# **Privacy Policy—AHCC® Research Association**

#### General

AHCC® Research Association respects the privacy of every individual who visits www.ahccresearch.org (the "Web Site"). This Privacy Policy outlines the information AHCC® Research Association will collect and how we will use that information.

## **Personally-Identifiable Information**

There may be cases where AHCC® Research Association will ask you for personally-identifiable information such as your name, mailing address, and email address. AHCC® Research Association will not collect any personally-identifiable information about you unless you provide it to us voluntarily. Your information is used so we can better communicate with you via mail, email, or telephone (i) regarding support programs; (ii) to provide you with educational information and materials; (iii) to conduct surveys regarding our programs and materials and (iv) for such other purposes as may be required or permitted by applicable law. If you sign up for emails or other communications from us, you can opt out per the instructions on each communication you receive.

Except as stated in this Privacy Policy or as AHCC® Research Association may be legally required or as otherwise stated at the time personally-identifiable information is gathered, we will not provide personally-identifiable information to third parties who are not under the direction and control of AHCC® Research Association.

#### Children

The Web Site is not directed at individuals under twenty-one (21) years of age, and AHCC® Research Association does not intend to collect any personally-identifiable information from such individuals, unless otherwise stated at the time such information is collected.

## **Information Collected Automatically**

AHCC® Research Association may also automatically collect non-personally-identifiable information about your use of the Web Site, such as the domain from which you access the Internet (for example, aol.com, if you are connecting from an America Online account), the date and time you access the Web Site, and the Internet address of the web site from which you linked directly to our Web Site. This information will not be linked to personally-identifiable information. AHCC® Research Association may use this information to analyze and enhance the Web Site, and may aggregate this information and share such aggregated information with business partners, sponsors and other third parties.

#### **Links to Other Web Sites**

The Web Site may allow links to various other web sites. AHCC® Research Association assumes no responsibility for the information practices of sites you are able to access through the Web Site. These links to other sites do not imply affiliation or endorsement of a linked site.

## **Security**

The importance of security for all personally-identifiable information associated with visitors to the Web Site is of utmost concern to us. Unfortunately, no data transmission over the Internet can be guaranteed to be secure. As a result, AHCC® Research Association cannot ensure or warrant the security of any information you transmit to us, and you do so at your own risk. Once we receive your personally-identifiable information, we will take reasonable efforts to ensure its security on our systems.

# **Your Acceptance of These Terms**

By using the Web Site, you signify your assent to the AHCC® Research Association. If you do not agree to this Policy, please do not use the Web Site. Your continued use of the Web Site following the posting of changes to these terms will mean you accept those changes. AHCC® Research Association will, however, use personally-identifiable information only in accordance with the version of the Privacy Policy under which the information was collected.

#### **Terms and Conditions of Use**

Use of the Web Site is governed by the AHCC® Research Association Legal Statement.

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