

## Press Release

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### **Standard & Poor's upgrades Fresenius Medical Care's credit rating to investment grade**

Fresenius Medical Care AG & Co. KGaA (the "company" or "Fresenius Medical Care"; Frankfurt Stock Exchange: FME / New York Stock Exchange: FMS), the world's largest provider of dialysis products and services, today announced that Standard & Poor's has upgraded the corporate credit rating of Fresenius Medical Care from BB+ to BBB- with a stable outlook. The company's financial policy remains unchanged. Fresenius Medical Care will continue to focus on the execution of the long-term strategy introduced in early 2014.

Fresenius Medical Care is the world's largest integrated provider of products and services for individuals undergoing dialysis because of chronic kidney failure, a condition that affects more than 2.5 million individuals worldwide. Through its network of 3,349 dialysis clinics in North America, Europe, Latin America, Asia-Pacific and Africa, Fresenius Medical Care provides dialysis treatments for 283,135 patients around the globe. Fresenius Medical Care is also the world's leading provider of dialysis products such as hemodialysis machines, dialyzers and related disposable products.

For more information visit the Company's website at [www.fmc-ag.com](http://www.fmc-ag.com).

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