

Addus HomeCare Announces Third-Quarter 2016 Results

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Net service revenues increase 22.7% year over year to \$103.5 million GAAP diluted EPS of \$0.15 Adjusted diluted EPS of \$0.39

DOWNERS GROVE, Ill., Nov. 7, 2016 /PRNewswire/ -- Addus HomeCare Corporation (NASDAQ: ADUS), a comprehensive provider of personal care services provided in the home, today announced its financial results for the third guarter and nine months ended September 30, 2016.

Net service revenues grew 22.7% to \$103.5 million for the third quarter from \$84.3 million for the third quarter of 2015. Net income was \$1.7 million for the third quarter of 2016 compared with \$2.9 million for the third quarter last year. Net income per diluted share was \$0.15 for the third quarter of 2016, down 42.3% from \$0.26 for the third quarter of 2015, while adjusted net income per diluted share increased 34.5% to \$0.39 from \$0.29. Adjusted net income per diluted share for the third quarter of 2016 excludes restructure charges of \$0.23, stock-based compensation expense of \$0.03, and severance and other costs of \$0.02 and includes normalization of effective tax rate expense of \$0.04. For the third quarter last year, adjusted net income per diluted share excludes stock-based compensation expense of \$0.03. (See page 7 for a reconciliation of all non-GAAP and GAAP financial measures.)

For the first nine months of 2016, net service revenues increased 17.8% to \$297.0 million from \$252.1 million for the first nine months of 2015. Net income was \$4.5 million for the latest nine months compared with \$8.3 million for the same prior-year period. Net income per diluted share for the first nine months of 2016 was \$0.40, a decrease of 45.9% from \$0.74 for the first nine months of 2015, while adjusted net income per diluted share increased 17.9% to \$0.99 from \$0.84.

Dirk Allison, President and Chief Executive Officer of Addus, remarked, "We are pleased to report an outstanding third quarter for Addus. We achieved substantial growth in revenues - including same store growth of 4.1% - and in adjusted EPS. We produced strong cash flow from operations and significantly strengthened our balance sheet, due both to our increased adjusted earnings and to the pay down of the past-due Illinois non-Medicaid accounts receivable."

For the third quarter, revenue growth was driven by a 22.9% increase in billable hours per business day. Revenues per billable hour declined slightly for the quarter. While the majority of the growth in billable hours per day was attributable to the first-quarter acquisition of South Shore, same store revenues contributed meaningfully to revenue growth for the quarter.

The favorable impact of achieving targeted run-rate savings from process improvement and cost reduction initiatives benefitted third-quarter adjusted earnings per diluted share, as disclosed above, and is reflected in the 45.4% growth in adjusted EBITDA to \$8.7 million. During the third quarter, Addus took the previously discussed write-off for the Contact Center, which accounted for approximately \$1.8 million of the \$3.7 million restructure charges for the quarter. In addition, the Company closed three underperforming adult day services locations during the third quarter, accounting for the remainder of the restructure charge.

Addus completed the third quarter of 2016 with \$39.4 million in cash, \$24.4 million of bank debt and \$69.5 million of availability under its revolving credit facility. Net cash provided by operating activities was \$49.3 million for the quarter and \$31.0 million for the first nine months of 2016.

Mr. Allison concluded, "There are compelling dynamics supporting the long-term growth of the personal care industry, while increasing regulatory pressure and operating complexity increase consolidation pressures in this highly fragmented industry. We believe Addus is well positioned in this environment, due to our scale and financial strength. We are confident in our ability to deliver high quality, cost-effective care to our consumers. Through continued execution of proven organic growth and acquisition strategies, we expect to produce further profitable growth and increased shareholder value."

Non-GAAP Financial Measures

The information provided in this release includes adjusted net income per diluted share, adjusted EBITDA and adjusted net service revenues, which are non-GAAP financial measures. The Company defines adjusted net income per diluted share as net income per diluted share, adjusted for M&A expenses, stock-based compensation expense, restructure charges and severance and other costs. The Company defines adjusted EBITDA as net income before interest expense, taxes, depreciation, amortization, M&A expenses, stock-based compensation expense, restructure charges and severance and other costs. The Company defines adjusted net service revenues as net service revenues adjusted for the closure of certain sites. The Company has provided, in the financial statement tables included in this press release, a reconciliation of adjusted net income per diluted share to net income per diluted share, a reconciliation of adjusted net service revenues to net service revenues, in each case, the most directly comparable GAAP measure. Management believes that adjusted net income per diluted share, adjusted EBITDA and adjusted net service revenues are useful to investors, management and others in evaluating the Company's operating performance, to provide investors with insight and consistency in the Company's financial reporting and to present a basis for comparison of the Company's business operations among periods, and to facilitate comparison with the results of the Company's peers.

