



ABM Ranked #3 Outsourcer by Modern Healthcare Magazine

Holliston, MA - September 5, 2011 - ABM Industries, Inc. (NYSE:ABM), parent company of Linc Health, LLC, has been ranked as one of the top three healthcare outsourcing firms, according to *Modern Healthcare's* 2011 Outsourcing Survey.

This marks the third consecutive year that Linc Health has been named to the top 20. Rankings for the list were determined by outsourcing firms' total number of healthcare facilities. When Linc Health was acquired by ABM as part of The Linc Group in December 2010, its clinical engineering and facility management business base was aggregated with the Environmental Services, Transportation Management, and Security services to healthcare of ABM, creating a full service outsourcing company. With over 1,000 healthcare customers, ABM was ranked third overall, among 42 companies responding to the survey.

When questioned about its continuing clinical engineering services growth, Raymond Zambuto, Linc Health President, noted: "It's very difficult for a medium or even large facility to have the right in-house maintenance staff." He went on to note that: "Equipment is so varied and the complexity of interfacing with the MRI typically goes beyond the ability of an in-house department."

Modern Healthcare's 33rd annual survey of outsourcing activity was conducted amidst a continuing trend among healthcare providers to cut expenses and maximize revenue by outsourcing functions they had kept in-house previously. In addition to the top 20 outsourcing firms, the survey also ranked the top emergency department contractors; hospital department management; information systems contractors; food service contractors; housekeeping contractors; laundry contractors; and pharmacy contractors.

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Linc Health, LLC (Linc Health) is the leading provider of high-value engineering-based services to the commercial healthcare industry. Linc Health's portfolio includes comprehensive Facilities Management, Clinical Engineering programs and other technical services. As a business-to-business productivity partner and a leader in technology process improvement services, Linc Health combines business, technology, and healthcare expertise under a single roof. Linc Health corporate offices are located in Holliston, Massachusetts.

ABM Industries, Inc. (NYSE:ABM), which operates through its subsidiaries (collectively, "ABM"), is a leading provider of facility services in the United States. With fiscal 2010 revenues of approximately \$4 billion and more than 90,000 employees, ABM provides janitorial, facility, engineering, parking and security services for thousands of commercial, industrial, institutional and retail facilities across the United States, Puerto Rico and British Columbia, Canada. ABM's business services include ABM Janitorial Services, ABM Facility Services, ABM Engineering Services, Ampco System Parking and ABM Security Services. For more information, visit www.abm.com.