

For the Fourth Year in a Row, The Phia Group, LLC has been named to Inc. Magazine's List of America's Fastest Growing Private Companies

NEW YORK, August 21, 2012 -- *Inc.* Magazine ranked The Phia Group on its 31st annual Inc. 500|5000 list, an exclusive ranking of the nation's fastest-growing private companies. This is the fourth consecutive year that The Phia Group has made it to the list. The list represents the most comprehensive look at the most important segment of the economy--America's independent entrepreneurs. Companies such as Microsoft, Zappos, Intuit, Jamba Juice, Zipcar, Clif Bar, Vizio, Oracle, and many other well-known names gained early exposure as members of the Inc. 500|5000.

"It is an honor to be on this prestigious list for the fourth year in a row, and we are looking forward to year five! Our consistent growth and reputation is a testament to our staff's passion for savings in the health insurance industry." said Adam V. Russo, Esq. CEO, The Phia Group, LLC

"Now, more than ever, we depend on Inc. 500/5000 companies to spur innovation, provide jobs, and drive the economy forward. Growth companies, not large corporations, are where the action is," says Inc. magazine Editor **Eric Schurenberg**.

About Inc.

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About the Inc. 500|5000 Conference

Each year, *Inc.* and Inc.com celebrate the remarkable achievements of today's entrepreneurial superstars--the privately held small businesses that drive our economy. The Inc. 500|5000 Conference & Awards Ceremony brings together members of the *Inc.* community, both a new class of Inc. 500|5000 honorees and the list's alumni, for three days of powerful networking, inspired learning, and momentous celebration. Please join us October 3-5, 2012, at the JW Marriott Desert Ridge Resort & Spa in

Phoenix, Arizona. For more information about the 2012 Inc. 500|5000 Conference & Awards Ceremony and to register, visit <u>www.inc500conference.com</u> or call 866-901-3205.

More about The Phia Group, LLC

The Phia Group, LLC, headquartered in Braintree, Massachusetts, is an experienced provider of health care cost containment techniques offering comprehensive claims recovery, plan document and consulting services designed to control health care costs and protect plan assets. The Phia Group's overall mission is to reduce the cost of plans through its recovery strategies, innovative technologies, legal expertise, and focused, flexible customer service.

True to its motto "A Revolutionary Passion for Savings," The Phia Group has become one of the most innovative and fastest growing cost containment firms in the nation, and is a pioneer setting the highest standards in the health care marketplace.