

Tenet to Release Third Quarter Results on Nov. 2, 2010

DALLAS – October 8, 2010 – Tenet Healthcare Corporation (NYSE: THC) plans to announce results for its third quarter ended September 30, 2010, before the market opens on Tuesday, Nov. 2, 2010.

At 10:00 a.m. (EDT) on Nov. 2, 2010, Tenet management will discuss the results via a live audio webcast accessible through the Company's Web site at www.tenethealth.com/investors. It is suggested that listeners access the audio webcast 10 minutes prior to the beginning of the call. The audio webcast will be available live and on a replay basis for 90 days following the earnings announcement.

Tenet Healthcare Corporation is a health care services company whose subsidiaries and affiliates own and operate acute care hospitals, ambulatory surgery centers and diagnostic imaging centers. Tenet's hospitals and related health care facilities are committed to providing high quality care to patients in the communities they serve. For more information, please visit www.tenethealth.com.

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