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Ted Rogalski to Chair 2022 Illinois Health and Hospital Association Board

Naperville—Ted Rogalski, Administrator, Genesis Medical Center, Aledo, became Chair of the Illinois Health and Hospital Association's (IHA) 2022 Board of Trustees on Jan. 1, 2022. The Board of Trustees is the policymaking body for the Association, representing more than 200 hospitals and nearly 40 health systems across Illinois.

"With over 30 years of leadership experience in the healthcare industry, Ted understands the challenges and opportunities facing Illinois hospitals—particularly the issues that impact our small and rural hospitals," said IHA President and CEO A.J. Wilhelmi. "His steady leadership and breadth of knowledge will be tremendous assets over the next year, as IHA's Board of Trustees makes decisions on critical healthcare issues."

"I'm both humbled and honored to serve the members of IHA as Chair of the Board of Trustees," said Rogalski. "After two of the most demanding years in the history of healthcare, we know the industry will continue to face many challenges in 2022 and IHA will be vigilant in our efforts to advance policies that will support and strengthen Illinois healthcare. It has been a pleasure to work with the Board of Trustees over the last five years, and I look forward to navigating these pressing issues with my colleagues over the coming year."

Over the past three decades, Rogalski has held a number of leadership positions, including Director of Materials Management, Director of Neurosciences and Imaging Services, and Interim CEO of Genesis Medical Center, DeWitt. For the past 10 years, Rogalski has served as Administrator of Genesis Medical Center, Aledo. He has been an active community volunteer and serves on the boards of the Mercer County Better Together, Friendship Manor, Illinois Critical Access Hospital Network and the American Hospital Association Regional Policy Board. He is a Fellow of the American College of Healthcare Executives.

Rogalski received his bachelor's degree in Business Administration from St. Ambrose University. He received his master's degree in Health Care and Hospital Administration from the University of Iowa.

About Genesis Medical Center

As the only health center in Mercer County, Genesis Medical Center, Aledo is a 22-bed critical access hospital that plays a vital role in providing local healthcare to a diverse population since 1950. It is our mission to provide quality, compassionate care to the community. We are fortunate to be a part of Genesis Health System, which assists us to perform at the highest

levels of quality and safety. Genesis Health System serves a 17-county, bi-state region of the Quad Cities metropolitan area, the surrounding counties of Illinois and Iowa, and is the Quad Cities' only locally owned and operated regional health care system. That longstanding relationship brings our patients the assurance that healthcare decisions impacting our area are made by people who live and work in the same region that they do. For more information click here.

About IHA

The Illinois Health and Hospital Association, with offices in Chicago, Naperville, Springfield, and Washington, D.C., advocates for Illinois' more than 200 hospitals and nearly 40 health systems as they serve their patients and communities. IHA members provide a broad range of services—not just within their walls, but across the continuum of healthcare and in their communities. Reflecting the diversity of the state, IHA members consist of nonprofit, investor-owned and public hospitals in the following categories: community, safety net, rural, critical access, specialty, and teaching hospitals, including academic medical centers. For more information, see www.team-iha.org. Like IHA on Facebook. Follow IHA on Twitter.

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