

## News release

### Oliver Wyman acquires ChapterHouse, a leader in healthcare strategy consulting

NEW YORK and CHICAGO, August 1, 2008 – Oliver Wyman, an international management consulting firm, has acquired ChapterHouse, a healthcare strategy consulting firm serving clients throughout North America.

ChapterHouse's operations and staff of 50, based in the Chicago area, immediately join Oliver Wyman's Health & Life Sciences practice, which consults internationally to the payer, provider, health management, biotech, pharmaceutical, and medical device sectors.

"Oliver Wyman is excited about combining our fast-growing, innovative Health & Life Sciences practice with ChapterHouse's industry-leading healthcare strategy team," said Michael Weissel, Oliver Wyman's Health & Life Sciences practice head. "ChapterHouse's deep healthcare knowledge and capabilities will complement Oliver Wyman's health and life sciences expertise and consulting resources, which include the areas of customer science, change management, and lean operations. The integrated team will be able to respond to client needs even more readily, creatively, and definitively."

Thomas Main, who has led ChapterHouse since co-founding the firm in 1997, commented: "ChapterHouse and Oliver Wyman share a deep commitment to achieving real results for our clients, while also making meaningful contributions to improving the U.S. healthcare system. The combined talent, assets, and intellectual capital allow us to offer solutions and strategies with even more significant and far-reaching impact for our clients."

#### ABOUT OLIVER WYMAN

With more than 2,900 professionals in over 40 cities around the globe, Oliver Wyman is a management consulting firm that combines deep industry knowledge with specialized expertise in strategy, operations, risk management, organizational transformation, and leadership development. The firm helps clients optimize their businesses, improve their operations and risk profile, and accelerate their organizational performance to seize the most attractive opportunities. Oliver Wyman is part of Marsh & McLennan Companies [NYSE: MMC]. For more information, visit [www.oliverwyman.com](http://www.oliverwyman.com).

