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**JONATHON BANTON NAMED PRESIDENT OF RADIUS SPECIALTY HOSPITAL  
DIVISION OF RADIUS HEALTHCARE COMPANIES**

**Boston, Mass. (June 26, 2006)**— The Radius Healthcare Companies today named Jonathon Banton president of the company’s Radius Specialty Hospital Division. Banton is also a partner of Radius Healthcare.

“Jon Banton will play a leading role in the ongoing expansion of Radius Healthcare,” said L. Christine Bassett, principal and co-founder of the Radius Healthcare Companies. “Our company’s acquisition of Radius Specialty Hospital in Boston has been a tremendous success, largely because of Jon’s efforts. Everyone at Radius Healthcare is excited about his plans for the future of our Specialty Hospital Division.”

As President of the Radius Specialty Hospital Division and partner in the Radius Healthcare Companies, Jon Banton is responsible for investments and financing for all of Radius Healthcare’s facilities. Banton has nearly 30 years of experience developing and financing healthcare facilities and organizations. He lives in Brookline, Massachusetts with his two sons.

Radius Specialty Hospital is a 207 bed long-term acute care facility owned and operated by Radius Healthcare. Founded in 1999, Radius Healthcare is one of Massachusetts’ leading healthcare and senior care companies. In addition to Radius Specialty Hospital, Radius Healthcare also owns and operates ten skilled nursing facilities.

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