Conference Call

Addus will host a conference call on Tuesday, November 8, 2016, beginning at 9:00 a.m. Eastern time. The toll-free dial-in number is (877) 930-8289 (international dial-in number is (253) 336-8714), pass code 86854992. A telephonic replay of the conference call will be available through midnight on November 15, 2016, by dialing (855) 859-2056 (international dial-in number is (404) 537-3406) and entering pass code 86854992.

A live broadcast of Addus HomeCare's conference call will be available under the Investor Relations section of the Company's website: www.addus.com. An online replay of the conference call will also be available on the Company's website for one month, beginning approximately three hours following the conclusion of the live broadcast.

Forward-Looking Statements

Certain matters discussed in this press release constitute forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Such forward-looking statements may be identified by words such as "continue," "expect," and similar expressions. These forward-looking statements are based on our current expectations and beliefs concerning future developments and their potential effect on us. Forward-looking statements involve a number of risks and uncertainties that may cause actual results to differ materially from those expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements, including discretionary determinations by government officials, the consummation and integration of acquisitions, anticipated transition to managed care providers, our ability to successfully execute our growth strategy, unexpected increases in SG&A and other expenses, expected benefits and unexpected costs of acquisitions and dispositions, management plans related to dispositions, the possibility that expected benefits may not materialize as expected, the failure of the business to perform as expected, changes in reimbursement, changes in government regulations, changes in Addus HomeCare's relationships with referral sources, increased competition for Addus HomeCare's services, changes in the interpretation of government regulations, the uncertainty regarding the outcome of discussions with managed care organizations, changes in tax rates, the impact of adverse weather, higher than anticipated costs, lower than anticipated cost savings, estimation inaccuracies in future revenues, margins, earnings and growth, whether any anticipated receipt of payments will materialize and other risks set forth in the Risk Factors section in Addus HomeCare's Annual Report on Form 10-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on March 11, 2016, which is available at www.sec.gov. Addus HomeCare undertakes no obligation to update or revise any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise. In addition, these forward-looking statements necessarily depend upon assumptions, estimates and dates that may be incorrect or imprecise and involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors. Accordingly, any forward-looking statements included in this press release do not purport to be predictions of future events or circumstances and may not be realized. (Unaudited tables and notes follow).

About Addus

Addus is a provider of comprehensive personal care services, which are provided in the home. Addus' services provide assistance with activities of daily living and adult day care. Addus' consumers are primarily persons who are at risk of hospitalization or institutionalization, such as the elderly, chronically ill and disabled. Addus' payor clients include federal, state and local governmental agencies, managed care organizations, commercial insurers and private individuals. At September 30, 2016, Addus provided personal care services to approximately 34,000 consumers through 118 locations across 24 states. For more information, please visit www.addus.com.

ADDUS HOMECARE CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES Condensed Consolidated Statements of Income (amounts and shares in thousands, except per share data) (Unaudited)

Income Statement Information:	E	For the Three Months Ended September 30,			Ēr		ine Months otember 30,		
Not assiss seven		2016		2015				2015	
Net service revenues	Ф	103,502	\$	84,331		297,032		252,055	
Cost of service revenues		76,079		60,809		219,594		182,925	
Gross profit		27,423		23,522		77,438		69,130	
		26.5%		27.9%		26.1%		27.4%	
General and administrative expenses		23,207		18,041		64,953		52,617	
Depreciation and amortization		1,721		1,197		4,943		3,504	
Total operating expenses		24,928		19,238		69,896		56,121	
Operating income from continuing operations		2,495		4,284		7,542		13,009	
Total interest expense, net		632		163		1,714		505	
Other income		126		-		126		-	
Income before income taxes		1,989		4,121		5,954		12,504	
Income tax expense		290		1,234		1,498		4,202	
Net income	\$	1,699	\$	2,887	\$	4,456	\$	8,302	
Net income per diluted share:	\$	0.15	\$	0.26	\$	0.40	\$	0.74	
Weighted average number of common shares outstanding:									
Diluted		11,417		11,247		11,227		11,183	
Cash Flow Information:	For the Three Months Ended September 30,				Months				
		2016		2015		2016		2015	
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	\$	49,256	\$	(26,258)	\$	30,991	\$	8,786	
Net cash (used in) investing activities		(457)		(555)	(21,617)		(5,712)	
Net cash (used in) provided by financing activities	(17,593)		(334)	`	25,968		(1,560)	

Net change in cash
Cash at the beginning of the period
Cash at the end of the period

31,206	((27,147)	35,342	1,514	
8,240		42,024	4,104	13,363	
\$ 39,446	\$	14,877	\$ 39,446	\$ 14.877	

ADDUS HOMECARE CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets (Amounts in thousands) (Unaudited)

