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## HITRUST CSF Certification Press Release

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### **End-Game Strategy Achieves HITRUST CSF Certification to Further Mitigate Risk in Third Party Privacy, Security and Compliance**

HITRUST Certification validates End-Game Strategy is committed to meeting key healthcare regulations and protecting sensitive private healthcare information.

Berlin, CT, April 12, 2017 – End-Game Strategy, a leading provider of Payment Integrity Services, today announced they have earned Certified status for information security by the Health Information Trust (HITRUST) Alliance. With the HITRUST CSF Certified Status, End-Game’s Pre-Game and Post-Game overpayment programs meet key healthcare regulations and requirements for protecting and securing sensitive private healthcare information.

HITRUST CSF Certified status indicates that the organization’s Pre-Game and Post-Game payment integrity programs have met industry-defined requirements and is appropriately managing risk, and places End-Game in an elite group of organizations worldwide that have earned this certification. By including federal and state regulations, standards and frameworks, and incorporating a risk-based approach, the HITRUST CSF helps organizations address these challenges through a comprehensive and flexible framework of prescriptive and scalable security controls.

“Healthcare providers are under great pressure to meet complex compliance requirements that include technical and process elements such as HIPAA, NIST, ISO and COBIT,” said Jim Neary, President at End-Game. “The HITRUST CSF is the gold-standard that needs to be met, and End-Game is pleased to be able to demonstrate its commitment by achieving HITRUST CSF Certification.”

“The HITRUST CSF has become the information protection framework for the health care industry, and the CSF Assurance program is bringing a new level of effectiveness and efficiency to third-party assurance,” said Ken Vander Wal, Chief Compliance Officer, HITRUST. “The CSF Certification is now the benchmark that organizations required to safeguard PHI is measured against with regards to information protection.”

#### **About End-Game Strategy**

End-Game Strategy is an innovative company that provides payment integrity services to Health Payers, Third Party Administrators and Recovery suppliers. Using proprietary software, claim experts and 30 years of auditing experience, we help our customers improve claim quality, financial performance and significantly reduce administrative claim expense.

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