

**MEDICINE SHOPPE INTERNATIONAL, INC. TEAMS UP WITH MEDISCA INC.
TO PROVIDE COMPOUNDING RESOURCES FOR PHARMACIES**

Medicine Shoppe® and Medicap Pharmacy® stores to receive discount and training from leader in compounding industry

St. Louis, Mo., June 7, 2007 – Medicine Shoppe International, Inc. (MSI) has selected Medisca Inc. as the company’s preferred vendor for compounding-related chemicals, equipment and training. This strategic alliance brings exclusive pricing, access to compounding training and formulas and support services for Medicine Shoppe and Medicap Pharmacy franchisees.

The alliance is part of MSI’s Specialized Care Center (SCC) – Compounding, one of four turnkey programs available for Medicine Shoppe and Medicap Pharmacy franchisees to integrate into their pharmacies that provide customers with educational services, health information and products in niche areas such as compounding, diabetes, long term care and specialty pharmacy. Pharmacies offering an SCC dedicate a portion of their business to serving the particular niche health need with extra counseling and product offerings, and often undergo special certifications or training.

“Medicine Shoppe and Medicap Pharmacy stores are uniquely positioned to serve customers who need extra attention and care -- those with a chronic health condition such as diabetes or those who require a custom-compounded medication, are in a long term care facility, or are in need of training and information on specialty medications -- because our pharmacists spend time counseling their customers and get to know them,” said Keith Cook, vice president of Pharmacy Solutions for MSI. “Our alliance with Medisca will offer additional business support and cost efficiencies for our franchisees who compound, ultimately benefiting our customers.”

Approximately 60 percent of Medicine Shoppe and Medicap Pharmacy stores currently offer compounding services.

About Medicine Shoppe International, Inc.

Medicine Shoppe International, Inc. www.medicineshoppe.com, a Cardinal Health Company, is the largest franchisor of independent community pharmacies in the U.S. In 2003, Medicine Shoppe International acquired Medicap Pharmacies Incorporated www.medicap.com, which franchises independent community pharmacies in the U.S. under the trade name Medicap Pharmacy®. Medicine Shoppe(R) and Medicap Pharmacy(R) locations are distinguished for their commitment to providing expert, personalized health care. There are nearly 1,000 domestic Medicine Shoppe® Pharmacies and Medicap Pharmacy® locations and more than 400 pharmacies in six other countries.

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