	September 30,			r 30,
		2016		2015
Assets Current assets				
Cash				
	\$	39,446	\$	14,877
Accounts receivable, net		80,454		78,395
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		4,485		7,644
Deferred tax assets		8,640		8,508
Total current assets		133,025		109,424
Property and equipment, net		5,993		8,187
Other assets				
Goodwill		73,851		65,962
Intangible assets, net				
		16,671		10,179
Investment in joint venture		900		900
Other assets		_		404
Total other assets	_	91,422		77,445
Total assets	\$	230,440	\$	195,056
Liabilities and stockholders' equity				
Current liabilities				
Accounts payable	\$	4,268	\$	4,869
Accrued expenses		43,929		42,118
Current portion of long-term debt, net of debt issuance costs		2,244		1,100
Current portion of contingent earn-out obligation		_		1,250
Total current liabilities	_	50,441		49,337
Long-term debt, less current portion, net of debt issuance costs		22,723		2,162
Deferred tax liability		6,815		5,832
Total long-term liabilities		29,538		7,994
Total liabilities		79,979		57,331
Total stockholders' equity		150,461		137,725
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$	230,440	\$	195,056

ADDUS HOMECARE CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES Key Statistical and Financial Data (Unaudited)

	For the Three	For the Nine Months				
	Ended Septer	mber 30,	Ended September 30,			
	2016	2015	2016	2015		
General:						
Adjusted EBITDA (in thousands) (1)	\$ 8,652	\$ 5,950	\$ 22,808	\$ 18,233		
States served at period end	-	=	24	21		
Locations at period end	-	-	118	122		
Employees at period end	-	-	22,140	19,642		
Home & Community						
Average billable census - same store (2)	33,041	32,407	32,786	32,808		
Average billable census - acquisitions (3)	1,251	-	1,107	-		
Average billable census total	34,292	32,407	33,893	32,808		
Billable hours (in thousands)	5,972	4,860	17,154	14,626		
Average billable hours per census per month	58.1	50.0	56.2	49.5		
Billable hours per business day	90,490	73,635	87,522	75,004		
Revenues per billable hour	\$ 17.33	\$ 17.35	\$ 17.32	\$ 17.23		
Percentage of Revenues by Payor:						
State, local and other governmental programs	70.8	78.1	72.0	77.8		
Managed care organizations	25.8	18.1	24.4	18.2		
Private duty	2.3	2.8	2.5	3.0		
Commercial	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.0		

⁽¹⁾ We define Adjusted EBITDA as net income before interest expense, other non-operating income, taxes, depreciation, amortization, M&A expenses, stock-based compensation expense, restructure charges and severance and other costs. Adjusted EBITDA is a performance measure used by management that is not calculated in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States (GAAP). It should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for net income, operating income or any other measure of financial performance calculated in accordance with GAAP.

ADDUS HOMECARE CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures (amounts in thousands, except per share data) (Unaudited)

		For the Three Months Ended September 30,				For the Nine Months Ended September 30,			
	2016		2015		2016		2015		
Reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA to Net Income: (1)									
Net income	\$	1,699	\$	2,887	\$	4,456	\$	8,302	
Interest expense, net		632		163		1,714		505	
Other non-operating income		(126)		-		(126)		-	
Income tax expense		290		1,234		1,498		4,202	
Depreciation and amortization		1,721		1,197		4,943		3,504	
M&A expenses		43		57		785		558	
Stock-based compensation expense		445		412		1,264		1,162	
Restructure charges		3,690		-		5,243		-	
Severance and other costs		258		-		3,031		-	
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	8,652	\$	5,950	\$	22,808	\$	18,233	

⁽²⁾ Exited sites would have reduced same store census for the three months ended September 30, 2015 by 357.

⁽³⁾ The average billable census in acquisitions of 607 for the three months ended September 30, 2015 was reclassified to average billable census same stores for comparability purposes. The average billable census for the three months ended September 30, 2016 was prorated for the date of the acquisition.

Reconciliation of Net Income per Diluted Share to Adjusted Net Income per Diluted Share: (2)

Revenues associated with the closure of certain sites

Adjusted net service revenues

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Net income per diluted share	\$ 0.15	\$ 0.26	\$	0.40	\$	0.74
M&A expenses per diluted share	=	-		0.05		0.03
Normalization of effective tax rate	(0.04)	-		(0.04)		-
Restructure charges per diluted share	0.23	-		0.32		-
Severance and other costs per diluted share	0.02	-		0.18		-
Stock-based compensation expense per diluted share	0.03	0.03		0.08		0.07
Adjusted net income diluted share	\$ 0.39	\$ 0.29	\$	0.99	\$	0.84
Reconciliation of Net Service Revenues to Adjusted						
Net Service Revenues: (3)						
Net service revenues	\$ 103,502	\$ 84,331	\$ 2	97,032	\$ 2	52,055

(225)

\$ 103,277

\$ 296,311

(721)

(396)

83,935

\$ 244,645

(7,410)

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