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**ADVANCED DATA PROCESSING, INC. ACQUIRES
AMBULANCE/EMS BILLING COMPANY**

MIAMI, FLORIDA. August 5, 2004. Advanced Data Processing, Inc. (“ADPI”) has acquired the ambulance/emergency medical service (“EMS”) billing operations of Allied Information and Services Corp. (“Allied”), a leading EMS billing company in the Western US.

Allied, based in Oakland, California, specializes in billing and accounts receivable management services for communities that provide emergency and other non-emergency ambulance and first responder services. Allied has served communities in California and Nevada with excellence for over 20 years and has recently expanded its services to Virginia and New Mexico.

Combined with Allied, ADPI, the largest single-specialty EMS billing company in the US, now serves 86 communities in eight states with a combined population of over 12 million residents.

Allied has a rich history in EMS billing in the West while ADPI has an equally rich history in the Southeast. Joining of Allied and ADPI creates a national capability and regional expertise to serve clients and patients across the country.

According to Doug Shamon, ADPI’s President And CEO, “Allied brings additional resources with solid experience, regional expertise, and an outstanding reputation for quality service to ADPI. Allied will implement some of ADPI’s proprietary technology and processes and will gain from ADPI’s resources and expertise in compliance and electronic patient care reporting systems.”