waud Capital Partners have the right to designate a majority of the Acadia board of directors, the directors designated by affiliates of Waud Capital Partners are expected to constitute a majority of the compensation committee and the chairman of the compensation committee is expected to be a director who is selected by affiliates of Waud Capital Partners. Acadia intends to opt out of the related NASDAQ listing requirements using the controlled company exemption.

The compensation committee will be responsible for, among other things:

- reviewing and approving for the chief executive officer and other executive officers (a) the annual base salary, (b) the annual incentive bonus, including the specific goals and amount, (c) equity compensation, (d) employment agreements, severance arrangements and change in control arrangements, and (e) any other benefits, compensations, compensation policies or arrangements;

reviewing and making recommendations to the board regarding the compensation policy for such other officers as directed by the board;

preparing a report to be included in the annual proxy statement that describes: (a) the criteria on which compensation paid to the chief executive officer for the last completed fiscal year is based; (b) the relationship of such compensation to our performance; and (c) the committee s executive compensation policies applicable to executive officers; and

acting as administrator of Acadia s current benefit plans and making recommendations to the Acadia board of directors with respect to amendments to the plans, changes in the number of shares reserved for issuance thereunder and regarding other benefit plans proposed for adoption.

Corporate Governance and Nominating Committee. It is anticipated that the Acadia board of directors will nominate three directors to serve as members of the corporate governance and nominating committee. For so long as affiliates of Waud Capital Partners have the right to designate a majority of the Acadia board of directors, the directors designated by affiliates of Waud Capital Partners are expected to constitute a majority of the corporate governance and nominating committee and the chairman of such committee is expected to be a director who is selected by affiliates of Waud Capital Partners. Acadia intends to opt out of the related NASDAQ listing requirements by using the controlled company exemption. The corporate governance and nominating committee will be responsible for, among other things:

- reviewing board structure, composition and practices, and making recommendations on these matters to the board;
- reviewing, soliciting and making recommendations to the board and stockholders with respect to candidates for election to the board; and
- overseeing compliance by the chief executive officer and senior financial officers with the Code of Business Conduct and Ethics.

Compensation Discussion and Analysis

Introduction

This Compensation Discussion and Analysis (CD&A) describes the compensation arrangements Acadia has with its Named Executive Officers (NEOs) that are expected to serve as executive officers following the merger and Bruce Shear, PHC s current chief executive officer, who is expected to serve as an executive officer and director of Acadia following the merger. NEO s include our principal executive officer and our principal financial officer, regardless of compensation level, and our three most highly compensated executive officers during our last completed fiscal year, other than our principal executive officer and principal financial officer. Because Mr. Carter is the only executive officer that was employed by Acadia during 2010 that is expected to be an executive officer following the merger, he is the only executive officer of Acadia for whom information is provided in this CD&A. As further described below under Intended Objectives of Acadia s Executive Compensation Program; Elements of Compensation Base Salary, the other executive officers of Acadia joined Acadia in February 2011. No PHC executive officers other than Mr. Shear are expected to become executive officers or directors of Acadia following the merger.

Intended Objectives of Acadia s Executive Compensation Program; Elements of Compensation

The Acadia board of directors oversees the design and administration of Acadia s executive compensation program. Acadia s objective is to have an executive compensation program that will attract and retain the best possible executive talent, to tie annual and long-term cash compensation to the achievement of measurable corporate and individual performance goals and objectives and to align executives incentives with stockholder value creation.

Compensation for Acadia s NEOs has historically consisted of the following elements:

Base Salary

Mr. Carter joined Acadia in April 2007. His base salary was negotiated with him at that time based upon his experience level and anticipated duties and responsibilities. His base salary has been subject to annual increase at the discretion of the Acadia board of directors. The remaining members of Acadia s senior management, including

Messrs. Jacobs, Fincher, Turner, Howard and Polson, were hired in February of 2011. These officers were formerly employed by PSI. PSI, a publicly-traded company, was sold to UHS in November of 2010. Following the sale of PSI to UHS, Acadia hired the former PSI management team and Acadia Management Company, Inc. (Acadia Management) entered into employment agreements with these former PSI executive officers, effective on January 31, 2011. Acadia Management also entered into an employment agreement with Mr. Carter in March 2011, which sets forth his annual base salary. The base salary is subject to increase by the Acadia board of directors, in its sole discretion, on an annual basis. These base salaries were the result of negotiation between Waud Capital Partners and these members of management.

In anticipation of consummation of the merger, Acadia has also entered into an employment agreement with Mr. Shear, PHC s current Chief Executive Officer. Mr. Shear s employment agreement sets forth his expected duties and responsibilities, his compensation and benefits and certain restrictions to which he will be subject after consummation of the merger.

See Acadia Employment Agreements for a description of the employment agreements with Messrs. Jacobs, Shear, Turner, Carter, Fincher, Polson and Howard (collectively, the Acadia Employment Agreements).

Cash Bonuses

For fiscal year 2010, Acadia paid a cash bonus to Mr. Carter based on the satisfaction of certain company and individual performance criteria. Mr. Carter was eligible to receive a bonus of up to 8% of his total annual base salary based upon the achievement of the following individual performance goals: (i) budgeted cash flow; (ii) acquisitions consistent with Acadia s strategic plan; (iii) patient satisfaction and employee satisfaction surveys; and (iv) employee evaluation standards, with each individual performance goal weighted at up to 2% of his total annual base salary (the Individual Portion). He was also eligible to receive a bonus between 32% and 62% of his total annual base salary tied to the company s EBITDA performance, as compared to base and stretch EBITDA targets (the EBITDA Portion).

Mr. Carter was not eligible to receive any portion of his targeted bonus for fiscal year 2010 unless Acadia met or exceeded its base EBITDA for the same period. EBITDA for purposes of calculating the EBITDA Portion of Mr. Carter s annual bonus, is defined as earnings before interest, income taxes, interest, depreciation and amortization, as may be adjusted in the discretion of the Acadia board of directors for certain one-time or non-recurring items.

For fiscal year 2010, base target EBITDA was set at $7,045,000 and stretch target EBITDA was set at $9,000,000. Acadia Holdings actual adjusted EBITDA for fiscal year 2010 (which excludes transaction related expenses and non-budgeted director fees) was $9,677,000, resulting in the bonus for the EBITDA Portion being set at 62.0% of base salary for Mr. Carter, resulting in bonuses of $196,614 attributable to the EBITDA Portion paid to Mr. Carter for fiscal year 2010. Mr. Carter achieved each of his individual performance goals, resulting in a payment for the Individual Portion of his 2010 bonus equal to 8% of his base salary, or $25,370.

Mr. Carter s Acadia Employment Agreement provides that during each calendar year in the related employment period beginning on December 31, 2011, he will be eligible to earn a target annual bonus of up to 100% of his base salary, subject to satisfaction of specified performance criteria established by the Acadia board of directors or its compensation committee. Following the merger, Mr. Shear will be eligible to earn a target annual bonus of up to 60% of his base salary, subject to satisfaction of certain performance criteria.

Mr. Carter also entered into a bonus agreement with Acadia Management on January 4, 2010, pursuant to which Mr. Carter will be entitled to receive a one-time cash bonus payment of $40,000 subject to satisfaction of the following conditions in the 2011 fiscal year: (i) the absence of a change of control (as defined in the Acadia Holdings LLC Agreement); (ii) continuous employment with Acadia Management from January 4, 2010 until the date on which such bonus is paid; and (iii) Acadia s achievement of certain EBITDA targets as set forth therein. Mr. Carter has not yet received any payments under this bonus agreement and will not be entitled to receive any such payments until 2012, subject to satisfaction of the aforementioned conditions.

Historical Equity Arrangements

Acadia Holdings sold shares of its Class A Common Units and Class A Preferred Units to certain executives, including Mr. Carter, in January 2010. Acadia Holdings also issued Class B Common Units and Class B Preferred Units to Mr. Carter and certain other executives that only vest upon certain qualified changes in control. Acadia

Holdings reclassified all of its units into Class A Units and Class B Units in April 2011 in connection with a reclassification of its equity structure. Acadia Holdings also issued Class C Units and Class D Units to certain executives, including Mr. Carter, in connection with the reclassification. In connection with the merger, Acadia Holdings, the sole stockholder of Acadia, will distribute the shares of Acadia common stock that it owns to its members, including Mr. Carter, in accordance with their respective ownership interests in Acadia Holdings.

Mr. Carter, along with Messrs. Fincher, Howard, Jacobs, Polson and Turner, will enter into a stockholders agreement with Waud Capital Partners and Acadia in connection with the merger. The stockholders agreement will contain certain transfer restrictions with respect to the Acadia common stock received from Acadia Holdings in connection with the distribution from Acadia Holdings. See Stockholders Agreement for a description of the terms of these restrictions.

Long-Term Equity Incentives Following the Merger

As a private company, Acadia has not historically made annual grants of equity. Waud Capital Partners and the Acadia board of directors believed that management s ownership interests in Acadia provided sufficient incentives with respect to the long-term growth of Acadia and aligned management s interests with those of Acadia s stockholders. Prior to the consummation of the merger, it is anticipated that the Acadia board of directors will adopt the 2011 Incentive Plan (as defined below), which will permit the granting of several types of equity-based compensation awards designed to provide our executive officers with incentives to help align those individuals interests with the interests of our stockholders. We also anticipate granting the Acadia board of directors (or its compensation committee) the authority to make periodic grants under the Acadia Healthcare Company, Inc. 2011 Incentive Compensation Plan (the 2011 Incentive Plan) to our executive officers based on the achievement of certain corporate and individual performance criteria, or otherwise in accordance with the 2011 Acadia Incentive Plan. See 2011 Incentive Plan.

Acadia Employment Agreements

Mr. Carter did not have an employment agreement in fiscal 2010. In 2011, Acadia Management entered into Acadia Employment Agreements with each of Messrs. Jacobs, Fincher, Turner, Howard, Polson and Carter. In anticipation of the merger, Acadia entered into the Acadia Employment Agreements with Messrs. Shear and Boswell. In connection with the merger, the Acadia board of directors intends to retain a compensation consultant to assist it with a transition to a compensation program more consistent with that of a public company.

Pursuant to the terms of his Acadia Employment Agreement, Mr. Carter currently receives annual base salary of $317,474. Each of Messrs. Jacobs, Fincher, Turner, Howard and Polson currently receives an annual base salary of $240,000.

The term of the Acadia Employment Agreements for each of Messrs. Shear and Boswell will commence immediately following the closing of the merger. Mr. Shear s Acadia Employment Agreement has a five year term, which shall automatically be extended for successive one-year terms, subject to non-renewal if either party gives the other 90 day s prior written notice of termination. The Acadia Employment Agreement for Mr. Boswell is subject to a two-year term, subject to automatic one year extensions unless earlier terminated. The annual base salaries for each of Messrs. Shear and Boswell are $350,000 and $226,000, respectively.

The base salaries under the Acadia Employment Agreements for Messrs. Jacobs, Fincher, Turner, Howard, Polson and Carter are subject to an annual increase in the sole discretion of the Acadia board of directors. The Acadia Employment Agreements for Messrs. Shear and Boswell provide that the base salary for the applicable executive shall be increased by at least 5% of the base salary for the prior year as of the first day of each calendar year in the term.

In addition to base salary, the senior executives under the Acadia Employment Agreements are entitled to participate in their sole discretion in all of Acadia s employee benefit programs for which senior executive officers are generally eligible. These benefits (for the former PSI executive officers) are in addition to any that the related executives may receive from PSI. The benefits to be provided to the executives under the Acadia Employment Agreements for Messrs. Shear and Boswell must be on terms at least as favorable as those received by such executives from PHC

immediately prior to the closing of the merger. Furthermore, during the term of such Acadia Employment Agreements, Acadia shall pay 100% of the monthly premiums or other costs associated with the related executives participation in such employee benefit programs and benefits. Mr. Shear is also permitted, under the terms of his Acadia Employment Agreement, to use the automobile leased by Acadia for him until the scheduled expiration of the lease and Acadia shall continue to make all lease payments until the expiration of the lease.

Executives (other than Messrs. Shear and Boswell) are eligible to receive discretionary annual bonuses of up to 100% of such executive s base salary and reimbursement of reasonable expenses incurred in connection with services performed under each executive s respective Acadia Employment Agreement. Each of Messrs. Shear and Boswell are eligible to receive an annual bonus of up to 60% of his base salary under his Acadia Employment Agreement. In each case, achievement of the annual bonus is based upon the satisfaction of performance criteria established by the Acadia board of directors or compensation committee or as set forth in the applicable Acadia Employment Agreement.

Generally, if an executive officer party to an Acadia Employment Agreement is terminated without cause or resigns with good reason, such executive is entitled to receive (subject to the satisfaction of certain conditions): (i) such executive s base salary through the termination date; (ii) any bonus amounts under such executive s Acadia Employment Agreement to which such executive is entitled determined by reference to the calendar that ended on or prior to the termination date; (iii) any unused and unpaid time off and sick pay accrued through the termination date and any incurred but unreimbursed business expenses as of the termination date; (iv) a prorated bonus amount for the calendar year in which the termination occurs; (v) certain bonus amounts, prorated based on the actual number of days elapsed in such year prior to the termination date; (vi) an amount equal to the cost of the premiums for continued health and dental insurance for the executive and/or his or her dependents in accordance with the Consolidated Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985 for a specified period; (vii) a specified severance payment; and (viii) solely with respect to Mr. Shear, the continued use of his leased automobile until the scheduled termination of the lease and the continued payment by Acadia of all related lease payments (collectively, the Termination Payments).

