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NATIONWIDE PHARMACEUTICAL Ranks 14th as the Fastest Growing Veteran-Owned Business Nationally on the Vet100 List.

San Antonio, Texas, January 10, 2020 – Nationwide Pharmaceutical, a licensed prescription drug manufacturer was recently recognized and ranked 14th in the Nation by the Institute for Veterans and Military Families at Syracuse University (IVMF) on the annual Vet100 list—a compilation of the nation’s fastest growing veteran-owned businesses.

“We are honored at Nationwide Pharmaceutical to be recognized and be in the company of other successful veteran-owned businesses around our nation.” Joseph B. Lawrence, CEO. “We are proudly owned and operated by veteran military pharmacists. We believe our success is grounded in leveraging the unique leadership and strategic skills developed during our military service.”

Over the past 5 years Nationwide Pharmaceutical has seen explosive growth by providing exceptional solutions to the Federal Pharmacy industry. They have a laser focus on providing products and services in support of the healthcare missions of the Federal Government.

“Military experience provides veteran entrepreneurs with skills and knowledge we know to be valuable in the business world,” said Mike Haynie, Syracuse University Vice Chancellor and IVMF Founder and Executive Director. “We are proud to partner again with Inc. magazine and are grateful for their efforts to shine a spotlight on the success of veteran-owned businesses.”
Syracuse University’s IVMF is higher education’s first interdisciplinary academic institute, focused on advancing the lives of the nation’s military veterans and their families. Nationwide Pharmaceutical is proud of this recognition and will be attending IVMF’s Veteran EDGE national conference where the Vet100 list will be announced during the Awards dinner on Saturday, March 7, 2020 in Dallas, TX.

A complete interactive list of the 2019 IVMF Vet100 that can be sorted by industry, region, and other criteria, can be found at https://www.inc.com/5000/vet100

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**More about Nationwide Pharmaceutical**

Nationwide Pharmaceutical is a licensed prescription drug manufacturer in San Antonio, Texas that bridges the gap between the government and healthcare industry partners seeking to do business with the government. The deep knowledge and understanding of the complexities throughout the acquisition process and the constraints in the procurement of supplies and services for the government allows them to provide high-quality pharmaceutical products and other services for a variety of private and government customers.

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**IVMF**

Syracuse University’s Institute for Veterans and Military Families (IVMF) is the first interdisciplinary national institute in higher education focused on the social, economic, education, and policy issues impacting veterans and their families. Through its professional staff and experts, the IVMF delivers leading programs in career, vocational, and entrepreneurship education and training, while also conducting actionable research, policy analysis, and program evaluations. The IVMF also supports communities through collective impact efforts that enhance delivery and access to services and care. The Institute, supported by a distinguished advisory board, along with public and private partners, is committed to advancing the lives of those who have served in America’s armed forces and their families. For more information, visit ivmf.syracuse.edu and follow the IVMF on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram.
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