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**GBA Announces SCRIPTfx e-Prescribing Solution
Allows Customers to Benefit from Medicare Incentive**

Warwick, RI – March 4, 2009 – GBA Health Network Systems announced today the addition of SCRIPTfx for e-prescribing to its solution stack. SCRIPTfx exchanges data seamlessly with MEDfx, GBA’s flagship browser-based enterprise practice automation software. It also is available as a standalone solution for legacy practice management software.

SCRIPTfx securely submits electronic prescriptions to any retail or mail-order pharmacy while assessing comprehensive clinical information for each patient. The patient’s eligibility is checked along with formulary interaction and medication and pharmacy fill histories.

“We are extremely pleased to have DrFirst join us as a partner to provide our customers with a fully integrated and deep-featured e-prescribing solution,” said Colin P. Barry, GBA President/CEO.

“With the newly effective 2% incentive payment policy for the adoption of e-prescribing from the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid (CMS), GBA wanted to offer a product that would allow its customers to benefit from the incentive formula that started on January 1, 2009,” added Mr. Barry. “E-prescribing is the easiest way for a medical office to integrate healthcare information technology into its practice – often as the first step towards establishing the federally mandated Electronic Health Records (EHR) for its patients,” he added.

It was the Medicare incentive that prompted the internal medicine practice of Dr. Thomas E. Judd, Holyoke, MA, to install GBA’s SCRIPTfx. “With a practice that is 75% Medicare patients, the office was eager to participate in the financial incentives that are offered by CMS through 2013,” explained Office Manager Kim Ritchie. The long-standing GBA customer, who now uses MEDfx, was an early adopter of SCRIPTfx.

With just a month or so under their belt, the solo physician practice finds SCRIPTfx “robust, easy to use, and very affordable,” said Ms. Ritchie. Most impressive to her practice is the drug formulary, the eligibility, and the prior authorization features of SCRIPTfx. When patients leave the office to pick up a prescription at their pharmacies, it is unlikely that they will face coverage, allergy interactions, or authorization issues when they get there. “That saves time and hassle for the patient, for the pharmacy, for the doctor, and for the practice staff,” she said.

Among SCRIPTfx features are:

- Online availability anytime, anywhere
- Drug/drug, drug/allergy interaction checking, dosage alerts, and other clinical decision tools
- Real-time patient medication lists pulled from three Pharmacy Benefit Management administrators (PBM) and pharmacy fill history
- Legible prescriptions sent electronically
- Patient-specific formulary status displayed at point of care
- Electronic mail-order connectivity to Medco Mail Order, Express Scripts, CVS/Caremark, Prime Therapeutics, Prescription Solutions, Pharmacare, Wellpoint Next Rx
- One click renewals
- Intuitive user interface
- Powered by DrFirst Rcopia, which is SureScripts GoldRx certified

About GBA Health Network Systems

GBA Health Network Systems, a privately-held company since 1984, is dedicated to the modernization and automation of today’s medical office. Celebrating its 25th anniversary in 2009 of continuous operation, the company has provided ambulatory solutions to over 10,000 practices nationwide. GBA’s flagship product, MEDfx, is a browser-based enterprise practice automation solution with a ground breaking design allowing easy integration to any clinical solution – ranging from Electronic Health Records (EHR) to community Health Information Exchange (HIE). Visit us on the web at www.gbahn.com.

About DrFirst

DrFirst is a national provider of physician connectivity services through its award-winning, GoldRx Certified Rcopia electronic prescription management system. Founded in 2000, DrFirst creates innovative services targeted to physicians in both ambulatory and acute care environments. DrFirst solutions are widely integrated with practice management and electronic medical records software through its "Open Borders" program, and the company counts among its client base not only physician practices, but major health plans, health systems, and EMR vendors. DrFirst partners with SureScripts - RxHub for pharmacy connectivity, health plan information, and patient medication history. More information about DrFirst can be found at www.drfirst.com.