Cause (as defined in the Acadia Employment Agreements) means the occurrence of one or more of the following with respect to the applicable executive: (i) the conviction of or plea of nolo contendere to a felony or other crime involving moral turpitude or the conviction of any crime involving misappropriation, embezzlement or fraud with respect to Acadia or any of its subsidiaries or any of their customers, suppliers or other business relations, (ii) conduct outside the scope of such executive s duties and responsibilities under his/her Acadia Employment Agreement that causes Acadia or any of its subsidiaries substantial public disgrace or disrepute or economic harm, (iii) repeated failure to perform duties consistent with this Agreement as reasonably directed by the Acadia board of directors, (iv) any act or knowing omission aiding or abetting a competitor, supplier or customer of Acadia or any of its subsidiaries to the disadvantage or detriment of Acadia and its subsidiaries, (v) breach of fiduciary duty, gross negligence or willful misconduct with respect to Acadia or any of its subsidiaries, (vi) an administrative or other proceeding results in the suspension or debarment of such executive from participation in any contracts with, or programs of, the United States or any of the fifty states or any agency or department thereof, or (vii) any other material breach by such executive of his/her Acadia Employment Agreement or any other agreement between such executive and Acadia or any of its subsidiaries, which is not cured to the reasonable satisfaction of the Acadia board of directors within thirty (30) days after written notice thereof to such executive.

Good Reason (as defined in the Acadia Employment Agreements for executives other than Mr. Shear) means if the applicable executive resigns his/her employment with Acadia (a) as a result of one or more of the following actions (in each case taken without executive s written consent): (i) a reduction in such executive s base salary (other than as part of an across-the-board reduction that (A) results in a 10% or less reduction of such executive s base salary as in effect on the date of any such reduction or (B) is approved by the Chief Executive Officer of Acadia), (ii) a material diminution of such executive s job duties or responsibilities inconsistent with Executive s position; (iii) any other material breach by Acadia (or its successors) of such Acadia Employment Agreement; or (iv) a relocation of Acadia s principal executive offices and corporate headquarters outside of a thirty (30) mile radius of Nashville, Tennessee following relocation thereto in accordance with Section 1; provided that, none of the events described in clauses (i) through (iv) shall constitute Good Reason unless such executive shall have notified Acadia in writing describing the event which constitutes Good Reason within ninety (90) days after the occurrence of such event and then only if Acadia and its subsidiaries shall have failed to cure such event within thirty (30) days after Acadia s receipt of such written notice and such executive elects to terminate his employment as a result at the end of such thirty (30) day

period, or (b) for any reason within 180 days following a Sale of the LLC (as defined in the Acadia Holdings LLC Agreement). The merger does not constitute a Sale of the LLC (as defined in the Acadia Holdings LLC Agreement). For Mr. Shear, Good Reason (as defined in his Acadia Employment

Agreement) is defined as (A) a reduction in his base salary (other than as part of an across-the-board reduction that (1) results in a 10% or less reduction of such executive s base salary as in effect on the date of any such reduction or (2) is approved by the Chief Executive Officer of Acadia), (B) a material diminution of his job duties or responsibilities inconsistent with his position; (C) the failure by Acadia to nominate Mr. Shear to serve on the Acadia board of directors; or (D) any other material breach by Acadia (or its successors) of Mr. Shear s Acadia Employment Agreement; provided that, none of the events described in clauses (A) through (D) shall constitute Good Reason unless such executive shall have notified Acadia in writing describing the event which constitutes Good Reason within ninety (90) days after the occurrence of such event and then only if Acadia and its subsidiaries shall have failed to cure such event within thirty (30) days after Acadia s receipt of such written notice and such executive elects to terminate his employment as a result at the end of such thirty (30) day period.

If an executive officer party to an Acadia Employment Agreement dies or becomes disabled, such executive is entitled to the applicable Termination Payments (other than the severance payment contemplated under clause (vii) of the definition thereof). In the event that a senior executive becomes disabled not due to death, such executive shall be entitled to receive continued installment payments of such executive s base salary as in effect on the termination date for a specified period of time.

If Acadia terminates an executive under an Acadia Employment Agreement for cause or if any such executive resigns without good reason, such executive will only be entitled to receive his or her unpaid base salary through the termination date and any bonus amount to which such executive is entitled by reference to the calendar year that ended on or prior to the termination date.

During the term of the Acadia Employment Agreement for each executive officer (other than Mr. Shear) and for one year thereafter (or 24 months thereafter in the case of Mr. Jacobs), each such executive is prohibited from (i) directly or indirectly managing, controlling, consulting, rendering services for or participating, engaging or owning an interest in any business which derives 25% of its gross revenue from the business of providing behavioral healthcare and/or related services and (ii) directly or indirectly managing, controlling, rendering services for or participating or consulting with any unit, division, segment or subsidiary of any other business that engages in or otherwise competes with (or was organized for the purpose of engaging in or competing with) the business of providing behavioral healthcare and/or related services, subject to certain exceptions. Each such executive is prohibited from directly or indirectly soliciting or hiring any employee or independent contractor of Acadia or directly or indirectly soliciting any customer, supplier, licensee, licensor or other business relation of Acadia during the employment period and for 12 months thereafter. The non-compete provisions to which Mr. Shear will be subject under his Acadia Employment Agreement shall terminate on the lesser of (i) 24 months and (ii) the number of months remaining until the expiration of his employment term (but in no event less than 12 months), calculated from the date of his termination of service. In addition, the executive officers party to an Acadia Employment Agreement are (or will be) subject to customary confidentiality and non-disparagement obligations both during and following their employment with Acadia.

2011 Incentive Plan

In connection with the merger, we expect to adopt a 2011 Incentive Plan, or the 2011 Incentive Plan. The 2011 Incentive Plan is expected to provide for grants of stock options, stock appreciation rights, restricted stock, other stock-based awards and other cash-based. Directors, officers and other employees of us and our subsidiaries, as well as others performing consulting or advisory services for us, will be eligible for grants under the 2011 Incentive Plan. The purpose of the 2011 Incentive Plan will be to provide incentives that will attract, retain and motivate high performing officers, directors, employees and consultants by providing them a proprietary interest in our long-term success or compensation based on their performance in fulfilling their responsibilities to our company. The specific terms of the 2011 Incentive Plan are still being finalized. Set forth below is a summary of the material terms of the 2011 Incentive Plan based on our current discussions. This summary is preliminary and may not include all of the

provisions of the 2011 Incentive Plan. For further information about the 2011 Incentive Plan, we refer you to the complete copy of the 2011 Incentive Plan, which we will file as an exhibit to the registration statement.

Administration. The 2011 Incentive Plan will be administered by a committee designated by our board of directors. Among the committee s powers will be to determine the form, amount and other terms and conditions of awards; clarify, construe or resolve any ambiguity in any provision of the 2011 Incentive Plan or any award agreement; amend the terms of outstanding awards; and adopt such rules, forms, instruments and guidelines for administering the 2011 Incentive Plan as it deems necessary or proper. The committee will have full authority to administer and interpret the 2011 Incentive Plan, to grant discretionary awards under the 2011 Incentive Plan, to determine the persons to whom awards will be granted, to determine the types of awards to be granted, to determine the terms and conditions of each award, to determine the number of shares of common stock to be covered by each award, to make all other determinations in connection with the 2011 Incentive Plan and the awards thereunder as the committee deems necessary or desirable and to delegate authority under the 2011 Incentive Plan to our executive officers.

Available Shares. The aggregate number of shares of common stock which may be issued or used for reference purposes under the 2011 Incentive Plan or with respect to which awards may be granted may not exceed shares. The number of shares available for issuance under the 2011 Incentive Plan may be subject to adjustment in the event of a reorganization, stock split, merger or similar change in the corporate structure or the number of outstanding shares of our common stock. In the event of any of these occurrences, we may make any adjustments we consider appropriate to, among other things, the number and kind of shares, options or other property available for issuance under the plan or covered by grants previously made under the plan. The shares available for issuance under the plan may be, in whole or in part, either authorized and unissued shares of our common stock or shares of common stock held in or acquired for our treasury. In general, if awards under the 2011 Incentive Plan are for any reason cancelled, or expire or terminate unexercised, the shares covered by such awards may again be available for the grant of awards under the 2011 Incentive Plan.

Eligibility for Participation. Members of our board of directors, as well as employees of, and consultants to, us or any of our subsidiaries and affiliates will be eligible to receive awards under the 2011 Incentive Plan.

Award Agreement. Awards granted under the 2011 Incentive Plan will be evidenced by award agreements, which need not be identical, that provide additional terms, conditions, restrictions or limitations covering the grant of the award, including, without limitation, additional terms providing for the acceleration of exercisability or vesting of awards in the event of a change of control or conditions regarding the participant s employment, as determined by the committee.

Stock Options. The committee may grant nonqualified stock options and incentive stock options to purchase shares of our common stock only to eligible employees. The committee will determine the number of shares of our common stock subject to each option, the term of each option, which may not exceed ten years, or five years in the case of an incentive stock option granted to a 10% or greater stockholder, the exercise price, the vesting schedule, if any, and the other material terms of each option. No incentive stock option or nonqualified stock option may have an exercise price less than the fair market value of a share of our common stock at the time of grant or, in the case of an incentive stock option granted to a 10% or greater stockholder, 110% of such share s fair market value. Options will be exercisable at such time or times and subject to such terms and conditions as determined by the committee at grant and the exercisability of such options may be accelerated by the committee.

Stock Appreciation Rights. The committee may grant stock appreciation rights, or SARs, either with a stock option, which may be exercised only at such times and to the extent the related option is exercisable, or Tandem SAR, or independent of a stock option, or Non-Tandem SAR. A SAR is a right to receive a payment in shares of our common stock or cash, as determined by the committee, equal in value to the excess of the fair market value of one share of our common stock on the date of exercise over the exercise price per share established in connection with the grant of the SAR. The term of each SAR may not exceed ten years. The exercise price per share covered by an SAR will be the exercise price per share of the related option in the case of a Tandem SAR and will be the fair market value of our

common stock on the date of grant in the case of a Non-Tandem SAR. The committee may also grant limited SARs, either as Tandem SARs or Non-Tandem SARs, which may become exercisable only upon the occurrence of a change in control, as defined in the 2011 Incentive Plan, or such other event as the committee may designate at the time of grant or thereafter.

Restricted Stock. The committee may award shares of restricted stock. Except as otherwise provided by the committee upon the award of restricted stock, the recipient generally will have the rights of a stockholder with respect to the shares, including the right to receive dividends, the right to vote the shares of restricted stock and, conditioned upon full vesting of shares of restricted stock, the right to tender such shares, subject to the conditions and restrictions generally applicable to restricted stock or specifically set forth in the recipient s restricted stock agreement. The committee may determine at the time of award that the payment of dividends, if any, will be deferred until the expiration of the applicable restriction period. Recipients of restricted stock will be required to enter into a restricted stock agreement with us that states the restrictions to which the shares are subject, which may include satisfaction of pre-established performance goals, and the criteria or date or dates on which such restrictions will lapse. If the grant of restricted stock or the lapse of the relevant restrictions is based on the attainment of performance goals, the committee will establish for each recipient the applicable performance goals, formulae or standards and the applicable vesting percentages with reference to the attainment of such goals or satisfaction of such formulae or standards while the outcome of the performance goals are substantially uncertain. Such performance goals may incorporate provisions for disregarding, or adjusting for, changes in accounting methods, corporate transactions, including, without limitation, dispositions and acquisitions, and other similar events or circumstances. Section 162(m) of the Internal Revenue Code requires that performance awards be based upon objective performance measures. The performance goals for performance-based restricted stock will be based on one or more of the objective criteria set forth on Exhibit A to the 2011 Incentive Plan and are discussed in general below.

Other Stock-Based Awards. The committee may, subject to limitations under applicable law, make a grant of such other stock-based awards, including, without limitation, performance units, dividend equivalent units, stock equivalent units, restricted stock and deferred stock units under the 2011 Incentive Plan that are payable in cash or denominated or payable in or valued by shares of our common stock or factors that influence the value of such shares. The committee may determine the terms and conditions of any such other awards, which may include the achievement of certain minimum performance goals for purposes of compliance with Section 162(m) of the Code and a minimum vesting period. The performance goals for performance-based other stock-based awards will be based on one or more of the objective criteria set forth on Exhibit A to the 2011 Incentive Plan and discussed in general below.

Other Cash-Based Awards. The committee may grant awards payable in cash. Cash-based awards shall be in such form, and dependent on such conditions, as the committee shall determine, including, without limitation, being subject to the satisfaction of vesting conditions or awarded purely as a bonus and not subject to restrictions or conditions. If a cash-based award is subject to vesting conditions, the committee may accelerate the vesting of such award in its discretion.

Performance Awards. The committee may grant a performance award to a participant payable upon the attainment of specific performance goals. The committee may grant performance awards that are intended to qualify as performance-based compensation under Section 162(m) of the Code as well as performance awards that are not intended to qualify as performance-based compensation under Section 162(m) of the Code. If the performance award is payable in cash, it may be paid upon the attainment of the relevant performance goals either in cash or in shares of restricted stock, based on the then current fair market value of such shares, as determined by the committee. Based on service, performance or other factors or criteria, the committee may, at or after grant, accelerate the vesting of all or any part of any performance award.

Performance Goals. The committee may grant awards of restricted stock, performance awards, and other stock-based awards that are intended to qualify as performance-based compensation for purposes of Section 162(m) of the Code. These awards may be granted, vest and be paid based on attainment of specified performance goals established by the committee. These performance goals may be based on the attainment of a certain target level of, or a specified increase or decrease in, one or more of the following measures selected by the committee: (1) earnings per share; (2) operating income; (3) gross income; (4) net income, before or after taxes; (5) cash flow; (6) gross profit; (7) gross

profit return on investment; (8) gross margin return on investment; (9) gross margin; (10) operating margin; (11) working capital; (12) earnings before interest and taxes; (13) earnings before interest, tax, depreciation and amortization; (14) return on equity; (15) return on assets; (16) return on capital; (17) return on invested capital; (18) net revenues; (19) gross revenues; (20) revenue growth, as to either gross or net revenues; (21) annual recurring

net or gross revenues; (22) recurring net or gross revenues; (23) license revenues; (24) sales or market share; (25) total shareholder return; (26) economic value added; (27) specified objectives with regard to limiting the level of increase in all or a portion of our bank debt or other long-term or short-term public or private debt or other similar financial obligations, which may be calculated net of cash balances and other offsets and adjustments as may be established by the committee; (28) the fair market value of the a share of common stock; (29) the growth in the value of an investment in the common stock assuming the reinvestment of dividends; (30) reduction in operating expenses or (31) other objective criteria determined by the committee.

