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**ZIEGLER ADVISES CANCER CENTER ONCOLOGY MEDICAL GROUP  
ON ITS PARTNERSHIP WITH CANCER CARE SPECIALISTS &  
LEVITATE RIDGE CAPITAL**

**CHICAGO, IL – APRIL 22, 2026** – Ziegler, a specialty investment bank, is pleased to announce that it served as the exclusive financial advisor to Cancer Center Oncology Medical Group (CCOMG) in connection with its partnership with Cancer Care Specialists of Reno (CCS) and Levitate Ridge Capital.

Located on the campus of Sharp Grossmont Hospital in La Mesa, California, CCOMG is a respected community oncology practice focused on delivering personalized, high-quality cancer care to patients throughout San Diego County. The practice has built a strong reputation for combining compassionate patient care with access to the latest innovations in oncology and hematology treatment.

Cancer Care Specialists is a leading provider of oncology and hematology services across Nevada, offering a comprehensive platform that includes medical oncology, hematology, radiation oncology, infusion therapy, imaging, laboratory services, clinical research, and integrated pharmacy capabilities.

Levitate Ridge Capital is a private equity firm focused on investing in lower middle-market healthcare and business services companies. Through this partnership, CCS and Levitate Ridge Capital will support continued investment in physician-led oncology practices, clinical capabilities, technology infrastructure, and geographic expansion while preserving the independent practice model that is critical to community-based cancer care.

The partnership brings together two highly regarded physician-led oncology organizations with a shared commitment to delivering best-in-class care in community settings. By combining resources,

operational expertise, and strategic capital, the newly formed platform is positioned to expand access to high-quality oncology services and support additional independent oncology practices nationwide.

“We are excited to partner with Cancer Care Specialists and Levitate Ridge Capital as we begin this next chapter of growth,” said Reema Batra, MD of Cancer Center Oncology Medical Group.

“Ziegler was an invaluable advisor throughout a comprehensive strategic alternatives process, helping us thoughtfully evaluate our options, identify the right partner, and successfully execute the entire transaction. Their strategic guidance, hands-on support, and deep healthcare expertise were instrumental in helping us achieve our objectives and position the practice to accelerate growth while continuing to deliver exceptional care to our patients.”

“This partnership represents an important step in building a premier community oncology platform focused on empowering physicians and improving access to care,” said Wesley Falconer, COO of Cancer Care Specialists. “Cancer Center Oncology Medical Group has built an outstanding reputation, and we are thrilled to welcome them to the platform.”

“Community oncology remains one of the most important and attractive segments in healthcare services, driven by strong clinical demand and the need for accessible, lower-cost sites of care,” said Andrew Colbert, Senior Managing Director in Ziegler’s Healthcare Investment Banking Practice.

“Cancer Center Oncology Medical Group is a premier practice with exceptional physicians, deep community roots, and a patient-first culture. We are proud to have represented the shareholders in this important partnership.”

“As a leading community oncology group across the highly competitive San Diego market, CCOMG has distinguished itself in providing the highest quality care to a broad and diverse patient base, including a commitment to rural and underserved populations. This platform partnership with CCS and Levitate Ridge will continue to enhance patient access in Southern California and serve to further strengthen the practice’s ability to provide world-class cancer care in a highly convenient and cost-effective setting,” said Drew Braucht, Managing Director in Ziegler’s Healthcare Investment Banking Practice.

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financing solutions for companies and organizations across the healthcare industry. In its core practice areas of healthcare services, information technology, hospitals, and senior living, Ziegler is one of the most active M&A firms offering differentiated sell-side, buy-side, recapitalization/restructuring, equity private placement, and strategic partnering services.

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