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ACCESSIBLE, AFFORDABLE AND CONVENIENT: TELADOC'S MEDICAL TELEPHONE CONSULT SERVICE ANNOUNCES MILLION MEMBER MILESTONE

- *TelaDoc's one millionth member Susan Escalante, homecare worker and member of SEIU-ULTCW Local 6434 (Calif.), awarded TelaDoc benefits for life at ceremonies in Washington, DC*
- *Physician-centric model appeals to all Americans*

DALLAS, Tex./ PORT HUENEME, Calif. -- December 3, 2007 – TelaDoc, a national network of board-certified, licensed primary care physicians which provides cross coverage services on demand to members, will announce that Susan Escalante, a member of SEIU-ULTCW Local 6434, is receiving TelaDoc benefits for life in recognition of becoming the company's one millionth member. During the ceremony on Tuesday, December 4, 2007 in the Dirksen Senate Office building, Washington, D.C., TelaDoc CEO Michael Gorton, along with Tommy Thompson, former U.S. Secretary of Health and Human Services and Governor of the State of Wisconsin, and Representative Lois Capps (D-CA; 23rd district) will present the award to Escalante and her family before an audience of distinguished government officials and industry healthcare leaders, including Tyrone Freeman, president of the Service Employees International Union-United Long-Term Care Workers' Union (SEIU-ULTCW).

"TelaDoc offers health plan sponsors and their members age 12 and older convenient, cost-effective access to board-certified physicians, allowing members to avoid the expense and time of urgent care facilities, emergency rooms or visits to the doctor," said Michael Gorton, TelaDoc chairman and CEO. "This innovative cross-coverage methodology, whereby other physicians cover for them after hours, improves access to health services and significantly lowers the cost of medical care – two of the leading problematic issues in our nation's health care system which are breaking the back of American corporations, individuals, and the uninsured and underinsured."

Members of TelaDoc have access to experienced physicians who have their medical record and can diagnose routine, non-emergency, medical problems via the telephone. Once enrolled, plan members simply call TelaDoc to request a consultation and a return call from a doctor within three hours is guaranteed. TelaDoc consulting physicians recommend treatment and prescribe short-term medication if appropriate (excluding DEA or controlled substances) over the telephone 24 hours a

day, 365 days a year. The prescription is then called into the member's pharmacy. In addition, TelaDoc includes a portable electronic health record (EHR) that is available free of charge to both patients and physicians.

"TelaDoc exemplifies the strength of a private sector initiative to lower health care costs, improve consumer access to quality services, and provide convenient health care for all Americans," said Tommy Thompson, former U.S. Secretary of Health and Human Services and Governor of the State of Wisconsin. "The inclusion of a portable electronic health record that is free to both physicians and patients is of special value to our entire health care system, bringing us a step closer to streamlined continuity of care."

According to Freeman, "TelaDoc embodies the type of service that our country needs to move health care reform forward, providing quality care that is both cost efficient and medically effective, and giving individuals a secure electronic health record that they can take with them throughout their lifetime. We are gratified that one of our own constituents has become TelaDoc's one millionth member and will enjoy the valuable benefits of this innovative service."

SEIU is the fastest-growing union in North America, with 1.9 million members in the United States, Canada, and Puerto Rico; ULTCW, with over 190,000 homecare and nursing home workers across California, is committed to improving the lives of seniors and people with disabilities. A union member since 1995, Susan Escalante is an independent provider for Ventura County Public Authority-In Home Support Services and travels daily to individual homes. She is currently a member of the executive board of SEIU-ULTCW Local 6434.

"I have been a strong union supporter for many years and have so much respect and admiration for the work that our president, Tyrone Freeman, has done for homecare workers in California," says Escalante. "An example of his work is TelaDoc. TelaDoc gives all homecare workers in SEIU-ULTCW Local 6434 the ability to have access to medical care, which until now many did not have as they did not work enough hours to be eligible for the insurance plans offered by the contracts in the ten counties."

Individuals seeking membership in TelaDoc can enroll online, by phone or via mail at anytime, and they are eligible to receive a consult on the same day of registration. The TelaDoc helpline is available 24 hours-a-day in English and Spanish, and all services conform to HIPAA privacy guidelines.

About TelaDoc

TelaDoc provides a network of state licensed primary care physicians providing *cross coverage consultations* 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, and 365 days a year. TelaDoc physicians diagnose routine, non-emergency, medical problems via telephone, recommend treatment and prescribe medication when necessary, excluding DEA controlled substances. For more information, visit www.teladoc.com.