To the extent permitted by law, the committee may also exclude the impact of an event or occurrence which the committee determines should be appropriately excluded, such as (1) restructurings, discontinued operations, extraordinary items and other unusual or non-recurring charges; (2) an event either not directly related to our operations or not within the reasonable control of management; or (3) a change in accounting standards required by generally accepted accounting principles. Performance goals may also be based on an individual participant s performance goals, as determined by the committee. In addition, all performance goals may be based upon the attainment of specified levels of our performance, or the performance of a subsidiary, division or other operational unit, under one or more of the measures described above relative to the performance of other corporations. The committee may designate additional business criteria on which the performance goals may be based or adjust, modify or amend those criteria.

Change in Control. In connection with a change in control, as will be defined in the 2011 Incentive Plan, the committee may accelerate vesting of outstanding awards under the 2011 Incentive Plan. In addition, such awards may be, in the discretion of the committee, (1) assumed and continued or substituted in accordance with applicable law; (2) purchased by us for an amount equal to the excess of the price of a share of our common stock paid in a change in control over the exercise price of the awards; or (3) cancelled if the price of a share of our common stock paid in a change in control is less than the exercise price of the award. The committee may also provide for accelerated vesting or lapse of restrictions of an award at any time.

Stockholder Rights. Except as otherwise provided in the applicable award agreement, and with respect to an award of restricted stock, a participant will have no rights as a stockholder with respect to shares of our common stock covered by any award until the participant becomes the record holder of such shares.

Amendment and Termination. Notwithstanding any other provision of the 2011 Incentive Plan, our board of directors may at any time amend any or all of the provisions of the 2011 Incentive Plan, or suspend or terminate it entirely, retroactively or otherwise; provided, however, that, unless otherwise required by law or specifically provided in the 2011 Incentive Plan, the rights of a participant with respect to awards granted prior to such amendment, suspension or termination may not be adversely affected without the consent of such participant.

Transferability. Awards granted under the 2011 Incentive Plan generally will be nontransferable, other than by will or the laws of descent and distribution, except that the committee may provide for the transferability of nonqualified stock options at the time of grant or thereafter to certain family members.

Recoupment of Awards. The 2011 Incentive Plan will provide that awards granted under the 2011 Incentive Plan are subject to any recoupment policy we may regarding the clawback of incentive-based compensation under the Exchange Act or under any applicable rules and regulations promulgated by the SEC.

Effective Date. We expect that the 2011 Incentive Plan will be adopted in connection with the merger.

Board of Directors Report

The full Acadia board of directors has reviewed and discussed the Compensation Discussion and Analysis required by Item 402(b)(1) of Regulation S-K with management and, based on such review and discussions, has recommended that the Compensation Discussion and Analysis be included in this proxy statement/prospectus.

THE ACADIA HEALTHCARE COMPANY, INC. BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Joey A. Jacobs
Reeve B. Waud
Charles E. Edwards
Matthew A. London
Gary A. Mecklenburg

Executive Compensation Tables

Summary Compensation Table

The table below summarizes the total compensation earned by Mr. Carter for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2010 as Mr. Carter was the only NEO employed by Acadia during fiscal year 2010 that is expected to be an executive officer of Acadia following consummation of the merger.

Name and Principal Position	Fiscal Year	Base Salary ($)	Bonus ($)(2)	Stock Awards ($)	Option Awards ($)	Non-Equity Incentive Plan Compensation ($)	Change in Pension Value and Non-Qualified Deferred Compensation Earnings ($)	All Other Compensation ($)(4)	Total ($)
Trey Carter(1)	2010	317,119	222,232	(3)				4,579	543,930

(1) Mr. Carter served as Acadia s Chief Executive Officer from May 2007 until February 2011. In February 2011, he was appointed as a Co-President of Acadia and will serve in such capacity following the merger.

(2) Bonus amounts were earned in fiscal year 2010 and paid in fiscal year 2011.

(3) Mr. Carter received a grant of 6,500 shares of Class B Common Units and 400 shares of Class B Preferred Units in fiscal 2010. The grant date fair value of such rewards was determined to be de minimis. These awards vest only upon certain change of control events.

(4) Acadia allows employees to cash-in up to 40 hours of accrued vacation time payable at 75% of its accrued value.

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The table below summarizes the total compensation earned by Mr. Shear from PHC during its fiscal years ended June 30, 2011, 2010 and 2009.

Name and Principal Position	Fiscal Year	Base Salary ($)	Bonus ($)	Stock Awards ($)	Option Awards ($)(2)	Non-Equity Incentive Plan Compensation ($)	Change in Pension Value and Non-Qualified Deferred Compensation Earnings ($)	All Other Compensation ($)	Total ($)
Bruce A. Shear(1)	2011	516,650	49,000		10,760			40,656(3)	617,066
	2010	468,369	49,000		17,199			22,719(4)	557,287
	2009	453,846			42,648			13,685(5)	510,179

(1) Mr. Shear has served (and currently serves) as the President, Chief Executive Officer of PHC since 1980. It is anticipated that he will serve as the Executive Vice Chairman and a member of the Acadia board of directors after consummation of the merger.

(2) These amounts represent the aggregate grant date fair value of stock option awards granted during the fiscal year.

(3) This amount represents $11,497 contributed by PHC to PHC s Executive Employee Benefit Plan on behalf of Mr. Shear, $13,154 in premiums paid by PHC with respect to life and disability insurance for the benefit of Mr. Shear, $2,955 in personal use of a company car used by Mr. Shear and $13,050 intrinsic value of stock options exercised by Mr. Shear.

(4) This amount represents $9,837 contributed by PHC to PHC s Executive Employee Benefit Plan on behalf of Mr. Shear, $3,520 in premiums paid by PHC with respect to life and disability insurance for the benefit of Mr. Shear and $9,362 in personal use of a company car used by Mr. Shear.

(5) This amount represents $8,894 contributed by PHC to PHC s Executive Employee Benefit Plan on behalf of Mr. Shear, $3,706 in premiums paid by PHC with respect to life and disability insurance for the benefit of Mr. Shear and $1,085 in personal use of a company car used by Mr. Shear.

Grant of Plan-Based Awards

The table below summarizes grants of incentive plan awards to each of Acadia s NEOs for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2010:

Estimated Future

Name	Grant Date	Estimated Future Payouts Under Non-Equity Incentive Plan Awards(1) Threshold ($)	Target ($)	Maximum ($)	Payouts Under Equity Incentive Plan Awards (#)(2)	All Other Stock Awards: Number of Shares of Stock or Units (#)	Grant Date Fair Value of Stock Awards ($)(3)
Trey Carter	1/4/2010				6,500(4)		0
	1/4/2010				400(4)		0
	2/24/2011		126,990	203,183			
	1/4/2010		40,000				

(1) See Compensation Discussion and Analysis Intended Objectives of Acadia s Executive Compensation Program; Elements of Compensation Cash Bonuses for a discussion of Acadia s annual incentive plan.

(2) All of the equity incentive plans awards granted in the fiscal year are performance based awards that would have vested upon the occurrence of a Change of Control (as defined in the Prior LLC Agreement) in which Waud Capital Partners achieves a targeted internal rate of return. All of these awards were reclassified into Class B Units in connection with Acadia Holdings entry into the Acadia Holdings LLC Agreement on April 1, 2011.

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(3) The grant date fair value of the awards reflected in this column was determined to be de minimis. There awards were subject to vesting only upon certain change of control events.

(4) Represents 6,500 Class B Common Units and 400 Class B Preferred Units of Acadia Holdings, which were reclassified into Class B Units of Acadia Holdings on April 1, 2011.

PHC made no incentive plan awards to Mr. Shear during its fiscal year ended June 30, 2011.

Outstanding Equity Awards at Fiscal Year-End

The table below summarizes Acadia Holdings equity awards outstanding for Mr. Carter as of December 31, 2010:

Name	**Grant Date**	**Equity Incentive Plan Awards: Number of Unearned Shares, Units or Other Rights That Have Not Vested (#)**	**Equity Incentive Plan Awards: Market or Payout Value of Unearned Shares, Units or Other Rights That Have Not Vested ($)**
Trey Carter(1)	1/4/2010	6,500(1)	$ 1,302,000
	1/4/2010	400(1)	800,000

(1) Represents Class B Common Units and Class B Preferred Units of Acadia Holdings, which were reclassified into Class B Units of Acadia Holdings on April 1, 2011.

The following table provides information about PHC options outstanding, held by Mr. Shear as of PHC s fiscal year ended June 30, 2011:

Name	**Number of Securities Underlying Unexercised Options (#) Exercisable**	**Number of Securities Underlying Unexercised Options (#) Unexercisable**	**Option Exercise Price ($)**	**Option Expiration Date**
Bruce A. Shear	15,000		2.06	10/14/12
	15,000		2.95	10/31/12

20,000		2.90	11/14/12
20,000		2.75	2/18/13
50,000		1.25	11/28/13
15,000	5,000(1)	1.20	6/15/14
7,500	7,500(2)	1.08	12/14/14
7,500	7,500(2)	1.08	12/14/14

(1) The additional 5,000 unvested options are scheduled to vest on June 15, 2012.

(2) The additional 15,000 unvested options are scheduled to vest 7,500 on December 14, 2011 and 7,500 on December 14, 2012.

Options Exercised and Stock Vested

None of the units of Acadia Holdings issued to Mr. Carter prior to April 2011 were subject to any vesting.

During PHC s fiscal year ended June 30, 2011, Mr. Shear exercised options for 15,000 shares, realizing a value of $13,050 upon exercise.

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Pension Benefits

Neither Acadia nor PHC offered any pension benefits to any of NEO for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2010 or June 30, 2011, as applicable.

Non-qualified Deferred Compensation

Neither Acadia nor PHC have any non-qualified deferred compensation plans. We do not intend to adopt any non-qualified deferred compensation after consummation of the merger.

Potential Payments upon Termination or Change-in-Control

The equity agreements pursuant to which Acadia Holdings issued units of Acadia Holdings to certain members of Acadia management provide for potential payments that could be received by the NEOs employed by Acadia upon termination of employment or in connection with a Sale of Acadia. Consummation of the merger will not trigger a change-in-control payment under such agreements.

PHC has entered into a change-in-control arrangement with Mr. Shear. The arrangement calls for Mr. Shear, in the event of a change in control, to receive payment of his average annual salary for the past five years times a multiplier of 2.99, as set by PHC s compensation committee. The proposed merger constitutes a change in control under Mr. Shear s change-in-control arrangements with PHC. Assuming a June 30, 2011 closing date for the merger, Mr. Shear would have been entitled to a change-in-control payment of $1,529,951 under his change-in-control arrangement.

Name	Element	For Cause ($)	Not for Cause ($)	Termination Following Change-in-Control ($)	Death or Disability ($)	Retirement ($)
Trey Carter	Salary		317,474			
	Bonus					
	Benefits					
	Acadia Holdings Units			2,102,000		
	Totals					
Bruce A. Shear(2)	Salary			1,529,951	519,000	
	Bonus					
	Benefits				1,490,948(3)	
	Stock Options					
	Totals			1,529,951	2,009,948	

(1) Amounts set forth in this table for Mr. Carter assume that the triggering event occurred as of December 31, 2010. They do not take into account any amounts to which Mr. Carter may be entitled under his Acadia Employment Agreement, which he entered into on March 29, 2011.

(2) Amounts set forth in this table for Mr. Shear assume that the triggering occurred as of June 30, 2011. They do not take into account any amounts to which Mr. Shear may be entitled under his Acadia Employment Agreement which he entered into on May 23, 2011.

(3) In the event of disability, Mr. Shear would have been entitled to receive a disability benefit of $990,948 paid out over four years. In the event of his death, Mr. Shear s survivors would have received a $500,000 death benefit under a PHC paid life insurance policy.

Mr. Shear entered into an Acadia Employment Agreement (as discussed above in Acadia Employment Agreements) in connection with the merger.

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Director Compensation

For fiscal 2010, Mr. Mecklenburg received a payment of $5,000 per month for serving as a manager of Acadia Healthcare Company, LLC. The other managers of Acadia Healthcare Company, LLC (including Messrs. Waud, Edwards and London) did not receive any fees for attending meetings.

The following table sets forth a summary of the compensation paid to Mr. Mecklenburg for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2010:

Director	Fees Earned or Paid in Cash ($)	Stock Awards ($)	All Other Compensation ($)	Total ($)
Mr. Mecklenburg	$ 60,000			$ 60,000

In fiscal 2011, Mr. Grieco received the following compensation from PHC as a director:

Director	Fees Earned or Paid in Cash ($)	Option Awards ($)(1)	All Other Compensation ($)	Total ($)
Mr. Grieco	$ 27,000	23,432	17,300(2)	$ 67,732

(1) This amount represents the aggregate grant date fair value of stock option awards granted during the fiscal year.

(2) This amount represents the intrinsic value of stock options exercised.

As of June 30, 2011, Mr. Grieco had 195,000 outstanding PHC stock options, 162,500 of which had vested.

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ACADIA BUSINESS DESCRIPTION

As used in this Acadia Business Description and in the Acadia Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operation, Acadia Principal Stockholders and Acadia Interested Transactions sections, unless otherwise set forth herein, references to we, us, and our refer to Acadia and its subsidiaries after acquisition of YFCS but prior to consummation of the merger.

Overview

Founded in December 2005, Acadia is a leading provider of behavioral health care services in the United States. Acadia operates 19 inpatient behavioral health care facilities in 13 states. On April 1, 2011, Acadia acquired Youth & Family Centered Services, Inc. (YFCS), the largest private, for-profit provider of behavioral health, education and long term support services exclusively for abused and neglected children and adolescents. YFCS services include residential treatment care, community-based services, acute care, specialized education services, therapeutic group homes, therapeutic foster care and medical and behavioral services.

