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VoiceViewer® Helps Hospitals Take Care of Patients Instead of Paperwork

BANNOCKBURN, IL, September 25, 2007—VoiceViewer Technologies, Inc. (VVT), a pioneering technology company developing innovative speech-recognition tools for day-to-day business processes, has launched a new initiative targeting the healthcare industry. The company, led by founder and CEO Mike Petera, is offering its revolutionary VoiceViewer® to hospitals, long-term care facilities, clinics, and physicians' practices to facilitate the capture and documentation of patient data.

VoiceViewer is a handheld, wireless, speech-recognition device that enables caregivers to enter patient information at the point of care—simply by talking—and allows them to upload it into a computer to automatically complete forms and charts. It's designed to replace time-consuming, redundant data-collection with a more efficient, intuitive, and accurate process.

According to Petera, "VoiceViewer is 'a natural' for VVT. My wife, Cathy, is a nurse. Like most RNs, she finds interacting with patients the most rewarding part of her job. Yet nearly every day, she's frustrated with her heavy workload and the excessive amount of time, and even overtime, she spends taking care of paperwork instead of patients. She'd much rather be at the patient's bedside than behind a computer terminal.

"It's a problem shared by nurses at many healthcare facilities," Petera explained. "Industry-wide, institutions of all sizes are being challenged to do more with less, including staff. And the growing nursing shortage is expected to continue for years, making matters worse."

As head of VoiceViewer Technologies and the holder of three patents in display system technology, Petera was in a unique position to do something about the issue. He spearheaded development of a new tool that would make information capture more efficient, accurate, and intuitive for the nurses and more comfortable and non-intrusive for the patient.

VVT utilizes a facility's existing patient information forms to create a customized script and sequence of questions that are loaded into the VoiceViewer tool. Upon hearing the prompts, the nurse enters the appropriate patient data by speaking or using the touchpad. Answers can be replayed and edited at any time during or after data collection.

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At a convenient time, the nurse simply transfers the information wirelessly or via USB to the VVT server, where it is automatically converted into an electronic data file and completed forms are generated.

Petera sees using VoiceViewer as a “win-win-win situation” for healthcare facilities, nurses, and patients. “By eliminating the costs and risks of manual data entry and improving the efficiency, productivity, and morale of the nursing staff, VoiceViewer contributes to a healthier bottom line. It’s beneficial for patients, too, helping them to get more involved in their own care and improving their whole hospital experience.”

For more information, visit www.voiceviewer.com.

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About VoiceViewer Technologies, Inc.

Headquartered in Bannockburn, IL, VoiceViewer Technologies, Inc. (VVT) is the first company to integrate interactive speech-recognition, wireless communication, and innovative technologies with customer-driven application software for the healthcare industry. Prior to starting VVT, Petera was vice president of engineering and director of advanced design concepts for Three-Five Systems, Inc., the leading U.S. manufacturer of liquid crystal display systems for mobile applications.