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InterMed, P.A. Partners with MPV to Improve Contract Management Processes

Medical group will use MPV Phynance™ to optimize contract performance and increase revenue

AUSTIN, Texas – May 2, 2006 – Medical Present Value, Inc. (MPV), a leading provider of financial tools and expert services to manage payor contracts and audit reimbursement, today announced it has secured a new contract with InterMed, P.A. (South Portland, Maine). The 55-physician medical group will use MPV Phynance to improve contract performance and optimize payor collections.

MPV Phynance is a Web-based application that values healthcare claims based on the terms of each individual payor contract, enabling InterMed to:

- Identify and appeal claims paid at less than the contract rate;
- Discover potential registration and posting errors;
- Track overall and individual contract performance;
- Recognize and modify contract language that may lead to underpayments;
- Assess the implications of proposed contracts; and
- Enhance future negotiations with payors.

MPV also provides contract modeling and definition services in combination with Phynance and continually updates Medicare, state and other payment rules to ensure claim pricing is accurate.

"Today's healthcare providers need accurate, real-time information to help them assess their cash flow and better manage payor contracts," said Tom Stampiglia, CEO of MPV. "MPV Phynance helps medical groups like InterMed proactively evaluate the performance of existing contracts and provides the data needed to improve contract terms during negotiations with payors."

About MPV

MPV provides medical groups with innovative financial tools and expert consultative services to manage and negotiate payor contracts and to identify, appeal and recover contractually underpaid claims. The company serves more than 17,000 physician clients. For more information, please visit www.mpv.com.

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