For the year ended December 31, 2010 and the quarter ended June 30, 2011, on a pro forma basis giving effect to the YFCS acquisition, we generated revenues of $248.7 million and $128.6 million, respectively. As of August 1, 2011, we operated 19 facilities, including six inpatient psychiatric facilities that provide acute care services, 13 inpatient facilities that provide resident treatment care, eight facilities that provide community based services and one substance abuse facility.

History and Acquisitions

Acadia was formed in 2005 by Waud Capital Partners (WCP) as a behavioral health company to acquire, develop and operate behavioral health facilities. Acadia has grown both organically and through acquisitions. Key acquisitions since 2008 include:

Youth & Family Centered Services, Inc. (2011) largest private, for-profit provider of behavioral health, education and long term support services exclusively for abused and neglected children and adolescents. YFCS had 12 active operations in eight states, over 100 clinical programs and served over 4,300 infants, children and adolescents at the time of its acquisition by Acadia.

Peninsula Village (2009) 145-bed residential treatment center located in Louisville, Tennessee.

Acadiana Addiction Center (2009) 42-bed substance abuse facility located in Lafayette, Louisiana.

Riverwoods (2008) 55-bed inpatient psychiatric facility located in Atlanta, Georgia.

Acadia was formed as a limited liability company in the State of Delaware in 2005. Our principal executive offices are located at 830 Crescent Centre Drive, Suite 610, Franklin, Tennessee 37067. Our telephone number is (615) 861-6000.

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Types of Facilities and Services

Our facilities and services can generally be classified into the following categories: acute inpatient psychiatric facilities; residential treatment centers; group home, therapeutic group home and foster care; substance abuse centers; outpatient community-based services; specialized educational services and other behavioral services. The table below presents the percentage of our total net revenue (on an a pro forma basis giving effect to Acadia s acquisition of YFCS) attributed to each facility or service category for the year ended December 31, 2010:

Facility/Service	Percentage of Net Revenue for the Year Ended December 31, 2010 (Unaudited)
Inpatient facilities/acute care	19.9%
Residential treatment centers	43.0%
Group home, therapeutic group home and foster care	3.2%
Substance abuse facilities	1.5%
Community-based services	27.2%
Specialized educational services	4.7%
Other behavioral services	0.5%

Acute Inpatient Psychiatric Facilities

Acute inpatient psychiatric facilities provide a high level of care in order to stabilize patients that are either a threat to themselves or to others. The acute setting provides 24-hour observation, daily intervention and monitoring by psychiatrists. Generally, due to high patient turnover and the special security and health precautions required, acute psychiatric hospitals have lower average occupancy.

Our facilities which offer acute care services provide evaluation and crisis stabilization of patients with severe psychiatric diagnoses through a medical model delivery that incorporates structured and intensive medical and behavioral therapies with 24-hour monitoring by a psychiatrist, psychiatric trained nurses and direct care staff. Lengths of stay for crisis stabilization and acute care range in these facilities range from three to five days and from five to twelve days, respectively.

As of August 1, 2011, we operated six facilities that provide acute care services in addition to other services.

Residential Treatment Centers

Residential treatment centers treat psychiatric patients in a non-hospital setting. The facilities balance therapy activities with social, academic and other activities. Since the setting is less intensive, demands on staffing, security and oversight are generally lower than inpatient psychiatric facilities. In contrast to acute care psychiatric facilities, occupancy can be managed more easily given a longer length of stay. Over time, however, residential treatment centers have continued to serve increasingly severe patients who would have been treated in acute care facilities in earlier years.

We provide residential treatment care through a medical model residential treatment facility, which offers intensive, medically-driven interventions, intense staff-to-patient ratios and sophisticated treatment regimens designed to deal

with the high level of patient acuity and dysfunction. Children and adolescents admitted to these facilities typically have had multiple prior failed treatment attempts, histories of severe physical, sexual and emotional abuse, termination of parental custody, substance abuse, marked deficiencies in social, interpersonal and academic skills and a wide range of multiple psychiatric disorders. Treatment typically is provided by an interdisciplinary team coordinating psychopharmacological, individual, group and family therapy along with specialized accredited educational programs in both secure and unlocked environments. Lengths-of-stay range from three months to several years.

As of August 1, 2011, we operated 13 facilities that provide residential treatment care, in addition to other services.

Group Home, Therapeutic Group Homes and Foster Care

Our group-home programs provide family-style living for approximately four to 12 youths in a single house or apartment within residential communities where supervision and support are provided by 24-hour staff. The goal of a group home program is to teach family living and social skills through individual and group counseling sessions within a real life environment. The residents are encouraged to take on responsibility for the home and their health as well as actively take part in community functions. Most attend an accredited and licensed school (on our premises) or a local public school in their area.

We also operate therapeutic group homes which provide comprehensive treatment services for serious, emotionally disturbed adolescents. The ultimate goal is to reunite or place these children with their families or prepare them, when appropriate, for permanent placement with a relative or an adoptive family. Therapeutic foster care is considered the least restrictive form of therapeutic placement for children and adolescents with emotional disorders who often are part of the child welfare or juvenile justice system. Care is delivered in private homes with experienced foster parents who are trained to work with children and adolescents with special needs.

As of August 1, 2011, we operated two facilities that provide group home services and one facility that provides therapeutic group home services.

Substance Abuse Centers

Substance abuse centers (or SACs) provide a comprehensive continuum of care for male and female adults with addictive disorders and co-occurring mental disorders. Our detox, inpatient, partial hospitalization and outpatient treatment options are cost-effective and give patients access to the least restrictive level of care. All programs offer individualized treatment in a supportive and nurturing environment. As of August 1, 2011, we operated one SAC.

Outpatient Community-Based Services

Our community-based services can be divided into two age groups: children and adolescents (seven to 18 years of age) and young children (three months to six years of age). Community-based programs are designed to provide therapeutic treatment to children and adolescents who have a clinically-defined emotional, psychiatric or chemical dependency disorder while enabling the youth to remain at home and within their community. Many patients who participate in community-based programs have transitioned out of a residential facility or have a disorder that does not require placement in a facility that provides 24-hour care.

Community-based programs developed for these age groups provide a unique array of therapeutic services to a very high-risk population of children. These children suffer from severe congenital, neurobiological, speech/motor and early onset psychiatric disorders. These services are provided in clinics and employ a treatment model that is consistent with our multi, interdisciplinary medical treatment approach. Depending on their individual needs and treatment plan, children receive speech, physical, occupational and psychiatric interventions that are coordinated with services provided by their referring primary care physician. The children receive treatment from 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. five days a week.

As of August 1, 2011, we operated eight facilities that provide community-based services.

Specialized Education Services

Our accredited grammar, middle and high schools (including charter schools) are unique because of their focus on integrating educational interventions into each child s individual treatment plan through participation in

inter-disciplinary treatment team meetings to assist in monitoring and reporting on each child s clinical progress.

Our education programs are accredited schools that provide a full educational experience to children and adolescents having special education needs. In some states, we provide educational services on an extended school year basis. As a result of the YFCS acquisition, we now also have charter schools that utilize teaching methods that address therapeutic needs particular to learning and behavioral deficits of the students.

Our education services also include vocational education and training that may allow those residents to become employable in entry level positions in the communities in which they reside. GED preparation courses are

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also offered for students who require assistance in developing test-taking skills and who would benefit from tutoring services.

As of August 1, 2011, we operated 11 facilities that provide educational services.

Other Behavioral Services

We also offer a variety of other behavioral health services for specialized populations who need specific treatment methods. Programs include at risk infant and children clinics, sexually maladaptive behavior (SMB) programs, programs for adolescent females, programs for the mentally retarded and developmentally disabled youth and programs for severe and persistently mentally ill youths.

Business Strengths

We believe the following strengths differentiate us from our competitors and contribute to our success:

Premier Operational Management Team with Track Record of Success

Our management team has 135 combined years of experience in acquiring, integrating and operating a variety of behavioral facilities. Following the sale of PSI to UHS in November 2010, PSI s former executive officers joined Acadia in February 2011. The combination of the Acadia management team with the operational expertise of the former PSI management team gives us what we believe to be the premier leadership team in the behavioral health care industry. The new management team will bring its years of experience operating behavioral health facilities, generating strong cash flow and growing a strong business.

Favorable industry and legislative trends

Health reform and the expansion of health insurance coverage may increase the number of patients seeking behavioral health services as payment issues are the primary reasons for people not seeking mental health and substance abuse treatment.

Expanded coverage should reduce uncollectible accounts receivable.

The Paul Wellstone and Pete Domenici Mental Health Parity and Addiction Equity Act of 2008 (the MHPAEA) provides for equal coverage between psychiatric or mental health services and conventional medical health services and forbids employers and insurers from placing stricter limits on mental health care compared to other health conditions.

Expanded coverage has in turn increased awareness and acceptance of mental health and substance abuse diseases.

Mental health and substance abuse treatment in the United States is projected to grow from approximately $121 billion in 2003 to approximately $239 billion in 2014 at a compound annual growth rate of approximately 6.4%.

Approximately 6% of people in the United States suffer from a seriously debilitating mental illness and over 20% of children, either currently or at some point during their life, have had a seriously debilitating mental disorder.

Leading Platform in Highly Attractive Healthcare Niche

Upon our acquisition of YFCS, we became one of the largest providers of behavioral health care services in the United States. Our scale positions us well, as the industry itself is undergoing consolidation in an effort to reduce costs and better negotiate with larger payer organizations. In addition, the behavioral health care industry has significant barriers to entry as it is highly specialized and regulated. Significant capital requirements are required and market entrants are expected to have knowledge of state and federal laws, medical facility operations and be licensed with each agency in each location.

Diversified Revenue and Payor Bases

After giving effect to the YFCS acquisition, we now operate 19 facilities in 13 states. The YFCS acquisition increased our payor, patient/client and geographic diversity, which mitigates the potential risk associated with any single facility. On a pro forma basis giving effect to the YFCS acquisition, our largest facility accounted for less than 15% of 2010 revenue and no other facility accounted for more than 11% of total facility revenue. Such increased diversity also mitigates the impact of any financial or budgetary pressure that may arise in a particular state in which we operate a facility, with no state accounting for more than 20% of revenue on a pro forma basis giving effect to the YFCS acquisition.

Business Strategy

We are committed to providing the communities we serve with high quality, cost-effective behavioral health services, while growing our business, increasing profitability and creating long-term value for our stockholders. To achieve these objectives, we have aligned our activities around the following growth strategies:

Increase Margins by Enhancing Programs and Improving Underperforming Facilities

We believe we can improve efficiencies and increase operating margins by utilizing our management s expertise and experience within existing programs and their expertise in improving performance at underperforming facilities. We believe the efficiencies can be realized by investing in growth in strong markets, addressing capital constrained facilities that have underperformed and improving management systems. Furthermore, the YFCS acquisition gives us an opportunity to develop a national marketing strategy in many markets which should help to increase the geographic footprint from which our existing facilities attract patients and referrals.

Opportunistically Pursue Acquisitions

We selectively seek opportunities to expand and diversify our base of operations by acquiring additional facilities. The combination of Acadia and YFCS creates a national platform to become the leading dedicated provider of high quality behavioral health care services in the U.S. We intend to focus our efforts on acquiring additional acute psychiatric facilities, which should increase the percentage of such facilities in our portfolio. We leverage our management team s expertise to identify and integrate acquisitions based on a disciplined acquisition strategy that focuses on quality of service, return on investment, and strategic benefits.

Drive Organic Growth of Existing Facilities

We seek to increase revenue at our facilities by providing a broader range of services to new and existing patients and clients. The YFCS acquisition presents us with an opportunity to leverage YFCS platform in order to provide a wider array of behavioral health services (including adult services and acute services) to patients and clients in the markets YFCS serviced before the acquisition without increasing the number of our licensed beds. We also intend to increase licensed bed counts in our existing facilities, with a focus on increasing the number of acute psychiatric beds. Furthermore, we believe that opportunities exist to leverage out-of-state referrals to increase volume and minimize payor concentration, especially with respect to our youth and adolescent focused services and our substance abuse services.

Facilities

We currently own or operate inpatient psychiatric facilities, residential treatment centers, group homes, substance abuse facilities and facilities providing outpatient community based services, specialized education

services and various other outpatient behavioral health services. The following table summarizes the services provided at, and information regarding, our facilities as of August 1, 2011.

Facility	Acadia or YFCS Facility	Type of Facility or Key Services(1)	City	State	Certificate of Need State?	# of Licensed Beds	Owned/Leased
Vermillion	Acadia	IPF	Lafayette	LA	No	56	Leased
Abilene	Acadia	IPF	Abilene	TX	No	60	Owned
Riverwoods	Acadia	IPF	Riverdale	GA	Yes	55	Owned
Montana	Acadia	RTC	Butte	MT	Yes	68	Owned
The Village	Acadia	RTC	Louisville	TN	Yes	145	Leased
Acadiana	Acadia	SAC	Lafayette	LA	No	42	Leased
Casa Grande(2)	YFCS	RTC	Casa Grande	AZ	No	32	Owned
Parc Place	YFCS	RTC, ES	Chandler	AZ	No	87	Owned
Desert Hills	YFCS	AC, RTC, TFC, ES and CBS	Albuquerque	NM	No	100	Owned
Lakeland	YFCS	AC, RTC and ES	Springfield	MO	Yes	149	Owned
Milcreek-AR	YFCS	RTC, MR and ES	Fordyce	AR	Yes	172	Leased
Ascent	YFCS	MBS, ES and CBS	Jonesboro	AR	Yes	N/A	Owned
Milcreek-Pontotoc	YFCS	RTC, CBS and ES	Pontotoc	MS	Yes	51	Leased
Milcreek-Magee	YFCS	RTC, MR, TGH, CBS and ES	Magee	MS	Yes	205	Leased
PsychSolutions	YFCS	CBS	Miami	FL	Yes	N/A	Leased
Southwood	YFCS	AC, RTC, ES and CBS	Pittsburgh	PA	No	112	Owned
Options	YFCS	RTC, ES and GH	Indianapolis	IN	No	98	Leased
Resource	YFCS	RTC, CBS and ES	Indianapolis	IN	No	90	Leased
Resolute	YFCS	RTC, GH, ES and CBS	Indianapolis	IN	No	86	Leased

(1) The following definitions apply to the services listed in this column: IPF means inpatient psychiatric facility; RTC means residential treatment care; AC means acute care; GH means group home; TGH means therapeutic group home; CBS means community-based services; ES means specialized educational services; TFC means therapeutic foster care; MR means mentally retarded; MBS means medical and behavioral services; and SAC means substance abuse center.

