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Sheakley UniComp's Growth Hits Record High

Dramatically expands client base to nearly 120,000 employers in the State of Ohio

Cincinnati, Ohio (June 23, 2010) — Sheakley UniComp, Inc., Cincinnati based Ohio workers' compensation managed care organization (MCO) has dramatically expanded its client base from just over 55,000 policies to nearly 120,000 – a 114% increase since March, 2010. UniComp is now the second largest Managed Care Organization for workers' compensation in the state of Ohio.

In the last three months, nearly 65,000 clients were added to Sheakley UniComp's client base resulting in a total of nearly 120,000 employers currently serviced for workers' compensation managed care services. With this great influx of clients, UniComp has opened a Columbus office location adding over 70 additional staff members.

"After 47 years in the business, Sheakley is still strong and will continue to intensify our growth through targeted acquisitions which complement our existing workers' comp business. Most notably, we have successfully acquired two major leaders in the Ohio workers' comp industry – R.E. Harrington Benefit Services in 2000 and Gates McDonald & Company's workers' comp and MCO services in 2010," said Larry A. Sheakley, Chief Executive Officer of Sheakley.

As one of the first MCOs certified by the Ohio BWC, Sheakley UniComp, Inc., has been in operation since March 1997. Sheakley has acquired six MCOs since 1998. Acquisitions and future open enrollments remain the vehicle to expand the growth of Sheakley.

"With the recent BWC MCO open enrollment ending this past May 28th, Sheakley UniComp is proud to have earned our 95% retention rate. Our employers are familiar with Sheakley's reputation and feel confident to place their trust in our MCO with a blended team of staff members," said Shari Herper, Sr. Vice President of Sheakley.

Sheakley UniComp, Inc., an affiliate of Sheakley, is the 2nd largest MCO in the state of Ohio. Sheakley is dedicated to providing quality, cost effective medical care which will facilitates a safe and timely return to work. The program promotes proper and continuous communication between the injured worker, the employer, the provider, and the Ohio BWC making the medical management of Workers' Compensation claims easier for all parties involved.

About Sheakley

Sheakley specializes in the fields of workers' compensation, safety services, payroll, HR solutions, 401(k) services, flexible benefits plans, physician billing, vocational rehab, unemployment services, and merchandise for small to mid-size employers. Recognized as a leader in its industry, Sheakley gets the job done for its clients by providing essential business solutions that save customers time and money. Sheakley's unique relationship with its clients provides personalized customer service and focuses on results. View the Sheakley website at <http://www.sheakley.com>