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**BEST DOCTORS® ANNOUNCES INVESTMENT BY AETNA VENTURES, LLC AND SCHOONER CAPITAL, LLC.**

April 7, 2006 – Boston- Best Doctors, Inc today announced that Aetna Ventures, LLC (NYSE: AET) and Schooner Capital have made a joint investment in Best Doctors, Inc. Best Doctors is a Boston-based company committed to helping consumers get the best health care.

By bringing the judgment of leading experts to help consumers get the right care, Best Doctors improves medical outcomes and reduces the costs incurred by insurers.

“We are proud to have Aetna and Schooner as investors in Best Doctors,” said David Seligman, CEO of Best Doctors. “This investment supports our doctor-driven approach to improve the quality of healthcare.”

**About Aetna Inc.**

A Fortune 50 company, Aetna is one of the nation’s leading diversified health care benefits companies, serving approximately 27.9 million unique members with information and resources to help them make better informed decisions about their health care. Aetna offers a broad range of traditional and consumer-directed health insurance products and related services, including medical, pharmacy, dental, behavioral health, group life, long-term care and disability plans, and medical management capabilities. [www.aetna.com](http://www.aetna.com).

**About Schooner Capital**

Schooner Capital is a Boston-based private investment firm which has been active in the United States and abroad for 35 years. Schooner’s portfolio includes private equity holdings, public market securities, and alternative investments.

**About Best Doctors, Inc.**

Best Doctors, Inc. helps people get the best medical care. Best Doctors services help dramatically improve quality of care by bringing the clinical knowledge of the world’s top specialists to the problems of people with serious medical conditions. By making sure individuals get the right diagnosis and

treatment the first time, Best Doctors reduces complications and avoids ineffective treatments—and as a result eliminates unnecessary spending. Founded in 1989 by doctors affiliated with Harvard Medical School to provide doctor-to-doctor consultations for complicated cases, Best Doctors has grown into an international company providing services to 10 million people in 30 countries.  
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