(2) Scheduled to re-open fourth quarter 2011.

Sources of Revenue

We receive payments from the following sources, for services rendered in our facilities: (i) state governments under their respective Medicaid programs and otherwise; (ii) private insurers, including managed care plans; (iii) educational institutions; (iv) the federal government under the Medicare Program (Medicare) administered by the Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS); and (v) directly from other payors including individual patients and clients. For the fiscal year ended December 31, 2010, on a pro forma basis giving effect to the YFCS acquisition, approximately 63% of our revenue came from Medicaid, approximately 12% came from state governments, approximately 9% came from private insurers, approximately 9% came from educational institutions, approximately 5% came from Medicare and approximately 1% came directly from patients or clients.

Industry Overview

Mental Health Industry

According to the National Institute of Mental Health, 26.2% of Americans ages 18 or older, or slightly more than one in four adults, suffer from a diagnosable mental disorder in a given year and about 6% suffer from a serious mental illness. Approximately one in five children and adolescents has a mental disorder.

The mental health facilities and youth behavioral services market is estimated to be approximately $22 billion with an estimated 73 million people in the United States having diagnosable mental illnesses. The child and adolescent behavioral health services market is estimated to be approximately $10.1 billion in 2010 and is expected

to grow to approximately $11 billion by 2014 according to IBISWorld. This market is likely to expand in light of the growing under age of 18 population, which is expected to reach 81.7 million by 2020. National expenditures on mental health and substance abuse treatment are expected to reach $239 billion by 2014. The mental health and substance abuse centers industry is growing in response to an increased awareness of mental and substance abuse diseases. In 2010, the industry generated revenue of approximately $9.0 billion. In 2014, the industry is expected to generate revenue of approximately $10.2 billion according to IBISWorld. The behavioral health industry is highly fragmented, with only a few large national providers of significant scale. The industry is characterized by favorable supply and demand dynamics, with capacity reductions during the 1990s driving a sustained increase in occupancy rates.

The capacity reduction was largely driven by third-party payors reducing reimbursement, implementing more stringent admission criteria and decreasing the authorized length of stay. Since then, the supply of new beds has remained relatively stable as the industry has high barriers to entry, including CON restrictions, Medicare/Medicaid certification requirements and high start-up costs. Reduced capacity, mental health parity legislation (as discussed below in Regulation Mental Health Parity Legislation) and increased demand for behavioral healthcare services have resulted in favorable industry fundamentals over the last several years. The industry has been characterized by relatively stable pricing and inpatient average length of stay combined with increased admissions and occupancy trends, with minimal exposure to uncompensated care and relatively low maintenance capital expenditure requirements.

The growing acceptance of mental health and substance abuse conditions is expected to accelerate demand for services while healthcare reform is expected to increase access to industry services as more people gain insurance coverage. A key aspect of reform legislation is the extension of mental health parity protections established into law by the MHPAEA. Further, all health plans purchased through the new federally funded health insurance exchange system will cover mental health and substance abuse services on par with coverage for medical and surgical services. Notwithstanding the foregoing, healthcare reform makes a number of changes to Medicare and Medicaid that we believe may have an adverse impact on us. See Risk Factors Risks Affecting Acadia, PHC and the Combined Company We are subject to uncertainties regarding recent health care reform, which represents a significant change to the health care industry.

Regulation

Overview

The healthcare industry is subject to numerous laws, regulations and rules including, among others, those related to government healthcare participation requirements, various licensure and accreditations, reimbursement for patient services, health information privacy and security rules, and Medicare and Medicaid fraud and abuse provisions. Providers that are found to have violated any of these laws and regulations may be excluded from participating in government healthcare programs, subjected to significant fines or penalties and/or required to repay amounts received from the government for previously billed patient services. We believe we are in compliance with all applicable laws and regulations and are not aware of pending or threatened investigations involving allegations of wrongdoing. While no such regulatory inquiries have been made, compliance with such laws and regulations can be subject to future government review and interpretation, as well as significant regulatory action including fines, penalties and exclusion from government health programs.

Licensing and Certification

All of our facilities must comply with various federal, state and local statutes and regulations and receive periodic inspection by licensing agencies to assure compliance with such laws.

Certificates of Need

Many of the states in which we operate facilities have enacted CON laws as a condition prior to hospital capital expenditures, construction, expansion, modernization or initiation of major new services. Failure to obtain CON approval of certain activities can result in our inability to complete an acquisition, expansion or replacement, the imposition of civil or, in some cases, criminal sanctions, the inability to receive Medicare or Medicaid

reimbursement or the revocation of a facility s license, which could harm our business. In the past, we have not experienced any material adverse effects from those requirements, but we cannot predict the impact of these changes upon our operations.

Utilization Review

Federal regulations require that admissions and utilization of facilities by Medicare and Medicaid patients must be reviewed in order to ensure efficient utilization of facilities and services. The law and regulations require Quality Improvement Organizations (QIOs) to review the appropriateness of Medicare and Medicaid patient admissions and discharges, the quality of care provided, the validity of diagnosis related group classifications and the appropriateness of cases of length of stay. QIOs may deny payment for services provided, assess fines and also have the authority to recommend to the Department of Health and Human Services that a provider that is in substantial non-compliance with the Medicare Conditions of Participation be excluded from participating in the Medicare program.

Audits

Most healthcare facilities are subject to federal and state audits to validate the accuracy of claims submitted to the Medicare and Medicaid programs. If these audits identify overpayments, we could be required to make substantial repayments subject to various administrative appeal rights. Each of Acadia and YFCS has undergone claims audits related to its respective receipt of federal healthcare payments during the last several years with no material overpayments identified. However, potential liability from future federal or state audits could ultimately exceed established reserves, and any excess could potentially be substantial. Further, Medicare and Medicaid regulations also provide for withholding Medicare and Medicaid overpayments in certain circumstances, which could adversely affect our cash flow.

Anti-Kickback Legislation

A provision of the Social Security Act known as the anti-kickback statute prohibits healthcare providers and others from directly or indirectly soliciting, receiving, offering or paying money or other remuneration to other individuals and entities in return for using, referring, ordering, recommending or arranging for such referrals or orders of services or other items covered by a federal or state health care program. However, recent changes to the anti-kickback statute have reduced the intent required for violation. One is no longer required to have actual knowledge or specific intent to commit a violation of the anti-kickback statute in order to be found guilty of violating such law.

The anti-kickback statute contains certain exceptions, and the Office of the Inspector General of the Department of Health and Human Services (OIG) has issued regulations that provide for safe harbors, from the federal anti-kickback statute for various activities. The fact that conduct or a business arrangement does not fall within a safe harbor or exception does not automatically render the conduct or business arrangement illegal under the anti-kickback statute. However, such conduct and business arrangements may lead to increased scrutiny by government enforcement authorities.

Although we believe that our arrangements with physicians, psychiatrists and other referral sources have been structured to comply with current law and available interpretations, there can be no assurance that all arrangements comply with an available safe harbor or that regulatory authorities enforcing these laws will determine these financial arrangements do not violate the anti-kickback statute or other applicable laws. Violations of the anti-kickback statute may be punished by a criminal fine. Civil money penalties may also be imposed.

These laws and regulations are extremely complex and, in many cases, we do not have the benefit of regulatory or judicial interpretation. It is possible that different interpretations or enforcement of these laws and regulations could

subject our current or past practices (or those of Acadia or YFCS) to allegations of impropriety or illegality or could require us to make changes in our facilities, equipment, personnel, services, capital expenditure programs and operating expenses. A determination that we have violated one or more of these laws, or the public announcement that we are being investigated for possible violations of one or more of these laws, could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition or results of operations. In addition, we cannot predict whether other

legislation or regulations at the federal or state level will be adopted, what form such legislation or regulations may take or what their impact on us may be.

If we are deemed to have failed to comply with the anti-kickback statute or other applicable laws and regulations, we could be subjected to liabilities, including criminal penalties, civil penalties (including the loss of our licenses to operate one or more facilities), and exclusion of one or more facilities from participation in the Medicare, Medicaid and other federal and state health care programs. The imposition of such penalties could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition or results of operations.

Federal False Claims Act and Other Fraud and Abuse Provisions

The Social Security Act also imposes criminal and civil penalties for submitting false claims to Medicare and Medicaid. False claims include, but are not limited to, billing for services not rendered, billing for services without prescribed documentation, misrepresenting actual services rendered in order to obtain higher reimbursement and cost report fraud. Like the anti-kickback statute, these provisions are very broad.

Violations of the Federal False Claims Act are punishable by fines up to three times the actual damages sustained by the government, plus mandatory civil penalties. There are many potential bases for liability under the False Claims Act. Liability often arises when an entity knowingly submits a false claim for reimbursement to the federal government. The Fraud Enforcement and Recovery Act has expanded the number of actions for which liability may attach under the False Claims Act, eliminating requirements that false claims be presented to federal officials or directly involve federal funds. The Fraud Enforcement and Recovery Act also clarifies that a false claim violation occurs upon the knowing retention, as well as the receipt, of overpayments. In addition, recent changes to the anti-kickback statute have made violations of that law punishable under the civil False Claims Act. Further, a number of states have adopted their own false claims provisions as well as their own whistleblower provisions whereby a private party may file a civil lawsuit on behalf of the state in state court.

A current trend affecting the health care industry is the increased use of the federal False Claims Act, and, in particular, actions being brought by individuals on the government s behalf under the False Claims Act s qui tam, or whistleblower, provisions. Whistleblower provisions allow private individuals to bring actions on behalf of the government by alleging that the defendant has defrauded the Federal government.

Further, HIPAA broadened the scope of the fraud and abuse laws by adding several criminal provisions for health care fraud offenses that apply to all health benefit programs, whether or not payments under such programs are paid pursuant to federal programs. HIPAA also introduced enforcement mechanisms to prevent fraud and abuse in Medicare. There are civil penalties for prohibited conduct, including, but not limited to billing for medically unnecessary products or services.

HIPAA Administrative Simplification and Privacy Requirements

The administrative simplification provisions of HIPAA, as amended by the Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinical Health Act (HITECH), require the use of uniform electronic data transmission standards for health care claims and payment transactions submitted or received electronically. These provisions are intended to encourage electronic commerce in the health care industry. HIPAA also established federal rules protecting the privacy and security of personal health information. The privacy and security regulations address the use and disclosure of individual health care information and the rights of patients to understand and control how such information is used and disclosed. Violations of HIPAA can result in both criminal and civil fines and penalties.

The HIPAA security regulations require health care providers to implement administrative, physical and technical safeguards to protect the confidentiality, integrity and availability of patient information. HITECH has since strengthened certain HIPAA rules regarding the use and disclosure of protected health information, extended certain HIPAA provisions to business associates, and created new security breach notification requirements. HITECH has also increased maximum penalties for violations of HIPAA privacy rules. We believe that we have been in material compliance with the HIPAA regulations and continuously develop our policies and procedures to ensure ongoing compliance.

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Mental Health Parity Legislation

The MHPAEA was signed into law in October 2008. The MHPAEA requires health insurance plans that offer mental health and addiction coverage to provide that coverage on par with financial and treatment coverage offered for other illnesses. In addition, the law applies to Medicaid managed care plans, state Children s Health Insurance Program (CHIP) and group health plans that do not already cover mental health and substance abuse benefits. The MHPAEA has some limitations because health plans that do not already cover mental health treatments will not be required to do so, and health plans are not required to provide coverage for every mental health condition published in the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders by the American Psychiatric Association. The MHPAEA also contains a cost exemption which operates to exempt a group health plan from the MHPAEA s requirements if compliance with the MHPAEA becomes too costly.

The MHPAEA specifically directed the Secretaries of Labor, Health and Human Services and the Treasury to issue regulations to implement the legislation. Although regulations regarding how the MHPAEA was to be implemented were issued on February 2, 2010 in the form of an interim final rule, final regulations have not yet been published and interpretative guidance from the regulators has been limited to date.

Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act

The Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, as amended by the Health Care and Education Reconciliation Act of 2010 (collectively, the Health Reform Law), expands coverage of uninsured individuals and provides for significant reductions in the growth of Medicare program payments, material decreases in Medicare and Medicaid disproportionate share hospital payments, and the establishment of programs where reimbursement is tied in part to quality and integration. Based on Congressional Budget Office estimates, the Health Reform Law, as enacted, is expected to expand health insurance coverage to approximately 32 to 34 million additional individuals through a combination of public program expansion and private sector health insurance reforms. This increased coverage will occur through a combination of public program expansion and private sector health insurance and other reforms.

The most significant changes will expand the categories of individuals eligible for Medicaid coverage and permit individuals with relatively higher incomes to qualify. The federal government reimburses the majority of a state s Medicaid expenses, and it conditions its payment on the state meeting certain requirements. The federal government currently requires that states provide coverage for only limited categories of low-income adults under 65 years old (e.g., women who are pregnant, and the blind or disabled). In addition, the income level required for individuals and families to qualify for Medicaid varies widely from state to state.

Federal Medical Assistance Percentages

As Medicaid is a joint federal and state program, the federal government provides states with matching funds in a defined percentage, known as the federal medical assistance percentage (FMAP). Beginning in 2014, states will receive an enhanced FMAP for the individuals enrolled in Medicaid pursuant to the Health Reform Law. The FMAP percentage is as follows: 100% for calendar years 2014 through 2016; 95% for 2017; 94% in 2018; 93% in 2019; and 90% in 2020 and thereafter. We do not expect the enhanced FMAP funds paid to states beginning in 2014 to have a meaningful impact on our financial condition or results of operations.

