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Press release

April 20, 2022

# Capio Group Services AB has received all necessary regulatory approvals concerning the recommended cash offer to the shareholders of GHP Specialty Care AB

On March 7, 2022, Capio Group Services AB ("Capio"), which is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Capio AB (publ) and part of the Ramsay Santé Group, announced a recommended public offer to the shareholders of GHP Specialty Care AB ("GHP") to tender all shares in GHP to Capio at a price of SEK 35 in cash per share (the "Offer"). An offer document relating to the Offer was published on March 23, 2022.

Capio has received necessary merger control approval in Sweden and approval required under applicable Danish foregin direct investment legislation. As a result, Capio has received all necessary regulatory approvals. Hence, the condition for Capio's completion of the Offer relating to the receipt of necessary regulatory approvals has been satisfied. All other conditions set out in the offer document, including conditions for the completion of the Offer, are still applicable.



The offer document and other information concerning the offer are available on the transaction website (<a href="www.healthcare-nordic.com/en">www.healthcare-nordic.com/en</a>) and on Nordea Bank Abp, filial i Sverige's ("Nordea") website (<a href="www.nordea.se/prospekt">www.nordea.se/prospekt</a>).

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## Information about the Offer is available at:

www.healthcare-nordic.com/en

The information was submitted for publication on April 20, 2022, 07:30 CEST.

# **Important information**

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The Offer, the information and documents contained in this press release are not being made and have not been approved by an authorized person for the purposes of section 21 of the UK Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (the "FSMA"). Accordingly, the information and documents contained in this press release are not being distributed to, and must not be passed on to, the general public in the United



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Statements in this press release relating to future status or circumstances, including statements regarding future performance, growth and other trend projections and other benefits of the Offer, are forward-looking statements. These statements may generally, but not always, be identified by the use of words such as "anticipates", "intends", "expects", "believes", or similar expressions. By their nature, forward-looking statements involve risk and uncertainty because they relate to events and depend on circumstances that will occur in the future. There can be no assurance that actual results will not differ materially from those expressed or implied by these forward-looking statements due to many factors, many of which are outside the control of Capio. Any such forward-looking statements speak only as of the date on which they are made and Capio has no obligation (and undertakes no such obligation) to update or revise any of them, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, except for in accordance with applicable laws and regulations.

Nordea is acting exclusively for Capio and no one else in connection with the Offer. Nordea will not regard any other person (whether or not a recipient of this press release) as a client in relation to the Offer and will not be responsible to anyone other than Capio for providing the protections afforded to its clients nor for the giving of advice in relation to the Offer or any other transaction, matter or arrangement referred to in this press release.

## **Special notice to shareholders in the United States**

The Offer described in this press release is made for the issued and outstanding shares of GHP, a company incorporated under Swedish law, and is subject to Swedish disclosure and procedural requirements, which may be different from those of the United States. The Offer is made in the United States pursuant to Section 14(e) of the U.S. Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "U.S. Exchange Act") and Regulation 14E thereunder, to the extent applicable, and otherwise in compliance with the disclosure and procedural requirements of Swedish law, including with respect to withdrawal rights, the Offer timetable, notices of extensions, announcements of results, settlement procedures (including as regards to the time when payment of the consideration is rendered) and waivers of conditions, which may be different from requirements or customary practices in relation to U.S. domestic tender offers. Holders of the shares of GHP domiciled in the United States (the "U.S. Holders") are encouraged to consult with their own advisors regarding the Offer.



Nordea is not registered as a broker or dealer in the United States and will not be engaging in direct communications relating to the Offer with investors located within the United States (whether on a reverse-inquiry basis or otherwise).

GHP's financial statements and all financial information included herein, or any other documents relating to the Offer, have been or will be prepared in accordance with IFRS and may not be comparable to the financial statements or financial information of companies in the United States or other companies whose financial statements are prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. The Offer is made to the U.S. Holders on the same terms and conditions as those made to all other shareholders of GHP to whom an offer is made. Any information documents, including the offer document, are being disseminated to U.S. Holders on a basis comparable to the method pursuant to which such documents are provided to GHP's other shareholders.

The Offer, which is subject to Swedish law, is being made to the U.S. Holders in accordance with the applicable U.S. securities laws, and applicable exemptions thereunder. To the extent the Offer is subject to U.S. securities laws, those laws only apply to U.S. Holders and thus will not give rise to claims on the part of any other person. The U.S. Holders should consider that the price for the Offer is being paid in SEK and that no adjustment will be made based on any changes in the exchange rate.

It may be difficult for GHP's shareholders to enforce their rights and any claims they may have arising under the U.S. federal or state securities laws in connection with the Offer, since GHP and Capio are located in countries other than the United States, and some or all of their officers and directors may be residents of countries other than the United States. GHP's shareholders may not be able to sue GHP or Capio or their respective officers or directors in a non-U.S. court for violations of U.S. securities laws. Further, it may be difficult to compel GHP or Capio and/or their respective affiliates to subject themselves to the jurisdiction or judgment of a U.S. court.

To the extent permissible under applicable law or regulations, Capio and its affiliates or its brokers and its brokers' affiliates (acting as agents for Capio or its affiliates, as applicable) may from time to time and during the pendency of the Offer, and other than pursuant to the Offer, directly or indirectly purchase or arrange to purchase shares of GHP outside the United States, or any securities that are convertible into, exchangeable for or exercisable for such shares. These purchases may occur either in the open market at prevailing prices or in private transactions at negotiated prices, and information about such purchases will be disclosed by means of a press release or other means reasonably calculated to inform U.S. Holders of such information. In addition, the financial advisors to Capio may also engage in ordinary course trading activities in securities of GHP, which may include purchases or arrangements to purchase such securities as long as such purchases or arrangements are in compliance with the applicable law. Any information about such purchases will be



announced in Swedish and in a non-binding English translation available to the U.S. Holders through relevant electronic media if, and to the extent, such announcement is required under applicable Swedish or U.S. law, rules or regulations.

The receipt of cash pursuant to the Offer by a U.S. Holder may be a taxable transaction for U.S. federal income tax purposes and under applicable U.S. state and local, as well as foreign and other, tax laws. Each shareholder is urged to consult an independent professional adviser regarding the tax consequences of accepting the Offer. Neither Capio nor any of its affiliates and their respective directors, officers, employees or agents or any other person acting on their behalf in connection with the Offer shall be responsible for any tax effects or liabilities resulting from acceptance of this Offer.

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