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## Novation Recognizes Clean Harbors as 2014 Supplier Award Winner

### *Healthcare and Pharmaceutical*

Norwell, MA and Irving, TX- May 15, 2015- Clean Harbors has been awarded the prestigious NOVAPLUS Supplier of the Year from Novation, the leading health care services company for more than 100,000 members and affiliates of VHA Inc., UHC, Children's Hospital Association and Provista LLC at their fifth annual Supplier Summit meeting held in Las Vegas.

The NOVAPLUS Supplier of the Year represents those suppliers that provide exceptional support and commitment toward helping members achieve their supply chain goals by demonstrating the following:

- o Year-over-year growth
- o No Product Safety Issues
- o Demonstrates willingness to grow product depth and breadth
- o Demonstrates a spirit of partnership with NOVAPLUS and actively engage the NOVAPLUS brand team in promotional, custom and sales opportunities

“We recognize that all of our contracted suppliers work tirelessly to bring value to the members and affiliates we serve through their products and services. The companies recognized as winners truly represent the best-of-the best.” said Pete Allen, Novation’s group senior vice president, sourcing operations.

Clean Harbors was the first NOVAPLUS Service Contract in 2011 due to its unique ability to drive simplicity and compliance for a specific waste stream. Clean Harbors expanded the offering to include other waste streams and also participated in a Group Buy.

“Clean Harbors enjoys working with Novation and its members. We see a true partnership, servicing each member with a straightforward and compliant service offering. Each member chooses what variation they would like and we build the offering around that customization. We look forward to continuing to improve our offering with Novation and its members and introducing it to more members.” John Kelsey – Vice President, Vertical Sales.

Over 80 nominees were recognized in 30 different categories including compliance, diversity, food and nutrition, environmental excellence, medical/surgical products, pediatrics, pharmacy, and technology.

### **About Novation, Recipient of the Ethisphere Institute’s Ethics Inside Certification**

Novation is the nation’s leading health care services company, focused on revolutionizing operational performance for more than 100,000 members and affiliates of VHA Inc., UHC, Children’s Hospital Association and Provista LLC. Novation’s progressive approach to cost performance, data and intelligence, and integrated advisory solutions helps health care providers envision and advance new models of cost-effective, high-quality care. Headquartered in



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Irving, Texas, Novation is committed to the highest standards of ethical behavior and twice has been honored with the Ethisphere Institute's coveted Ethics Inside® Certification, and has been named four years consecutively to Ethisphere's World's Most Ethical Companies list. To learn more about Novation, please visit [novationco.com](http://novationco.com) and follow [@NovationNews](https://twitter.com/NovationNews) on Twitter.

## About Clean Harbors

Clean Harbors is the leading provider of environmental, energy and industrial services throughout North America. The Company serves a diverse customer base, including a majority of the Fortune 500 companies, thousands of smaller private entities and numerous federal, state, provincial and local governmental agencies. Through its Safety-Kleen subsidiary, Clean Harbors also is a premier provider of used oil recycling and re-refining, parts cleaning and environmental services for the small quantity generator market.

Headquartered in Massachusetts, Clean Harbors has waste disposal facilities and service locations throughout the United States and Canada, as well as Mexico and Puerto Rico. For more information, visit [www.cleanharbors.com](http://www.cleanharbors.com).

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