Risk Management and Insurance

The healthcare industry is general continues to experience an increase in the frequency and severity of litigation and claims. As is typical in the healthcare industry, we could be subject to claims that our services have resulted in injury to our patients or clients or other adverse effects. In addition, resident, visitor and employee injuries could also subject

us to the risk of litigation. While we believe that quality care is provided to patients and clients in our facilities and that we materially comply with all applicable regulatory requirements, an adverse determination in a legal proceeding or government investigation could have a material adverse effect on our financial condition.

Prior to July 1, 2009, Acadia maintained commercial insurance coverage on an occurrence basis for workers compensation claims with no deductible. Effective July 1, 2009, Acadia and now Acadia-YFCS, maintains

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commercial insurance coverage on an occurrence basis with a $250,000 deductible per claim and a $1 million per claim limit. We maintain commercial insurance coverage on a claims-made basis for general and professional liability claims with a $50,000 deductible and $1 million per claim limit and an aggregate limit of $3 million with excess umbrella coverage for an additional $7 million.

Environmental Matters

We are subject to various federal, state and local environmental laws that (i) regulate certain activities and operations that may have environmental or health and safety effects, such as the handling, storage, transportation, treatment and disposal of medical waste products generated at our facilities; the identification and warning of the presence of asbestos-containing materials in buildings, as well as the removal of such materials; the presence of other hazardous substances in the indoor environment; and protection of the environment and natural resources in connection with the development or construction of our facilities; (ii) impose liability for costs of cleaning up, and damages to natural resources from, past spills, waste disposals on and off-site, or other releases of hazardous materials or regulated substances, and (iii) regulate workplace safety. Some of our facilities generate infectious or other hazardous medical waste due to the illness or physical condition of our patients. The management of infectious medical waste is subject to regulation under various federal, state and local environmental laws, which establish management requirements for such waste. These requirements include record-keeping, notice and reporting obligations. Each of our facilities (other than our call centers) has an agreement with a waste management company for the disposal of medical waste. The use of such companies, however, does not completely protect us from alleged violations of medical waste laws or from related third-party claims for clean-up costs.

From time to time, our operations have resulted in, or may result in, non-compliance with, or liability pursuant to, environmental or health and safety laws or regulations. We believe that our operations are generally in compliance with environmental and health and safety regulatory requirements or that any non-compliance will not result in a material liability or cost to achieve compliance. Historically, the costs of achieving and maintaining compliance with environmental laws and regulations have not been material. However, we cannot assure you that future costs and expenses required for us to comply with any new or changes in existing environmental and health and safety laws and regulations or new or discovered environmental conditions will not have a material adverse effect on our business.

We have not been notified of and are otherwise currently not aware of any contamination at our currently or formerly operated facilities for which we could be liable under environmental laws or regulations for the investigation and remediation of such contamination and we currently are not undertaking any remediation or investigation activities in connection with any contamination conditions. There may however be environmental conditions currently unknown to us relating to our prior, existing or future sites or operations or those of predecessor companies whose liabilities we may have assumed or acquired which could have a material adverse effect on our business.

New laws, regulations or policies or changes in existing laws, regulations or policies or their enforcement, future spills or accidents or the discovery of currently unknown conditions or non-compliances may give rise to investigation and remediation liabilities, compliance costs, fines and penalties, or liability and claims for alleged personal injury or property damage due to substances or materials used in our operations; any of which may have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition, operating results or cash flow.

Competition

The healthcare industry is highly competitive. Our principal competitors include other behavioral health service companies, including UHS, Aurora and Ascend. We also compete against hospitals and general health care facilities that provide mental health services. An important part of our business strategy is to continue to make targeted acquisitions of other behavioral health facilities. However, reduced capacity, the passage of mental health parity

legislation and increased demand for mental health services are likely to attract other potential buyers, including diversified healthcare companies and possibly other pure behavioral healthcare companies.

In addition to the competition we face for acquisitions, we must also compete for patients. Patients are referred to our behavioral health facilities through a number of different sources, including healthcare practitioners, public

programs, other treatment facilities, managed care organizations, unions, emergency departments, judicial officials, social workers, police departments and word of mouth from previously treated patients and their families, among others. These referral sources may instead refer patients to hospitals that are able to provide a full suite of medical services or to other behavioral health centers.

Employees

As of August 16, 2011, we had approximately 4,857 employees, of whom approximately 4,105 were employed full-time. Approximately 3,655 of these employees (approximately 3,271 full-time employees) are employed by the facilities acquired by us in connection with our acquisition of YFCS in April 2011. Typically, our inpatient facilities are staffed by a chief executive officer, medical director, director of nursing, chief financial officer, clinical director and director of performance improvement. Psychiatrists and other physicians working in our facilities are licensed medical professionals who are generally not employed by us and work in our facilities as independent contractors.

Seasonality of Services

Due to the large number of children and adolescent patients served, our inpatient behavioral health care facilities typically experience lower patient volumes and revenue during the summer months, the year-end holidays and other periods when school is out of session.

Legal Proceedings

In addition to the litigation described in The Merger Litigation Relating to the Merger , Acadia is subject to various claims and legal actions that arise in the ordinary course of business. Management does not believe that Acadia currently is party to any proceedings that would have a material adverse effect on its financial condition or results of operations.

ACADIA MANAGEMENT S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

You should read the following discussion and analysis of our financial condition and results of operations with Selected Historical Financial Information Acadia Historical Financial Data and the audited consolidated financial statements and related notes included elsewhere in this proxy statement/prospectus. This discussion contains forward-looking statements and involves numerous risks and uncertainties, including but not limited to those described in the Risk Factors section of this prospectus. Actual results may differ materially from those contained in any forward-looking statements. You should read Cautionary Statement Concerning Forward-Looking Statements and Risk Factors.

Overview

Our business strategy is to acquire and develop inpatient behavioral health care facilities and improve our operating results within our inpatient facilities and our other behavioral health care operations. From 2006 through 2010 the company acquired eight inpatient behavioral and substance abuse facilities. During this time, the company also closed two underperforming assets. Our goal is to improve the operating results of our facilities by providing high quality services, expanding referral networks and marketing initiatives while meeting the increased demand for behavioral health care services through expansion of our current locations as well as developing new services within existing locations.

Income from continuing operations before income taxes increased to $7.2 million in 2010 from $2.8 million in 2009, or an increase of 157%. The increase in income from continuing operations was a direct result of the increase in net revenues, which increased 24% in 2010 over that in 2009 as inpatient and outpatient volumes increased by 31% and 18%, respectively. Income from continuing operations before income taxes in 2010 was negatively affected by $0.8 million of transaction fees as a result of the YFCS merger.

Sources of Revenue

Patient service revenue is generated by our facilities for services provided to patients on an inpatient and outpatient basis within the behavioral health facilities. Patient service revenue is recorded at our established billing rates less contractual adjustments. Contractual adjustments are recorded to state our patient service revenue at the amount we expect to collect for the services provided based on amounts reimbursable by Medicare and Medicaid under provisions of cost or prospective reimbursement formulas or amounts due from other third-party payors at contractually determined rates. In 2010, 2009 and 2008, Medicare and Medicaid accounted for 62%, 62% and 63% of total patient service revenue, respectively. Inpatient services revenue comprised approximately 72%, 71% and 73% of our total revenue for 2010, 2009 and 2008, respectively. Outpatient service and other revenue accounted for 28%, 29% and 27% of our total revenue for 2010, 2009 and 2008, respectively.

Acquisitions

On April 1, 2011, Acadia completed the acquisition of YFCS, a provider of behavioral health care services, for $178.2 million. YFCS operates 13 facilities in eight states and offers a broad array of behavioral programs to adults, adolescents, and children. These programs include behavioral acute and residential care in inpatient facilities, therapeutic group homes, therapeutic foster care services, education, and other community based services. This transaction was financed with a new $135 million Senior Secured Term Loan and $10 million of borrowings on a new $30 million revolving credit facility, as well as $52.5 million of new equity.

On May 24, 2011, Acadia signed a definitive merger agreement with PHC, a leading national provider of inpatient and outpatient mental health and drug and alcohol addiction treatment programs in Michigan, Nevada, Pennsylvania, Utah and Virginia. Upon the completion of the merger, Acadia stockholders will own approximately 77.5% of the combined company, and PHC stockholders will own 22.5% of the combined company, on a fully diluted basis (as defined in the merger agreement). The merger will bring together Acadia s 19 behavioral health facilities, with approximately 1,600 beds in 13 states, with PHC s nine facilities with approximately 280 beds in four states. In addition, on July 1, 2011, PHC acquired MeadowWood, a 58 bed acute inpatient behavioral facility located in Newcastle, Delaware.

Anticipated Synergies, Cost Savings and Revenue Improvements

Acadia management believes that the merger presents significant synergies through the elimination of certain corporate overhead costs. The current PHC corporate functions would be integrated with and moved to the existing Acadia corporate offices in Franklin, TN. The combined company would eliminate certain redundant positions, professional services and other expenses, as well as achieve efficiencies by integrating corporate functions within a larger company framework. We are targeting annual cost savings of approximately $3.4 million per annum beginning in fiscal 2012 as a result of this integration. In addition to these cost savings, Acadia management believes that there are substantial opportunities to generate organic revenue growth by increasing bed capacity in existing facilities, increasing utilization rates at our existing facilities, leveraging out-of-state referrals to increase volume, developing a national marketing plan and expanding services at existing facilities.

In addition to synergies relating to the merger, we currently expect that the capitalization of a certain facility lease will reduce lease expense by approximately $0.7 million per annum. Acadia management has also identified several recent improvements to our revenue base from (i) a rate increase on one of our contracts effective in March 2011, assuming such increased rate had been effective throughout the twelve month period ended June 30, 2011, and (ii) the expansion of PHC s Wayne County call center contract in December 2010, assuming such expansion had been effective throughout the twelve month period ended June 30, 2011. We believe that these improvements would have had a positive effect on operating income (before taxes) of $2.0 million and $0.3 million for 2010, respectively. We estimated the improvement from the rate increase by multiplying historical plan enrollment by the newly-contracted rate, and we estimated the improvement from the contract expansion using an estimate of monthly incremental operating income resulting from the expansion, applied to months prior to December 2010. In addition, we incurred start up losses at the Seven Hills Behavioral Center, which was opened in the fourth quarter of 2008 and became CMS certified in July 2010. The elimination of the start up losses incurred in 2010 but not expected to be incurred in the future would have resulted in additional operating income (before taxes) of approximately $1.5 million. See Risk Factors Risks Affecting Acadia, PHC and the Combined Company We may not achieve all of the expected benefits from synergies, cost savings and recent improvements to our revenue base.

Results of Operations

The following table illustrates our consolidated results of operations from continuing operations for the respective periods shown (dollars in thousands):

	Six Months Ended June 30,				Year Ended December 31,				
	2011		2010		2010		2009		200
	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount
	$ 82,961	100.0%	$ 32,472	100.0%	$ 64,342	100.0%	$ 51,821	100.0%	$ 33,353
ges and benefits	70,538	85.0%	18,374	56.6%	36,333	56.5%	30,752	59.3%	22,342
fees	3,130	3.8%	1,240	3.8%	3,612	5.6%	1,977	3.8%	952
	4,282	5.2%	1,841	5.7%	3,709	5.8%	2,841	5.5%	2,076
ases	2,062	2.5%	636	2.0%	1,288	2.0%	885	1.7%	852
ing expenses	8,110	9.8%	4,046	12.5%	8,289	12.9%	8,390	16.2%	5,400
r doubtful	1,002	1.2%	1,186	3.7%	2,239	3.5%	2,424	4.7%	1,804
n and	1,001	1.2%	480	1.5%	976	1.5%	967	1.9%	740
nse	2,215	2.7%	358	1.1%	738	1.1%	774	1.5%	729

nagement fees	590	0.7%							
related expenses	8,362	10.1%							
	101,292	122.1%	28,161	28,161%	57,184	88.9%	49,010	94.6%	34,895
) from perations, before s	(18,331)	(22.1)%	4,311	13.3%	7,158	11.1%	2,811	5.4%	(1,542)
r income taxes	2,997	3.6%	994	3.1%	477	0.7%	53	0.1%	20
) from perations	$ (21,328)	(25.7)%	$ 3,317	10.2%	$ 6,681	10.4%	$ 2,758	5.3%	$ (1,562)

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Six months ended June 30, 2011 as compared to six months ended June 30, 2010

Revenue. Revenue increased $50.5 million, or 155.5%, to $83.0 million for the six months ended June 30, 2011 compared to $32.5 million for the six months ended June 30, 2010. The increase relates primarily $47.0 million of revenue generated from the YFCS acquisition on April 1, 2011. The remainder of the increase in revenue is attributable to same-facility growth in patient days of 5.1% and outpatient visits of 17.4%.

Salaries, wages and benefits. Salaries, wages and benefits (SWB) expense was $70.5 million for the six months ended June 30, 2011 compared to $18.4 million for the six months ended June 30, 2010, an increase of $52.1 million. SWB expense includes $19.8 million of equity-based compensation expense for the six months ended June 30, 2011. This equity-based compensation was realized because the acquisition of YFCS and the expected acquisition of PHC in 2011 have provided a means to measure the fair market value of these awards. We do not expect equity-based compensation to be this significant in future periods because the acquisition of PHC will exchange this equity for common stock of the combined company. There was no equity-based compensation expense during the six months ended June 30, 2010. Excluding equity-based compensation expense, SWB expense was $50.7 million, or 61.1% of total revenue, for the six months ended June 30, 2011, compared to 56.6% of revenue for the six months ended June 30, 2010. The increase in SWB expense, excluding equity-based compensation expense, as a percent of revenue is attributable to the higher SWB expense associated with the residential treatment facilities acquired from YFCS on April 1, 2011. Same-facility SWB expense, excluding equity-based compensation expense, was $21.5 million for the six months ended June 30, 2011, or 59.7% of revenue, compared to $18.4 million for the six months ended June 30, 2010, or 56.6% of revenue. This increase is primarily related to the additional corporate support to facilitate the acquisition and integration of the combined companies.

