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## **Jennifer Low-Pope Chosen as a Future Long Term and Post-Acute Care Leader for National Organization**



JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI - Nexion Health is pleased to announce that Jennifer Low-Pope, NHA, has been chosen by the American Health Care Association and the National Center for Assisted Living (AHCA/NCAL) as a national, future leader in long-term and post-acute care. Jennifer Low Pope will join AHCA/NCAL's Future Leaders program, a year-long program that offers training and guidance for industry professionals.

Jennifer is a graduate of the University of Memphis where she earned her Bachelor's Degree in Healthcare Administration. She further graduated from Union University with her Master's Degree in Business Administration. She is a licensed Nursing Home Administrator and has been instrumental in helping two of her facilities achieve the AHCA/NCAL Bronze National Quality Award along with various other recognitions over her 13 years in the long-term care industry.

"I want to extend my sincerest congratulations to Jennifer Low Pope and our new class of Future Leaders," said Mark Parkinson, president and CEO of AHCA/NCAL. "These individuals have distinguished themselves with the potential to guide long term care into the future, and I am excited to watch this class grow into the profession's leaders of tomorrow."

AHCA/NCAL developed the Future Leaders program in 2004. Selected participants demonstrate both leadership potential and represent the interests of state and national long term care providers. The program covers the latest theories and practical applications in quality management, customer satisfaction, and leadership. The year-long program kicks off with the "Future Leaders of Long Term Care in America" Symposium held each year in Washington, D.C.

### **ABOUT AHCA/NCAL**

The American Health Care Association and National Center for Assisted Living (AHCA/NCAL) represents more than 14,500 non-profit and proprietary skilled nursing centers, assisted living communities, sub-acute centers and homes for individuals with intellectual and development disabilities. By delivering solutions for quality care, AHCA/NCAL aims to improve the lives of the millions of frail, elderly and individuals with disabilities who receive long term or post-acute care in our member facilities each day. For more information, please visit [www.ahcancal.org](http://www.ahcancal.org).

Nexion Health affiliates operate skilled nursing facilities in Louisiana, Mississippi and Texas and two assisted living facilities in Louisiana. Nexion affiliates provide short-term and long-term care, supported by competent clinical teams that are equipped with the skills, tools and state-of-the-art equipment necessary to take care of the needs of their residents.