Professional fees. Professional fees were $3.1 million for the six months ended June 30, 2011, or 3.8% of revenue, compared to $1.2 million for the six months ended June 30, 2010, or 3.8% of revenue. Same-facility professional fees were $1.3 million for the six months ended June 30, 2011, or 3.7% of revenue, compared to $1.2 million for the six months ended June 30, 2010, or 3.8% of revenue.

Supplies. Supplies expense was $4.3 million for the six months ended June 30, 2011, or 5.2% of total revenue, compared to $1.8 million for the six months ended June 30, 2010, or 5.7% of revenue. Same-facility supplies expense was $2.0 million for the six months ended June 30, 2011, or 5.5% of revenue, compared to $1.8 million for the six months ended June 30, 2010, or 5.7% of revenue.

Rents and leases. Rents and leases were $2.1 million for the six months ended June 30, 2011, or 2.5% of total revenue, compared to $0.6 million for the six months ended June 30, 2010, or 2.0% of total revenue. The increase in rents and leases is attributable to the YFCS acquisition on April 1, 2011. Same-facility rents and leases were $0.7 million for the six months ended June 30, 2011, or 2.1% of revenue, compared to $0.6 million for the six months ended June 30, 2010, or 2.0% of revenue.

Other operating expenses. Other operating expenses consist primarily of purchased services, utilities, insurance, travel and repairs and maintenance expenses. Other operating expenses were $8.1 million for the six months ended June 30, 2011, or 9.8% of revenue, compared to $4.0 million for the six months ended June 30, 2010, or 12.5% of revenue. The decrease in other operating expenses as a percentage of revenue is attributable to the lower other operating expenses associated with the residential treatment facilities acquired from YFCS on April 1, 2011. Same-facility other operating expenses were $3.9 million for the six months ended June 30, 2011, or 10.9% of revenue, compared to $4.0 million for the six months ended June 30, 2010, or 12.5% of revenue.

Provision for doubtful accounts. The provision for doubtful accounts was $1.0 million for the six months ended June 30, 2011, or 1.2% of revenue, compared to $1.2 million for the six months ended June 30, 2010, or 3.7% of revenue. The decrease in the provision for doubtful accounts is attributable to the lower volumes of private pay admissions and bad debt associated with the facilities acquired from YFCS on April 1, 2011. The same-facility provision for doubtful accounts was $1.0 million for the six months ended June 30, 2011, or 2.9% of revenue, compared to $1.2 million for the six months ended June 30, 2010, or 3.7% of revenue.

Depreciation and amortization. Depreciation and amortization expense was $1.0 million for the six months ended June 30, 2011, or 1.2% of revenue, compared to $0.5 million for the six months ended June 30, 2010, or 1.5% of revenue. The increase in depreciation and amortization is attributable to the YFCS acquisition on April 1, 2011.

Interest expense. Interest expense was $2.2 million for the six months ended June 30, 2011, compared to $0.4 million for the six months ended June 30, 2010. The increase in interest expense is a result of the $145.0 million we borrowed under our Senior Secured Credit Facility on April 1, 2011.

Sponsor management fees. Sponsor management fees were $0.6 million for the six months ended June 30, 2011. Sponsor management fees related to the professional services agreement we entered into with Waud Capital Partners on April 1, 2011, and there were no sponsor management fees incurred in the six months ended June 30, 2010.

Transaction-related expenses. Transaction-related expenses were $8.4 million for the six months ended June 30, 2011 relating to the acquisition of YFCS on April 1, 2011 and the pending merger with PHC. There were no transaction-related expenses incurred in the six months ended June 30, 2010, and transaction-related expenses were included in professional fees in all prior periods.

Year ended December 31, 2010 as compared to year ended December 31, 2009

Revenue. Revenue increased $12.5 million, or 24.2%, to $64.3 million for the year ended December 31, 2010 compared to $51.8 million for the year ended December 31, 2009. On a same-facility basis, revenue increased $7.0 million or 13.5% for the year ended December 31, 2010 compared to the year ended December 31, 2009. Same-facility revenue growth is attributable an increase in same-facility inpatient days of 10.3% and an increase in same-facility outpatient visits of 17.6%. Revenue increased by $5.5 million in 2010 compared to 2009 as a result of the acquisitions of the Acadiana facility on March 5, 2009 and The Village facility on November 2, 2009.

Salaries, wages and benefits. SWB expense was $36.3 million for the year ended December 31, 2010 compared to $30.8 million for the year ended December 31, 2009, an increase of $5.5 million, or 18.1%. SWB expense represented 56.5% of revenue for the year ended December 31, 2010 compared to 59.3% of revenue for the year ended December 31, 2009. Same-facility SWB expense was $32.8 million in 2010, or 55.8% of revenue, compared to $30.8 million in 2009, or 59.3% of revenue. This decrease in same-facility SWB expense as a percent of revenue is primarily the result of improved operating efficiencies on higher volumes.

Professional fees. Professional fees were $3.6 million for the year ended December 31, 2010, or 5.6% of revenue, compared to $2.0 million for the year ended December 31, 2009, or 3.8% of revenue. Professional fees increased for the year ended December 31, 2010 compared to the year ended December 31, 2009 primarily as a result of approximately $0.8 million of acquisition-related expenses incurred in the year ended December 31, 2010 in connection with the YFCS acquisition. Same-facility professional fees, excluding acquisition-related expenses, were $2.7 million in 2010, or 4.5% of revenue, compared to $2.0 million in 2009, or 3.8% of revenue.

Supplies. Supplies expense was $3.7 million for the year ended December 31, 2010, or 5.8% of total revenue, compared to $2.8 million for the year ended December 31, 2009, or 5.5% of total revenue. Same-facility supplies expense was $3.2 million in 2010, or 5.4% of revenue, compared to $2.8 million in 2009, or 5.5% of revenue.

Rentals and leases. Rentals and leases were $1.3 million for the year ended December 31, 2010, or 2.0% of total revenue, compared to $0.9 million for the year ended December 31, 2009, or 1.7% of total revenue. Same-facility rentals and leases were $1.0 million in 2010, or 1.7% of revenue, compared to $0.9 million in 2009, or 1.7% of revenue.

Other operating expenses. Other operating expenses consist primarily of purchased services, utilities, insurance, travel and repairs and maintenance expenses. Other operating expenses were $8.3 million for the year ended December 31, 2010, or 12.9% of revenue, compared to $8.4 million for the year ended December 31, 2009, or 16.2%

of revenue. Same-facility other operating expenses were $7.6 million in 2010, or 12.8% of revenue, compared to $8.4 million in 2009, or 16.2% of revenue. This decrease in same-facility other operating expenses as a percent of revenue is primarily attributable to reductions in insurance premiums as well as improved operating efficiencies.

Provision for doubtful accounts. The provision for doubtful accounts was $2.2 million for the year ended December 31, 2010, or 3.5% of revenue, compared to $2.4 million for the year ended December 31, 2009, or 4.7% of revenue. This decrease as a percent of revenue was a result of improved collection efforts at our facilities.

Depreciation and amortization. Depreciation and amortization expense was $1.0 million for the year ended December 31, 2010, or 1.5% of revenue, compared to $1.0 million for the year ended December 31, 2009, or 1.9% of revenue.

Interest expense. Interest expense was $0.7 million for the year ended December 31, 2010 compared to $0.8 million for the year ended December 31, 2009.

Year ended December 31, 2009 as compared to year ended December 31, 2008

Revenue. Revenue increased $18.5 million, or 55.4%, to $51.8 million for the year ended December 31, 2009 compared to $33.4 million for the year ended December 31, 2008. On a same-facility basis, revenue increased $5.3 million or 15.8% for the year ended December 31, 2009 compared to the year ended December 31, 2008. Same-facility revenue growth is attributable to an increase in same-facility inpatient days of 6.4% and an increase in same-facility outpatient visits of 21.9%. Revenue increased in 2009 compared to 2008 by $13.2 million related to the acquisitions of RiverWoods in September 2008, Acadiana in March 2009, and The Village in November 2009.

Salaries, wages and benefits. SWB expense was $30.8 million for the year ended December 31, 2009 compared to $22.3 million for the year ended December 31, 2008, an increase of $8.4 million, or 37.6%. SWB expense represented 59.3% of revenue for the year ended December 31, 2009 compared to 67.0% of revenue for the year ended December 31, 2008. Same-facility SWB expense was $24.5 million in 2009, or 63.5% of revenue, compared to $22.3 million in 2008, or 67.0% of revenue. This decrease in same-facility SWB expense as a percent of revenue is primarily the result of improved operating efficiencies on higher volumes.

Professional fees. Professional fees were $2.0 million for the year ended December 31, 2009, or 3.8% of revenue, compared to $1.0 million for the year ended December 31, 2008, or 2.9% of revenue. This $1.0 million increase in professional fees is primarily related to acquisition costs associated with the Acadiana facility and The Village facility.

Supplies. Supplies expense was $2.8 million for the year ended December 31, 2009, or 5.5% of total revenue, compared to $2.1 million for the year ended December 31, 2008, or 6.2% of total revenue. Same-facility supplies expense was $2.1 million in 2009, or 5.6% of revenue, compared to $2.1 million in 2008, or 6.2% of revenue. This decrease in same-facility supplies expense as a percent of revenue is primarily the result of improved operating efficiencies on higher volumes.

Rentals and leases. Rentals and leases were $0.9 million for the year ended December 31, 2009, or 1.7% of total revenue, compared to $0.9 million for the year ended December 31, 2008, or 2.6% of total revenue. Same-facility rentals and leases were $0.7 million in 2009, or 1.9% of revenue, compared to $0.9 million in 2008, or 2.6% of revenue.

Other operating expenses. Other operating expenses consist primarily of purchased services, utilities, insurance, travel and repairs and maintenance expenses. Other operating expenses were $8.4 million for the year ended December 31, 2009, or 16.2% of revenue, compared to $5.4 million for the year ended December 31, 2008, or 16.2% of revenue.

Provision for doubtful accounts. The provision for doubtful accounts was $2.4 million for the year ended December 31, 2009, or 4.7% of revenue, compared to $1.8 million for the year ended December 31, 2008, or 5.4% of revenue. This decrease as a percent of revenue was a result of improved collection efforts at our facilities.

Depreciation and amortization. Depreciation and amortization expense was $1.0 million for the year ended December 31, 2009, or 1.9% of revenue, compared to $0.7 million for the year ended December 31, 2008, or 2.2% of

revenue.

Interest expense. Interest expense was $0.8 million for the year ended December 31, 2009 compared to $0.7 million for the year ended December 31, 2008.

Liquidity and Capital Resources

Historical

Cash provided by continuing operating activities for the six months ended June 30, 2011 was $3.9 million compared to $4.8 million for the six months ended June 30, 2010. Cash provided by operating activities for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2010 was $8.2 million compared to $6.2 for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2009. This increase is primarily attributable to the acquisitions of the Acadiana facility on March 5, 2009 and the Village facility on November 2, 2009 and improved operating results. As of June 30, 2011, we had working capital of $3.0 million, including cash and cash equivalents of $3.5 million. Days sales outstanding for the six months ended June 30, 2011 was 31.4 compared to 32.6 for the six months ended June 30, 2010. Days sales outstanding for the twelve months ended December 31, 2010 was 31.5 compared to 36.6 for the twelve months ended December 31, 2009. This improvement in days sales outstanding is primarily attributable to improvements in collection efforts at the facilities acquired in 2009 and overall improved collection efforts.

Cash used in investing activities for the six months ended June 30, 2011 was $183.8 million compared to $0.6 million for the six months ended June 30, 2010. Cash used in investing activities for the six months ended June 30, 2011 consisted of cash paid for the YFCS acquisition of $178.0 million, cash paid for capital expenditures of $3.2 million and cash paid for a real estate acquisition of $2.2 million. Cash used in investing activities for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2010 was $1.5 million compared to cash used in investing activities of approximately $3.4 million for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2009. The decrease in cash used in investing activities was due to two facility acquisitions in 2009.

Cash provided by financing activities for the six months ended June 30, 2011 was $175.2 million compared to cash used in financing activities of $1.8 million for the six months ended June 30, 2010. Cash provided by financing activities for the six months ended June 30, 2011 primarily consisted of term loan borrowings under our Senior Secured Credit Facility of $135.0 million, net borrowings under the revolver portion of our Senior Secured Credit Facility of $7.0 million, contributions from Holdings of $51.0 million and repayments of long-term debt of $10.0 million. Cash used in financing activities for the six months ended June 30, 2010 primarily consisted of capital distributions of $1.7 million. Cash used in financing activities for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2010 was $2.6 million compared to cash provided by financing activities of $1.7 million for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2009. Cash provided by financing activities for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2010 primarily consisted of capital distributions of $2.3 million and a $2.5 million capital contribution for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2009.

To finance our acquisition of YFCS and refinance our existing $10.0 million secured promissory note, we entered into the Senior Secured Credit Facility on April 1, 2011. The Senior Secured Credit Facility, administered by Bank of America, N.A., includes $135.0 million of term loans and a revolving credit facility of $30.0 million. Of the $30.0 million available under the revolving portion of the Senior Secured Credit Facility, $10.0 million was borrowed on April 1, 2011 and $20.0 million was available for further borrowings. The term loans require quarterly principal payments of $1.7 million for June 30, 2011 to March 31, 2013, $3.4 million for June 30, 2013 to March 31, 2014, $4.2 million for June 30, 2014 to March 31, 2015, and $5.1 million for June 30, 2015 to December 31, 2015, with the remaining principal balance due on the maturity date of April 1, 2016. As of June 30, 2011, we had $23.0 million of availability under our revolving line of credit.

Borrowings under the Senior Secured Credit Facility are guaranteed by each of Acadia s domestic subsidiaries and are secured by a lien on substantially all of the assets of Acadia and its domestic subsidiaries. Borrowings under the Senior Secured Credit Facility bear interest at a rate tied to Acadia s Consolidated Leverage Ratio (defined as Consolidated Funded Indebtedness to Consolidated EBITDA, in each case as defined in the credit agreement governing the Senior Secured Credit Facility). The Applicable Rate for borrowings under the Senior Secured Credit

Facility was 4.0% and 3.0% for Eurodollar Rate Loans and Base Rate Loans, respectively, as of June 30, 2011. Eurodollar Rate Loans bear interest at the Applicable Rate plus the Eurodollar Rate (based upon the British Bankers Association LIBOR Rate prior to commencement of the interest rate period). Base Rate Loans bear interest at the Applicable Rate plus the highest of (i) the federal funds rate plus 1/2 of 1.0%, (ii) the prime rate and (iii) the Eurodollar rate plus 1.0%. As of June 30, 2011, borrowings under the Senior Secured Credit Facility bore interest at

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4.2%. In addition, Acadia is required to pay a commitment fee on undrawn amounts under the revolving line of credit. As of June 30, 2011, undrawn amounts bore interest at a rate of 0.50%.

The Senior Secured Credit Facility requires Acadia and its subsidiaries to comply with customary affirmative, negative and financial covenants. Set forth below is a brief description of such covenants, all of which are subject to customary exceptions, materiality thresholds and qualifications:

the affirmative covenants include the following: (i) delivery of financial statements and other customary financial information; (ii) notices of events of default and other material events; (iii) maintenance of existence, ability to conduct business, properties, insurance and books and records; (iv) payment of taxes; (v) lender inspection rights; (vi) compliance with laws; (vii) use of proceeds; (viii) interest rate hedging; (ix) further assurances; and (x) additional collateral and guarantor requirements.

the negative covenants include limitations on the following: (i) liens; (ii) debt (including guaranties); (iii) investments; (iv) fundamental changes (including mergers, consolidations and liquidations); (v) dispositions; (vi) sale leasebacks; (vii) affiliate transactions and the payment of management fees; (viii) burdensome agreements; (ix) restricted payments; (x) use of proceeds; (xi) ownership of subsidiaries; (xii) changes to line of business; (xiii) changes to organizational documents, legal name, form of entity and fiscal year; (xiv) capital expenditures (not to exceed 4.0% of total revenues of Acadia and its subsidiaries and including a 100% carry-forward of unused amounts to the immediately succeeding fiscal year); (xv) operations of Acadia (other than as a passive holding company); and (xvi) amendments to certain material agreements. Acadia is generally not permitted to issue dividends or distributions other than with respect to the following: (w) certain tax distributions; (x) the repurchase of equity held by employees, officers or directors upon the occurrence of death, disability or termination subject to cap of $500,000 in any fiscal year and compliance with certain other conditions; (y) in the form of capital stock; and (z) scheduled payments of deferred purchase price, working capital adjustments and similar payments pursuant to the merger agreement or any permitted acquisition.

The financial covenants include maintenance of the following:

Maximum consolidated leverage ratio as described below:

Fiscal Quarter of the Parent	Maximum Consolidated Leverage Ratio
June 30, 2011	4.25:1.0
September 30, 2011	4.25:1.0
December 31, 2011	4.25:1.0
March 31, 2012	4.25:1.0
June 30, 2012	4.00:1.0
September 30, 2012	4.00:1.0
December 31, 2012	3.75:1.0
March 31, 2013	3.75:1.0
June 30, 2013	3.75:1.0
September 30, 2013	3.75:1.0
December 31, 2013 and each fiscal quarter ending thereafter	3.00:1.0

Minimum fixed charge coverage ratio not to be less than 1.25:1.00 as of the end of any fiscal quarter, commencing June 30, 2011.

As of June 30, 2011, Acadia was in compliance with such covenants.

Following the Merger

Second Amendment to Senior Secured Credit Facility

In connection with the merger, we have entered into a Second Amendment to the Senior Secured Credit Facility, dated July 12, 2011 (the Second Amendment), which will not become effective until consummation of

the merger and is conditioned upon the satisfaction of the conditions described in the Second Amendment. The Second Amendment permits Acadia to incur indebtedness pursuant to the Senior Notes and/or the Bridge Facility so long as conditions regarding such indebtedness (including those set forth below) are satisfied:

the aggregate principal amount of indebtedness incurred under the Bridge Facility, the Senior Notes and the Deficit Notes may not exceed $150 million (plus any accrued interest, fees and premiums in connection with refinancing the Bridge Facility with the Senior Notes);

the Senior Notes must have a maturity 181 days beyond the maturity of the Senior Secured Credit Facility;

the interest rate (including any OID) shall not exceed the interest rate cap for the Bridge Facility and Senior Notes (plus any default interest and up to 1.00% per annum of liquidated damages in the form of increased interest);

the Bridge Facility may only be subject to mandatory redemptions or prepayments (i) in connection with a change of control, (ii) with proceeds of equity, asset sale dispositions or indebtedness, in each case to the extent not required to prepay amounts owed under the Senior Secured Credit Facility and (iii) excess cash flow after repayment in full of all obligations under the Senior Secured Credit Facility (and any refinancings, renewals or restatements) and termination of any commitment thereunder;

the Senior Notes may only be subject to mandatory prepayments in connection with a change of control or as a result of an asset sale;

unless approved by the administrative agent, the indebtedness may not be subject to covenants or events of default that are materially more restrictive than covenants and events of default that are usual and customary for senior unsecured high yield notes giving due regard to prevailing conditions in the syndicated loan and financial markets and operational requirements of Acadia and its subsidiaries (it being understood and agreed that the covenants of the Bridge Facility will be incurrence based covenants based on those contained in the preliminary offering memorandum used to market customary senior unsecured high yield notes);

the indebtedness may not be subject to any scheduled principal payments (other than on the maturity date); and

delivery of certain financial covenant calculations.

The Second Amendment provides for a change in the interest rate applicable to borrowings under the Senior Secured Credit Facility based upon Acadia s Consolidated Senior Secured Leverage Ratio (defined as Consolidated Funded Indebtedness (other than Funded Indebtedness that is not secured by a lien on any property of Acadia or its subsidiaries) to Consolidated EBITDA, in each case as defined in the Senior Secured Credit Facility). Interest rates and the commitment fee on unused commitments will be based upon the following grid:

Pricing Tier	Consolidated Senior Secured Leverage Ratio	Eurodollar Rate Loans	Base Rate Loans	Commitment Fee
1	<2.75:1.0	3.50%	2.50%	0.45%
2	³2.75:1.0 but <3.25:1.0	3.75%	2.75%	0.50%
3	³3.25:1.0 but <3.75:1.0	4.00%	3.00%	0.50%
4	³3.75:1.0 but <5.00:1.0	4.25%	3.25%	0.55%

5	³5.00:1.0	4.50%	3.50%	0.55%

The Second Amendment provides that the applicable rate for Eurodollar Rate Loans and Base Rate Loans will be 4.50% and 3.50%, respectively, from the date of consummation of the merger through the date of delivery of a compliance certificate for the first fiscal quarter ending after consummation of the merger.

The Second Amendment will also amend the Consolidated Leverage Ratio covenant and the Consolidated Fixed Charge Coverage Covenant and add a Consolidated Senior Secured Leverage Ratio covenant. Acadia s Consolidated Leverage Ratio for fiscal quarters beginning with the quarter ended September 30, 2011 may not be greater than 6.25:1.0 and for each quarter beginning with the quarter ending December 31, 2011 through September 30, 2012, Acadia s Consolidated Leverage Ratio may not be greater than 6.00:1.0, with the maximum ratio declining further thereafter.

Acadia will be required to maintain a Fixed Charge Coverage Ratio of not less than 1.25:1.0 for the fiscal quarter ending June 30, 2011 and 1.20:1.0 for each fiscal quarter thereafter; provided that if the interest rate on the Senior Notes or the Bridge Facility exceeds 13.00% on the effective date of the Second Amendment, then the Fixed Charge Coverage Ratio may not be less than 1.10:1.00 as of the last day of two fiscal quarters ending after the effective date of the Second Amendment.

Acadia s Consolidated Senior Secured Leverage Ratio covenant requires that such ratio not be greater than 3.50:1.0 for the quarter ending September 30, 2011, 3.00:1.0 for the quarter ending December 31, 2011 through September 30, 2012 and 2.50:1.0 for each quarter beginning December 31, 2012 and thereafter.

Effectiveness of the Second Amendment is conditioned upon satisfaction of conditions (including the following):

- the completion of the merger on or prior to December 15, 2011;
- consummation of the merger substantially in accordance with the terms of the merger agreement and other material acquisition agreements as in effect on the date of the Second Amendment; provided that if such material acquisition agreements have been amended, modified or supplemented, the administrative agent shall have consented to such amendment, modification or supplement to the extent such amendment, modification or supplement would be material and adverse to the lenders;
- absence of an Acadia Material Adverse Effect or a Phoenix Material Adverse Effect each as defined in the merger agreement;
- repayment of certain indebtedness, other than agreed upon indebtedness and incurrence of the Senior Notes or Bridge Facility;
- receipt of agreed upon financial statements, projections and consents necessary to consummate the transaction contemplated by the merger agreement;
- payment of fees and expenses required by the Second Amendment;
- compliance with a 5.85:1.00 pro forma closing date total leverage ratio;
- compliance with a $53.5 million pro forma closing date minimum EBITDA condition;
- at least $20.0 million of availability under the revolving line of credit under the Senior Secured Credit Facility; and
- other customary financing conditions more fully set forth in the Second Amendment, including without limitation the absence of a Default four business days prior to the closing date and an Event of Default on the date of closing (and after giving effect to the transaction) (each as defined in the credit agreement governing the Senior Secured Credit Facility).

Debt Commitment Letter

Acadia has entered into the Debt Commitment Letter with Jefferies Finance pursuant to which Jefferies Finance has committed, subject to customary conditions as further described below, to provide the Bridge Facility of up to $150 million in the event that $150 million of Senior Notes are not issued by Acadia to finance the merger. Net proceeds from the issuance of $150 million of Senior Notes or, if the Senior Notes are not issued, drawings under the

$150 million Bridge Facility will be used, in addition to existing cash balances, to pay the $5 million in cash payable to holders of PHC Class B Common Stock in connection with the merger, pay a dividend to Acacia s existing stockholders, refinance certain existing indebtedness of PHC and pay fees and expenses incurred in connection with the merger.

The Bridge Facility, if drawn, will be guaranteed by Acadia s domestic subsidiaries and will mature initially on the first anniversary of the closing of the merger, at which time the maturity of any outstanding loans thereunder will be extended automatically to the sixth anniversary of the closing of the merger so long as the following conditions precedent are satisfied: (i) the absence of any payment or bankruptcy default under the bridge facility documentation; (ii) the absence of any failure to pay any amounts owed to Jefferies Finance under the Bridge Facility documentation;

and (iii) failure to issue replacement securities for any outstanding bridge loans in accordance with the terms of the Bridge Facility documentation. The lenders may exchange the outstanding loans after the first anniversary of the closing of the merger for notes due on such sixth anniversary.

The Bridge Facility commitment is subject to:

consummation of the merger in accordance with the terms of the merger agreement as in effect on the date of the Debt Commitment Letter, which merger agreement, if amended, modified or supplemented must be with the consent of Jefferies Finance to the extent such amendment, modification or supplement would be material and adverse to the lenders;

repayment of certain indebtedness, other than agreed upon indebtedness (including the Senior Secured Credit Facility and the Deficit Notes);

receipt of agreed upon financial statements, projections and consents necessary to consummate the transactions contemplated by the merger agreement;

the absence of an Acadia Material Adverse Effect or a Phoenix Material Adverse Effect (each as defined in the merger agreement);

payment of fees and expenses required by the Debt Commitment Letter;

compliance by Acadia with the covenant contained in the Debt Commitment Letter which provides that prior to and during the syndication of the bridge facility, and subject to certain exceptions, there being no offer or sale of any debt facility, debt or preferred equity security by Acadia, PHC or any of subsidiaries;

compliance with a 5.85:1.00 pro forma closing date total leverage ratio;

compliance with a $53.5 million pro forma closing date minimum EBITDA condition;

the absence of any amendment modification or supplements to the Senior Secured Credit Facility unless approved by Jefferies Finance (such approval not to be unreasonably withheld, delayed or conditioned);

the amount of the loans funded under the Bridge Facility (together with any Senior Notes) is at least $150.0 million;

a 15 business day period prior to the completion of the merger to market the senior unsecured notes; and

other customary financing conditions more fully set forth in the Debt Commitment Letter.

The commitment for the Bridge Facility will terminate on December 15, 2011 if the closing of the Bridge Facility has not been consummated on or before such date or if the merger agreement has been terminated. Each of Acadia and PHC is obligated under the merger agreement to use its reasonable best efforts to arrange the debt financing on the terms contemplated. The receipt of the debt financing on the terms and conditions set forth in the Debt Commitment Letter is a condition to the obligation of both Acadia and PHC to consummate the merger.

Interest on the Bridge Facility, if funded, will initially bear interest at a rate per annum equal to the higher of (i) 1.50% and (ii) the three-month LIBOR, adjusted quarterly plus, in each case, a spread of 7.75%. The Bridge Facility may be repaid at any time at 100% of the principal amount thereof plus accrued interest. The Bridge Facility will be required

to be repaid at 100% of the principal amount thereof plus accrued interest (i) with the net cash proceeds of the issuance of debt or equity securities, (ii) the incurrence of other indebtedness for borrowed money, subject to agreed upon exceptions, (iii) sales of assets and (iv) 50% of excess cash flow in fiscal year.

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Contractual Obligations

The following table presents a summary of contractual obligations as of June 30, 2011 and does not give effect to the YFCS acquisition or the merger (dollars in thousands):